

ORDINANCE NO. 3949

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SACHSE, TEXAS, ORDERING A SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON THE 18TH DAY OF JANUARY, 2020, IN THE CITY OF SACHSE FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING A COUNCILMEMBER TO FILL THE VACANCY FOR THE UNEXPIRED TERM FOR COUNCILMEMBER PLACE 4; DESIGNATING LOCATION OF POLLING PLACE; ORDERING NOTICE OF ELECTION TO BE GIVEN AS PRESCRIBED BY LAW IN CONNECTION WITH SUCH ELECTION; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE ELECTION AGREEMENTS WITH DALLAS COUNTY; PROVIDING A REPEALING CLAUSE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

SECTION I.

IT IS ORDERED THAT a special election be held for City Officers (City Council) in the City of Sachse, Texas on the 18th day of January, 2020, for the purpose of electing a Councilmember Place 4 to fill the unexpired term created by the resignation of Bill Adams. The Councilmember Place 4 shall be elected for a term of approximately four (4) months. The candidate for each such office, receiving a majority of all votes cast for all the candidates for an office, shall be elected to serve such term.

SECTION II.

That the polling place for both early voting and Election Day for said election shall be the Sachse City Hall, 3815-B Sachse Road, Sachse, Texas, for all Dallas and Collin County legally qualified voters residing in the City of Sachse. Early voting locations will also include polling places Dallas County-wide, including early voting days and hours as shown on the attached "Exhibit A".

SECTION III.

That none but legally qualified voters shall be entitled to vote at said election. Legally qualified voters shall be those persons having a current voter registration and shall be residents of the City of Sachse according to the Texas Election Code for said municipal election.

SECTION IV.

That notice of said election shall be posted in three public places within the limits of the city according to the Texas Election Code. A return of such posting shall be documented by the City Secretary. Said notice to prescribe early voting by mail, early voting places and hours of operation, and Election Day hours of operation. Publication of said notice of the election shall be in accordance with the Texas Election Code.

SECTION V.

That the City Manager and City Secretary are authorized to execute an agreement for an Election with the Dallas County Election Department and other entities that will provide for all election appointments, early voting by mail, the voting location as Sachse City Hall and hours of operation, payments for election officials, necessary election arrangements and a runoff election (if applicable).

SECTION VI.

That the City Secretary shall have the authority to approve any minor modifications as may be necessary in the best interest of the City and within the regulations of the Texas Election Code. The early voting mail clerk is: Toni Pippins-Poole, Early Voting Clerk, Dallas County Elections Department, 2377 N. Stemmons Freeway, Suite 820, Dallas, Texas 75207.

SECTION VII.

That all provisions of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Sachse, Texas, in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same are hereby, repealed, and all other provisions not in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION VIII.

That the provisions of this ordinance are severable, so that the invalidity of one or more provisions shall not affect the validity of those valid portions.

SECTION IX.

That this ordinance shall become and be effective immediately upon its adoption and publication as required by law, and it is accordingly so ORDAINED.

DULY PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SACHSE, TEXAS, ON THIS THE 4TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2019.

APPROVED:




Mike J. Felix, Mayor

ATTEST:



Michelle Lewis Sirianni, City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Joseph J. Gorfida, Jr., City Attorney
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