

ORDINANCE NO. 903

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GIDDINGS, TEXAS, DECLARING THE UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES FOR THE OFFICES OF THREE COUNCIL MEMBERS AS ELECTED; PROVIDING THAT THE MAY 3, 2025, REGULAR MUNICIPAL ELECTION SHALL NOT BE HELD; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Giddings, Texas, adopted Ordinance No. 901 on February 10, 2025, ordering a general municipal election to be held on May 3, 2025, for the purpose of electing three (3) Council Members; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Sections 143.007(c) and 146.054(b) Texas Election Code, the deadline for filing applications for a place on the ballot and declaration of write-in candidacy for the City's regular municipal election have expired; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 2.053 of the Texas Election Code, the City Secretary, who is responsible for having the ballot for the City Council Elections prepared, has certified in writing to the City Council that Alan Casey, Jacob Janda, and Kevin Rinn, is all unopposed for election to the office of City Council Member; and

WHEREAS, a copy of the said certificate is ordered to be attached to this Ordinance as an exhibit; and

WHEREAS, Section 2.053 Texas Election Code provides that upon receipt of such certificate that the Council may by order declare each unopposed candidate elected to the office;

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

SECTION 1. The facts and matters set forth in the preamble of this Ordinance are hereby found to be true and correct.

SECTION 2. That, in accordance with Section 2.053 Texas Election Code, the Order Cancelling the General Election, attached hereto is hereby adopted and approved.

SECTION 3. All ordinances, or parts thereof, that are in conflict or inconsistent with any provision of this ordinance are hereby repealed to be extent of such conflict.

SECTION 4. Should any section, paragraph, sentence, clause, phrase or word of this ordinance be declared unconstitutional or invalid for any purpose by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder of this ordinance shall not be affected thereby, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable.

SECTION 5. It is hereby found and determined that the meeting at which this ordinance was passed was open to the public as required by Section 551.001, Texas Government Code, and that advance public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given.

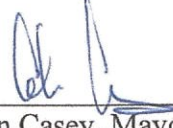
PASSED AND APPROVED this 24th day of February, 2025, by a vote of 4 ayes and 0 nays at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Giddings, Texas.

ATTEST:

CITY OF GIDDINGS



Andrea Ray, City Secretary



Alan Casey, Mayor Pro-Tem

