AN ORDINANCE 2019-01-14-0015

AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 2019-01-10-0001 TO CHANGE THE EFFECTIVE DATE TO JANUARY 14, 2019 AND DIRECTING STAFF TO REVIEW EFFECTIVE DATE CRITERIA FOR PUBLIC OFFICIAL APPOINTMENT ORDINANCES AND RETURN WITH RECOMMENDATION

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WHEREAS, upon the resignation of District 2 City Council member William "Cruz" Shaw, effective January 7, 2019, the District 2 office became vacant; and

WHEREAS, the City Council invited qualified residents of District 2 to submit applications to the Office of the City Clerk for consideration for appointment to temporarily fill the vacancy for the remainder of the unexpired term of office and interviewed applicants at the B Session on Wednesday, January 9, 2019, and selected applicants were invited for additional interviews the January 10, 2019 A Session; and

WHEREAS, the City Council appointed Art A. Hall as the temporary Council member by a seven to three vote, resulting in an effective date of the ordinance ten days later, January 20, 2019 in accordance with Section 1-15 of the City Code; and

WHEREAS, in order to facilitate District 2 having full participation in City business prior to January 20, 2019, the effective date of the appointing ordinance should be moved to January 14, 2019; and

WHEREAS, after reviewing effective date criteria for public official appointment ordinances, staff will return with a recommendation to amend Section 1-15 of the City Code addressing the appointment of temporary members of City Council; NOW THEREFORE:

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

SECTION 1. Ordinance No. 2019-01-10-0001 is amended to make the effective date January 14, 2019, so that Art A. Hall may immediately serve as the temporary District 2 member of the City Council of the City of San Antonio through the remainder of the unexpired term and until the person elected at the May 4, 2019 general election or June 8, 2019 runoff election, is sworn in.

SECTION 2. City Staff is directed to review effective date criteria for public official appointment ordinances and return with a recommendation to amend Section 1-15 of the City Code addressing the appointment of temporary members of City Council.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance is effective immediately upon the receipt of eight affirmative votes, or in the event eight affirmative votes are not received, on the tenth day after passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 14th day of January, 2019.

Ron Nirenberg

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Andrew Segovia, City Attorney

CITY COUNCIL MEETING

SPECIAL MEETING

Item #1

Ordinance moving the effective date of Ordinance 2019-01-10-0001 from January 20, 2019 to January 14, 2019 and directing staff to review effective date criteria for public official appointment ordinances and return with recommendation. [Andrew Segovia, City Attorney]

DATE: January 14, 2019

Name	ROLL CALL	Motion	Second	Abstain	Ауе	Nay	Absent
Roberto C. Treviño District 1	/	✓					
DISTRICT 2							
Rebecca J. Viagran District 3	/						
Rey Saldaña District 4	/						
Shirley Gonzales District 5	V						
Greg Brockhouse District 6	/						
Ana E. Sandoval District 7	/						
Manny Peláez District 8	/		/				
John Courage District 9	/						
Clayton H. Perry District 10	/						
Ron Nirenberg Mayor	/						

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