

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-R22

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BOERNE, TEXAS, POSTPONING THE GENERAL ELECTION SCHEDULED FOR MAY 2, 2020, FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING A CITY COUNCIL MEMBER FOR DISTRICT 3, TO THE NOVEMBER 3, 2020 UNIFORM ELECTION DATE; AND AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF A JOINT ELECTION CONTRACT FOR THE NOVEMBER 3, 2020 ELECTION

WHEREAS, in accordance with the general laws and Constitution of the State of Texas and the Charter of the City of Boerne, and pursuant to Resolution No. 2020-R01, a Municipal Election was ordered to be held on May 2, 2020, for the purpose of electing Council Members for District 1, 3, and 5; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 418.016 of the Texas Government Code, on March 18, 2020, the Governor of the State of Texas signed a proclamation suspending certain provisions of the Texas Election Code and the Texas Water Code to allow all local and political subdivisions that are utilizing the May 2, 2020 uniform election date to postpone their elections to the November 3, 2020 uniform election date; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Governor's proclamation authorizing the City of Boerne to postpone the May 2, 2020 election date, the City Council does by this Resolution exercise its authority to postpone the General Election ordered for May 2, 2020, for the purpose of electing a Council Member for District 3 to November 3, 2020;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BOERNE, TEXAS THAT:

Section 1. That the election previously ordered for May 2, 2020, for the City of Boerne, Texas, for the purpose of electing a City Council Member for District 3 is hereby postponed to November 3, 2020.

Section 2. That the candidate filings for the Municipal election for May 2, 2020 for the City of Boerne, Texas, for the purpose of electing a City Council Member for District 3 shall remain valid for the election to be held on November 3, 2020, and that the filing period for candidates will not be re-opened for the election to be held on November 3, 2020.

Section 3. That all annual applications for ballot by mail (ABBM) for voters that are voting by mail due to being over the age of 65 or due to disability will still be valid for the November 3, 2020, election; and that ABBMs for voters who submitted ABBMs based on expected absence from the county shall not be valid for the postponed November 3, 2020 election.

Section 4. That the voter registration deadline for the November 3, 2020, election is October 5, 2020, the deadline to submit an ABBM is October 23, 2020, and the dates for

early voting are October 19, 2020 through October 30, 2020.

Section 5. That the City Manager is authorized to negotiate and execute an election contract with Kendall County for the purpose of conducting the postponed election on November 3, 2020.

Section 6. This Resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage.

PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED this the ____ day of March, 2020.

APPROVED:

ATTEST:

Mayor

City Secretary