

RESOLUTION 2023 03 01

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PALMER, TEXAS, DECLARING UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES FOR MAYOR AND TWO ALDERMEN POSITIONS, AS ELECTED; CANCELING THE MAY 6, 2023, GENERAL ELECTION AND ORDERING THE POSTING OF THIS RESOLUTION AT EACH POLLING PLACE ON ELECTION DAY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Colleyville, Texas adopted Resolution 2023 02 01 on February 21, 2023, ordering a General Election be held on May 6, 2023, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and two Aldermen positions; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Texas Election Code Sections 143.007 and 146.054, the filing deadlines for a place on the ballot and declaration of write-in candidacy have passed; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has received the City Secretary's written certification that each candidate in the General Election is unopposed, attached and incorporated herein as Exhibit "A"; and

WHEREAS, Texas Election Code Section 2.053(a) authorizes a governing body to adopt an order declaring unopposed candidate elected to office and cancel the general election; and

WHEREAS, the City Council hereby finds and determines that the candidates whose names were to appear on the ballot in said general election are unopposed, that there are no declared write-in candidates for said offices; and, therefore, the City Council hereby determines it is necessary to cancel the General Election.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PALMER, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. That the facts and matters set forth in the recitals of this Resolution are hereby found to be true and correct and are incorporated herein.

SECTION 2. That having received the certification from the City Secretary that the following candidates are unopposed in the May 6, 2023, General Election, the following candidates are hereby declared duly elected to their respective offices for a term of two (2) years and shall be issued a certificate of election after Election Day in accordance with the Texas Election Code:

- Kenneth Bateman-Mayor
- Laura Miller-Alderman
- Amber Coolen—Alderman

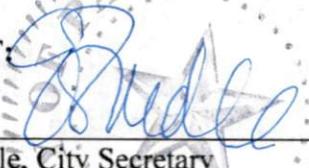
SECTION 3. That the May 6, 2023, General Election for Mayor and two Aldermen positions is hereby ordered to be canceled. The City Secretary shall post a copy of this resolution at all designated polling places on May 6, 2023, as required by the Texas Election Code.

SECTION 4. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon passage.

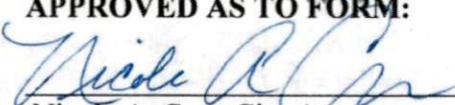
APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Palmer, Texas, this 21st day of March, 2023.

By: 
Kenneth Bateman, Mayor
City of Palmer

ATTEST:


Erin Zaidle, City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Nicole A. Corr, City Attorney