

## RESOLUTION NO. 426-24

### **A RESOLUTION CANVASSING THE RETURNS AND DECLARING THE RESULTS OF THE MAY 04, 2024, GENERAL ELECTION OF THE CITY OF HONDO, TEXAS.**

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of Hondo, Texas called for a General Election for May 4, 2024 for the purpose of electing two members to the Hondo City Council for a three-year term, specifically Council Place 1 and Council Place 2; and

**WHEREAS**, the City held a General Election on May 04, 2024, for the purpose of electing a member to City Council Place 1 and a member to City Council Place 2 of the Hondo City Council for a three-year term to end in May 2027; and

**WHEREAS**, the names of the candidates were submitted, the election was held and conducted and the returns thereof were made, all as required by laws of the United States and the State of Texas, including particularly the Texas Election Code; together with all amendments and additions thereto; and

**WHEREAS**, it was found that the persons herein named received the following votes for said term of office on the Hondo City Council of the City of Hondo, Texas; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the City Charter and Texas Election Code, the City Council of the City of Hondo, Texas, convened on this the 13<sup>th</sup> day of May 2024, for the purpose of canvassing the vote in the general election held on May 04, 2024;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HONDO, TEXAS, THAT:**

**Section One. Canvass of Vote - General Election.**

(a) There came to be considered the returns of the general election held on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2024, for the purpose of electing a member to City Council Place 1 and a member to City Council Place 2, and it appearing from said returns, duly and legally made; that each of the candidates in said election received the following votes:

<b><u>COUNCIL BY PLACE:</u></b>		<b><u>VOTES CAST:</u></b>				
<b>Place 1</b>		<b>Absentee Voting</b>	<b>Early Voting</b>	<b>Election Day</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
Brett Williams		10	67	101	178	100%
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<b>Place 2</b>		<b>Absentee Voting</b>	<b>Early Voting</b>	<b>Election Day</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
Joe Claire		9	43	75	127	54.74%
Bobby Vela		5	41	59	105	45.26%

It is found, determined and declared by the City Council that on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2024, an election was duly called; that notice of said election was given in accordance with law, and that said election was held in accordance with law; and that Brett Williams was duly elected to City Council Place 1 and Joe Claire was duly elected to City Council Place 2. Said above named parties are hereby declared duly elected to said respective offices, subject to the taking of the oath of office as provided by the laws of the State of Texas.

**Section Three.** If any part or parts of this Resolution are found to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court having competent jurisdiction, then such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect the remaining parts hereof and such remaining parts shall remain in full force and effect, and to that extent this Resolution is considered severable.

**Section Four.** This Resolution will become effective immediately upon its passage by the Hondo City Council.

**CONSIDERED, PASSED and APPROVED**, this 13<sup>th</sup> day of May 2024, at a meeting of the City Council of the City of Hondo, Texas, at which a quorum was present and which was held in accordance with Chapter 551, Texas Government Code.

John McAnelly Jr.  
Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Rebekah Dolphus  
City Secretary

