ORDINANCE NO. 2022-11-06

Canvass November 8, 2022, Home Rule Charter Special Election

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAVON, TEXAS, CANVASSING THE RETURNS AND DECLARING THE RESULTS OF THE NOVEMBER 8, 2022, SPECIAL ELECTION HELD FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF SAID CITY THE QUESTION OF WHETHER OR NOT TO APPROVE A HOME RULE CHARTER; PROVIDING FOR THE INCOROPATION OF FINDINGS; DETERMINING COMPLIANCE WITH TEXAS OPEN MEETING LAWS; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Lavon, Texas (the "City Council") duly authorized a Special Election to be held within the City of Lavon, Texas (the "City") on November 8, 2022 (the "Election"), for the purpose of submitting to the resident qualified electors of the City the proposition hereinafter set forth; and

WHEREAS, this City Council has investigated all matters pertaining to said Election; and

WHEREAS, the Election officers who held said Election have duly made the return of the results thereof, and said returns have been duly delivered to this City Council, and are attached hereto as **Exhibit A**; and

WHEREAS, state law requires that the governing body of the City canvass all municipal elections of the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAVON, TEXAS:

Section 1. The findings set forth above are incorporated into the body of this Ordinance as if fully set forth herein.

Section 2. It is officially found and determined that said Election was duly ordered, that proper notice thereof was duly given, that proper Election officers were duly appointed prior to said Election, that said Election was duly and lawfully held, that due returns of the result of said Election have been made and delivered, and that this City Council has duly canvassed said returns, all in accordance with the Texas Election Code, other applicable state law, and the Ordinance calling said Election.

<u>Section 3</u>. It is officially found and determined that the following votes were cast at said Election on the submitted proposition by the resident qualified electors of the City who voted at said Election:

PROPOSITION A	EARLY VOTES <u>CAST</u>	BALLOTS BY <u>MAIL</u>	REGULAR VOTES <u>CAST</u>	TOTAL VOTES <u>CAST</u>
FOR	652	12	351	1015
AGAINST	233	3	163	399

Total Votes Cast: 1414

Section 4. That the City Council finds and determines that the above proposition carried at the Election. The City Council shall, as soon as practicable, with the passage of this Ordinance, enter an order in the records of the City declaring that the Home Rule Charter is adopted.

<u>Section 5</u>. That the tabulation of votes cast, attached as <u>Exhibit A</u> and incorporated herein, for the purpose of the adopting the Home Rule Charter in the Election, is hereby adopted as the official tabulation of the City and is hereby ordered filed and recorded in the official records of the City as the official canvass of said Election.

<u>Section 6</u>. The City Council finds and declares that the meeting at which this Ordinance is considered is open to the public as required by law, and that the public notice of the time, place and purpose of the meeting was given as required by Texas Government Code, Section 551.041, as amended.

DULY PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Lavon, Collin County, Texas, on this the 17th day of November 2022.

Vicki Sanson, Mayor

ATTEST:

Rae Norton, City Secretary

EXHIBIT A

COLLIN COUNTY CERTIFIED ELECTION RESULTS NOVEMBER 8, 2022 SPECIAL ELECTION

Summary Results Report General And Special Election November 8, 2022

City of Lavon Results FINAL Combined Accumulated Totals COLLIN COUNTY

Statistics	TOTAL	Election Day	Early Voting	Ballot By Mail	Provision al Ballots	Limited Ballots
Registered Voters - Total	696,712					
Ballots Cast - Total	366,168	99,502	253,049	12,564	448	605
Voter Turnout - Total	52.56%					

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Lavon, City of - Council, Place 5 Vote For 1

	TOTA	L VOTE %	Election Day	Early Voting	Ballot By Mail	Provision al Ballots	Limited Ballots
Lindsey Hedge	581	49.74%	231	344	5	1	0
Tracy Filo	358	30.65%	129	226	3	0	0
Lindsay Tarrant	229	19.61%	88	138	3	0	0
Total Votes Cast	1,168	100.00%	448	708	11	1	0
Overvotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	746		290	443	12	1	0
Contest Totals	1 914		738	1.151	23	2	0

Lavon, City of - Home Rule Charter

Vote	For 1	

	TOTA	L VOTE %	Election Day	Early Voting	Ballot By Mail	Provision al Ballots	Limited Ballots
For	1,020	71.88%	351	652	16	1	0
Against	399	28.12%	163	233	3	0	0
Total Votes Cast	1,419	100.00%	514	885	19	1	0
Overvotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	495		224	266	4	1	0
Contest Totals	1,914		738	1,151	23	2	0

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Lavon, City of - Council, Place 5 Vote For 1							
	TOTAL	VOTE %	Election Day	Early Voting	Ballot By Mail	Provision al Ballots	Limited Ballots
Lindsey Hedge	572	49.61%	226	340	5	1	0
Tracy Filo	354	30.70%	127	224	3	0	0
Lindsay Tarrant	227	19.69% 🧧	87	137	3	0	0
Total Votes Cast	1,153	100.00%	440	701	11	1	0
Overvotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	732		288	431	12	1	0
Contest Totals	1,885		728	1,132	23	2	0
Lavon, City of - Home Rule Charter Vote For 1							
	TOTAL	VOTE %	Election Day	Early Voting	Ballot By Mail	Provision al Ballots	Limited Ballots
For	1,003	71.75%	346	640	16	1	0
Against	395	28.25%	161	231	3	0	0
Total Votes Cast	1,398	100.00%	507	871	19	1	0
Overvotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	487		221	261	4	1	0
Contest Totals	1,885		728	1,132	23	2	0

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Contest Totals

Lavon, City of - Council, Place 5 Vote For 1							
	TOTAL	VOTE %	Election Day	Early Voting	Ballot By Mail	Provision al Ballots	Limited Ballots
Lindsey Hedge	8	57.14%	4	4	0	0	0
Tracy Filo	4	28.57%	2	2	0	0	0
Lindsay Tarrant	2	14.29%	1	1	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	14	100.00%	7	7	0	0	0
Overvotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	13		2	11	0	0	0
Contest Totals	27		9	18	0	0	0
Lavon, City of - Home Rule Charter Vote For 1							
	TOTAL	VOTE %	Election Day	Early Voting	Ballot By Mail	Provision al Ballots	Limited Ballots
For	17	80.95%	5	12	0	0	0
Against	4	19.05%	2	2	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	21	100.00%	7	14	0	0	0
Overvotes	0		0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	6		2	4	0	0	0

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Lavon, City of - Council, Place 5 Vote For 1								
	TOTAL	VOTE %		Election Day	Early Voting	Ballot By Mail	Provision al Ballots	Limited Ballots
Lindsey Hedge	1	100.00%	10.50	1	0	0	0	0
Tracy Filo	0	0.00%		0	0	0	0	0
Lindsay Tarrant	0	0.00%		0	0	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	1	100.00%		1	0	0	0	0
Overvotes	0			0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	1			0	1	0	0	0
Contest Totals	2			, 1	1	0	0	0
Lavon, City of - Home Rule Charter Vote For 1								
	TOTAL	VOTE %		Election Day	Early Voting	Ballot By Mail	Provision al Ballots	Limited Ballots
For	0			0	0	0	0	0
Against	0			0	0	0	0	0
Total Votes Cast	0			0	0	0	0	0
Overvotes	0			0	0	0	0	0
Undervotes	2			1	1	0	0	0
Contest Totals	2			1	1	0	0	0