

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF WELLS, TEXAS, DECLARING EACH CANDIDATE FOR THE NOVEMBER 3, 2020, GENERAL ELECTION ELECTED TO OFFICE.

WHEREAS, in 2020, the Texas Legislature remanded the Election Code to permit the cancellation of an election if:

- 1) each candidate whose name is to appear on the ballot was eligible, and
- 2) no proposition is to appear on the ballot; and

WHEREAS the candidates on the ballot are eligible, no write-in candidates have filed to challenge them by the write-in deadline, and no proposition is to appear on the November 3, 2020 General Election ballot; and

WHEREAS, the election process is rendered active since voters will be able to cast a vote for all candidates on the ballot.

NOW, THEREFORE:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WELLS, TEXAS:

Section 1. The following candidates, who were elected in the November 3, 2020, general city election, are declared elected to office and shall be issued certificates of the election following the time the election would have been canvassed:

Mayor Tony McKnight  
Councilmember Billie Petty  
Councilmember Robert Kalka  
Councilmember EVA Alexander

Section 2. On November 3, 2020, the general election was held, and the city secretary is directed to cause a copy of this ordinance.

Section 3. It is declared to be in 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 4. This ordinance shall take effect upon its final passage, and it is so ordained.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 8<sup>th</sup> DAY OF NOVEMBER 9, 2020

  
MAYOR

ATTEST:  
  
CITY SECRETARY