

ORDINANCE NO. 2024-003

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF NEW HOPE, COLLIN COUNTY, TEXAS (TOWN), DECLARING ONE UNOPPOSED CANDIDATE FOR THE OFFICE OF MAYOR AND ONE UNOPPOSED CANDIDATE FOR THE OFFICE OF ALDERMAN TO THE TOWN COUNCIL IN THE GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON SATURDAY, MAY 4, 2024; ADOPTING AN ORDER OF CANCELLATION FOR THE GENERAL ELECTION; PROVIDING FOR OTHER MATTERS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Town of New Hope, Collin County, Texas (the "Town"), through its Board of Aldermen (also referred to as the "Town Council"), ordered a general election to be held on Saturday, May 4, 2024, for the purpose of electing one (1) mayor and two (2) aldermen at-large to the Town Council (the "General Election") by adoption of Ordinance No. 2023-007 during the Town Council meeting, open to the public, on December 18, 2023;

WHEREAS, the filing deadlines for placement on the ballot and list of write-in candidates for the General Election have expired; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Texas Election Code § 2.052, the authority responsible for having the official ballot prepared has certified in writing to the Town Council that two (2) candidates, Andy Reitingner and Kimberly Barrow, have each filed an application to be placed on the ballot, and the candidates are unopposed for election to the offices of Mayor and Alderman.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF NEW HOPE, TEXAS, THAT:

SECTION 1. RECITALS INCORPORATED. The above findings and recitals are incorporated into the body of this Ordinance for all purposes as if fully set forth herein.

SECTION 2. CERTIFICATION AND DECLARATION. Pursuant to Texas Election Code § 2.053(a), candidate Andy Reitingner has been certified as unopposed and is hereby declared elected to the office of Mayor and candidate Kimberly Barrow has been certified as unopposed and are hereby declared elected to the office of Alderman.

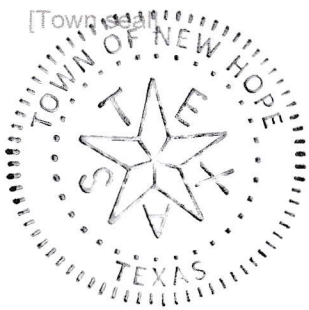
SECTION 3. CANCELLATION OF ELECTION. Pursuant to Texas Election Code § 2.053(b), the General Election to be held on Saturday, May 4, 2024 for the purpose of electing one (1) mayor and two (2) aldermen at-large to the Town Council shall not be held and is hereby canceled.

SECTION 4. POSTING OF ORDER. The attached Order of Cancellation (the "Order") is hereby approved and adopted, and a copy of the executed Order shall be posted during early voting and on election day in the time and manner prescribed by law.

SECTION 5. CERTIFICATES AND OATHS OF OFFICE. Pursuant to Texas Election Code § 2.053(e), a certificate of election shall be issued to the candidates in the same manner and same time as provided for a candidate elected at a general election. The candidates will be administered the Oath of Office upon commencement of the first regular or special meeting of the Town Council held on or after May 4, 2024 and will thereafter exercise the duties of said office.

SECTION 6. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

APPROVED and ADOPTED by the Town Council of the Town of New Hope, Collin County, Texas, on this 27th day of February, 2024.





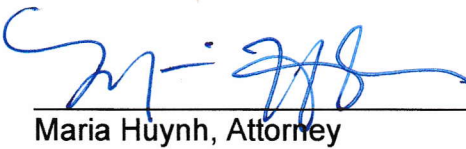
Andrew F. Reiting, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Jill Monson, Town Secretary



Maria Huynh, Attorney



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ORDER OF CANCELLATION
ORDEN DE CANCELACIÓN

The Town of New Hope hereby cancels the election scheduled to be held on Saturday, May 4, 2024 in accordance with Section 2.053(a) of the Texas Election Code. The following candidates have been certified as unopposed and are hereby elected as follows:

El Pueblo de New Hope por la presente cancela la elección que, de lo contrario se hubiera celebrado de el sabado, 4 de mayo de 2024 de conformidad, con la Sección 2.053(a) del Código de Elecciones de Texas. Los siguientes candidatos han sido certificados como candidatos únicos y por la presente quedan elegidos como se haya indicado a continuación:

Candidate (Candidato)


Office Sought (Cargo al que presenta candidatura)

Andy Reitinger
Kimberly Barrow


Mayor
Alderman

A copy of this order will be posted on Election Day at each polling place that would have been used in the election.

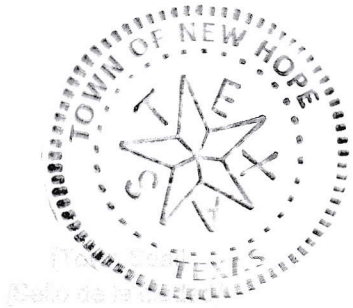
El Día de las Elecciones se exhibirá una copia de esta orden en todas las mesas electorales que seHubieran utilizado en la elección.



Andrew F. Reitinger, Mayor (Alcalde)



Jill Monson, Town Secretary (Secretaria del Pueblo)



February 27, 2024
Date of Adoption (Fecha de adopción)