

ORDINANCE NO. 03-2017

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF OAK RIDGE NORTH, TEXAS, DECLARING AN UNOPPOSED CANDIDATE IN THE MAY 6, 2017 SPECIAL CITY ELECTION ELECTED TO OFFICE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Special City Election was called for May 6, 2017 for the purpose of electing one (1) council member to serve on the City Council Place 1 in the City of Oak Ridge North; and

WHEREAS, the City Secretary has certified in writing that there is no proposition on the ballot, that no person has made a declaration of write-in candidacy, and that the candidate on the ballot is unopposed for election to office; and

WHEREAS, under these circumstances, the Texas Election Code, Subchapter C, Chapter 2, Section 2.053 authorizes the City Council to declare the candidate elected to office; and

WHEREAS, if no special election is to be held on Election Day by the City, a copy of this Ordinance shall be posted on Election Day at each polling place used or that would have been used in the election.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OAK RIDGE NORTH, TEXAS THAT:

Section 1. The following candidate, who was unopposed in the May 6, 2017 Special City Election is declared elected to office May 6, 2017 and shall be issued a Certificate of Election following the time the election would have been canvassed:

Council member Place 1 Martin Paul Bond

Section 2. The May 6, 2017 Special City Election is canceled, and the City Secretary is directed to cause a copy of this Ordinance to be posted on Election Day at each polling place that would have been used in the election.

Section 3. It is declared to be the intent of the City Council that the phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs, and sections of this Ordinance are severable, and if any phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph, or section of this Ordinance is declared invalid by the judgment or decree of a court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity shall not affect any of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs and sections of this Ordinance, since the City Council would have enacted them without the invalid portion.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its final passage, and it is so ordained.

PASSED, APPROVED, and ADOPTED the 27th day of February, 2017.



Jim Kuykendall, Mayor

ATTEST:



Laura Calcote, City Secretary

