

ORDINANCE NO. 2023-01

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF WOODLOCH TEXAS, DECLARING UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES IN THE SATURDAY, MAY 6th, 2023, GENERAL ELECTION, ELECTED TO OFFICE; CANCELING THE GENERAL ELECTION IN THE CITY OF THE TOWN OF WOODLOCH, TEXAS, FOR PURPOSE OF ELECTING THREE (3) ALDERMANS FOR POSITIONS 1, 2, AND 3; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING FOR AN IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the general city election was called for May 6th, 2023, for the purpose of electing an Alderman to Positions 1, 2 and 3 to the City Council; and

WHEREAS, the filing deadlines for placement on the ballot and list of write-in candidates has concluded; and

WHEREAS, the City Secretary for the Town Of Woodloch, Texas, certifies in writing that no person has made a declaration of write-in candidacy, and that the candidates on the ballot for Positions 1, 2, and 3 are unopposed for election to said offices; and

WHEREAS, under these circumstances Section 2.053 of the Texas Election Code, authorizes the City Council of the Town Of Woodloch, Texas, to declare the candidate elected to office, and cancel the election for office of Alderman in Positions 1, 2, and 3.

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

Section 1. That the findings set forth above are incorporated into the body of this Ordinance as if fully set forth herein.

Section 2. That the following candidates, unopposed in the May 6th, 2023, general city election, are declared elected to office, and shall be issued a certificate of election following the time the election would have been canvassed:

Office of Alderman Position 1	Jason Restrepo
Office of Alderman Position 2	Matthew J. Greening
Office of Alderman Position 3	Christopher R. Waddle


Section 3. That the May 6th, 2023 general city election is canceled for the purpose of electing an Alderman to Positions 1, 2 and 3, 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 general election.

Section 4. That 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, or sections of this Ordinance since the City Council would have enacted them without the invalid portion.

Section 5. That this Ordinance shall take effect upon its final passage, and it is so ordained.

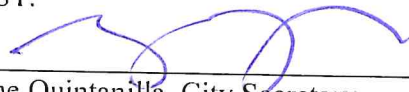
PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the Town Of Woodloch, Texas, on this 3rd day of April 2023

APPROVED:



Donald J. Nichols II, Mayor

ATTEST:



Marlene Quintanilla, City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM



Keith T. Gilbert, City Attorney