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AN ORDINANCE 2017-02-09-0068

ORDERING THE GENERAL CITY ELECTION TO BE HELD ON SATURDAY, MAY 6, 2017, AND A RUN-OFF ELECTION TO BE HELD ON SATURDAY, JUNE 10, 2017, IF NECESSARY; AND SETTING FORTH ELECTION PROCEDURES.

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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. <u>ELECTION ORDERED</u>. The San Antonio City Council orders a General Municipal Election be held on Saturday, the 6th day of May, 2017, in accordance with all applicable laws of the State of Texas, including but not limited to the Texas Election Code, and the provisions of the Charter of the City of San Antonio, for the purpose of electing the City's Mayor and Council. There shall be eleven offices designated on the ballot as follows:

Member of Council, Place 1 Member of Council, Place 2 Member of Council, Place 3 Member of Council, Place 4 Member of Council, Place 5 Member of Council, Place 6 Member of Council, Place 7 Member of Council, Place 8 Member of Council, Place 9 Member of Council, Place 10 Member of Council, Place 11 (Mayor)

SECTION 2. JOINT ELECTION. The City Council also authorizes the May 6, 2017 General Election to be held jointly with other participating local political subdivisions located within Bexar County. The city shall execute an agreement with Bexar County to conduct the election as a joint election with the other political subdivisions identified in the agreement, at a future meeting.

Pursuant to the Texas Election Code, Section 61.012, as amended, the Bexar County Elections Administrator shall provide at least one accessible voting system in each polling place used in the election. The voting system shall comply with Texas and federal laws establishing the requirements for voting systems that permit voters with physical disabilities to cast a confidential or secret ballot.

SECTION 3. PRECINCTS AND POLLING LOCATIONS; HOURS OF VOTING. The General Election shall be held as prescribed by law between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 6, 2017, at the precincts of the City of San Antonio at the locations listed by the Bexar County Elections Administration office. The list of locations will be attached to the election agreement when brought for approval.

SECTION 4. <u>VOTING SYSTEM</u>. Voting on Election Day, Saturday, May 6, 2017, shall be conducted by the use of AIS650 Tabulators, paper ballots, or the iVotronic[™] touch screen voting system, as determined by the City Clerk and the Bexar County Elections Administrator.

For early voting by mail and for provisional voting at this election, the City Clerk has determined that voting shall be conducted by the use of the AIS650 Tabulators, and paper ballots.

For early voting by personal appearance, beginning on Monday, April 24, 2017, and ending on Tuesday, May 2, 2017, the City Clerk has determined that voting shall be conducted by the use of the iVotronic[™] touch screen voting system. The equipment shall be placed at branch offices established for the purpose of conducting early voting by personal appearance at the locations and during the dates and hours listed by the Bexar County Elections Administration, in an attachment to the election agreement brought to Council for consideration at a later meeting.

SECTION 5. <u>EARLY VOTING</u>. Early voting by personal appearance shall be conducted at the branch offices during the period for early voting, commencing Monday, April 24, 2017, and ending on Tuesday, May 2, 2017. Hours of early voting are established by the Bexar County Elections Administrator in accordance with the applicable provisions of Texas law. A copy of the locations and hours for early voting are attached as **Exhibit A**.

Electors may cast their early vote by mail. Ballot applications and ballots voted by mail shall be mailed to the early voting clerk as follows:

Jacquelyn F. Callanen Bexar County Elections Administrator 1103 S. Frio, Suite 100

San Antonio, TX 78207

The last day to receive an application for a ballot to be voted by mail is Tuesday, April 25, 2017.

SECTION 6. <u>NOTICE</u>. (a) *Form of Notice of Election*. The City Clerk of the City of San Antonio is authorized and directed to prepare a form of the Notice of Election in both English and Spanish, the contents of which comply with the requirements of Section 4.004 of the Texas Election Code and any other applicable law, and will include at the minimum, the nature and date of the election; the location of each election day and early voting polling place; the hours the polls will be open; the locations, dates and times of temporary branch locations of early voting by personal appearance; the early voting clerk's mailing address; and any other information required by other law, and with variations as permitted by applicable law.

(b) <u>Method of Giving Notice</u>. Notice of the election shall be given by posting a copy of the Notice of Election, both in English and Spanish, not later than the 21st day before the date set for the election on the bulletin board used for posting notices of the meetings of the City Council of the City. Notice of the election shall also be given by publishing said Notice of Election, both in English and Spanish, at least once, not earlier than the 30th day or later than the 10th day before Election Day, in a newspaper of general circulation published in the City of San Antonio. The City Council declares that the <u>San Antonio Express News</u> is a newspaper of general circulation within the city.

SECTION 7. <u>CONTRACT FOR ELECTION SERVICES</u>. The City Council will contract with the Bexar County Elections Administrator to conduct this election. The Council shall consider and approve this contract at a future meeting by passage of an ordinance.

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SECTION 8. ELECTION MATERIAL. All resident qualified electors of the City shall be permitted to vote at the election and on the day of the election, such electors shall vote at the designated polling places. The election shall be held and conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Texas Election Code, as amended, and as may be required by any other law. All election materials and proceedings shall be printed in both English and Spanish.

SECTION 9. <u>CANVASS DATE</u>. The City Council shall canvass the results of the election during the regularly scheduled "B" Session on Wednesday, May 17, 2017.

SECTION 10. DATE OF RUN-OFF. If necessary, a run-off election is ordered to be held on Saturday, June 10, 2017, in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas and the provisions of the Charter of the City of San Antonio.

SECTION 11. <u>EFFECTIVE DATE</u>. This ordinance is effective immediately, if approved by eight or more affirmative votes; otherwise, it is effective on the tenth day from the date of passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 9th day of February 2017.

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Ivy R. Taylor

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APPROVED AS TO FORM: City Attorney

Agenda Item:	5						
Date:	02/09/2017						
Time:	10:22:13 AM						
Vote Type:	Motion to Approve						
Description:	An Ordinance ordering the General City Election to be held on Saturday, May 6, 2017 and a Run-off Election to be held on Saturday, June 10, 2017, if necessary; and setting election procedures. [Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk]						
Result:	Passed						
Voter	Group	Not Present	Yea	Nay	Abstain	Motion	Second
Ivy R. Taylor	Mayor		x				
Roberto C. Treviño	District 1		x				
Alan Warrick	District 2		x				
Rebecca Viagran	District 3		x			x	
Rey Saldaña	District 4		x				
Shirley Gonzales	District 5		x				
Ray Lopez	District 6		x				х
Cris Medina	District 7		x				
Ron Nirenberg	District 8		x				
Joe Krier	District 9		x				
Michael Gallagher	District 10		x				

EXHIBIT A

JOINT GENERAL, SPECIAL, CHARTER AND BOND ELECTION Bexar County Political Subdivisions MAY 6, 2017

THE HOURS OF EARLY VOTING WILL BE:

Mon., April 24 thru Thurs., April 27	8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Lunes 24 de abril hasta el jueves 27 de abril de 2017	8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Fri., April 28, 2017	CLOSED
Viernes 28 de abril de 2017	CERRADO
Sat., April 29, 2017	8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Sábado 29 de abril de 2017	8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Sun., April 30, 2017	CLOSED
Domingo 30 de abril de 2017	CERRADO
Mon., May 1 thru Tues., May 2	8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Lunes 1 de mayo hasta el martes 2 de mayo de 2017	8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

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April 24, 2017 - May 2, 2017

Main Early Voting Location: (Localidad Principal de Votacion Adelantada:)

ALAMO STADIUM CONVOCATION CENTER	110 Tuleta
ALAMO HEIGHTS ISD ADMIN BLDG (BOARD ROOM)	7101 Broadway
***BEXAR COUNTY JUSTICE CENTER	
BROOKHOLLOW LIBRARY	530 Heimer Road
CASTLE HILLS CITY HALL (SE CORNER OF COUNCIL CHAMBERS)	209 Lemonwood Dr.
CLAUDE BLACK CENTER	
CODY LIBRARY	11441 Vance Jackson
COLLINS GARDEN LIBRARY	200 North Park
COPERNICUS COMMUNITY CENTER	5003 Lord Rd.
ENCINO BRANCH LIBRARY	2515 East Evans Rd.
FAIR OAKS RANCH CITY HALL	
GREAT NORTHWEST LIBRARY	9050 Wellwood
HELOTES CITY HALL	12951 Bandera Rd.
HENRY A. GUERRA, JR. LIBRARY	7978 W. Military Drive

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HOLLYWOOD PARK CITY HALL	
JOHN IGO LIBRARY	13330 Kyle Seale Parkway
JOHNSTON LIBRARY	
JULIA YATES SEMMES LIBRARY @ Comanche Lookout Pa	ark15060 Judson Rd.
KIRBY CITY HALL	112 Bauman
LAS PALMAS LIBRARY	515 Castroville Rd.
LEON VALLEY CONFERENCE CENTER	6421 Evers Rd.
LION'S FIELD	
MAURY MAVERICK, JR. LIBRARY	
MCCRELESS LIBRARY	
MEMORIAL LIBRARY	
MISSION LIBRARY	
NORTHSIDE ACTIVITY CENTER (CONFERENCE ROOM)	
NORTHWEST VISTA COLLEGE.	
OLMOS PARK CITY HALL	
PARMAN LIBRARY@STONE OAK	
PRECINCT 1 SATELLITE OFFICE	
SAN ANTONIO COLLEGE (Eco Bldg)	
SCHAEFER LIBRARY	
SHAVANO PARK CITY HALL (COUNCIL CHAMBERS)	
SOMERSET CITY HALL	
SOUTH PARK MALL(NEXT TO SEARS MALL ENTRANCE)	
SOUTHSIDE ISD ADMIN BLDG.	
TOBIN LIBRARY @OAKWELL	
UNIVERSAL CITY LIBRARY	
UTSA - UNIVERSITY CENTER	
** WINDCREST TAKAS PARK CIVIC CENTER	
WONDERLAND OF THE AMERICAS@CROSSROADS	
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Subject to change (*sujeto a cambio*)

*** The Justice Center closes at 6:00 p.m. daily and is closed on the weekend. *** El Justice Center cierra a las 6:00 p.m. diariamente y está cerrado los fines de semana.

** Windcrest Takas Park Civic Center is closed Saturday, April 29, 2017. ** Windcrest Takas Park Civic Center está cerrado sábado el 29 de abril, 2017.

For more information contact the office of the Bexar County Elections Administrator, Jacquelyn F. Callanen, at (210) 335-VOTE (8683). (Para mas información comuníquese con la oficina del Condado de Bexar Administrador de Elecciones, Jacquelyn F. Callanen, al teléfono (210) 335-VOTE (8683)).

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