

ORDINANCE NO. 2016-27

AN ORDINANCE ORDERING A GENERAL ELECTION FOR THE CITY OF LEAGUE CITY, TEXAS ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2016, TO ELECT PERSONS TO COUNCIL POSITIONS 3, 4 AND 5; ORDERING A RUNOFF ELECTION ON DECEMBER 13, 2016, IF NECESSARY

WHEREAS, the City of League City, Texas (the "City"), pursuant to the laws of the State of Texas and Article III, Section 2 of the Charter of League City, which provides that all elections shall be held in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas regulating the holding of municipal elections in accordance with the ordinances adopted by the City Council for the conduct of such elections; and

WHEREAS, by state law, Section 41.001 of the Texas Election Code, the uniform election date for the month of November 2016 falls on November 8, 2016, (the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November) and there is therefore required to be elected, on November 8, 2016, the following officials for the City:

Council Position 3, currently for a four-year term ending November 2020; and
Council Position 4, currently for a four-year term ending November 2020; and
Council Position 5, currently for a four-year term ending November 2020; and

WHEREAS, the laws of the State of Texas and Section 4 of Article II of the City Charter, as amended, provide for a Runoff Election as hereinafter described; and

WHEREAS, the present composition of the City Council is as follows:

<u>Position</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Date Elected</u>	<u>Term (years)</u>	<u>Date Term Expires</u>
Mayor	Pat Hallisey	March 2016		November 2018
Position #1	Dan Becker	November 2014	4	November 2018
Position #2	Hank Dugie	March 2016		November 2018
Position #3	Heidi Hansing	November 2012	3	November 2015
Position #4	Todd Kinsey	November 2012	3	November 2015
Position #5	Geri Bentley	November 2012	3	November 2015
Position #6	Keith Gross	December 2014	4	November 2018
Position #7	Nick Long	November 2014	4	November 2018

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined to proceed with the ordering of such general election for the purpose of electing persons to Council Position 3, Council Position 4 and Council Position 5 on Tuesday, November 8, 2016, which is a uniform election date.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEAGUE CITY, TEXAS, as follows:

Section 1. The facts and opinions in the preamble to this Ordinance are true and correct.

Section 2. The attached Election Order (Exhibit "A") is herein adopted, which declares and orders that a general election (the "Election") be held in and throughout the City of League City on Tuesday, November 8, 2016, and a Runoff Election be held on December 13, 2016, if necessary, to elect persons to Council Position 3, Council Position 4 and Council Position 5, for a four-year term for each such position.

Section 3. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are herein repealed to the extent of the conflict only.

APPROVED first reading the 26th day of July, 2016.

APPROVED second reading the _____ day of August, 2016.

PASSED and ADOPTED the _____ day of August, 2016.

PAT HALLISEY,
Mayor

ATTEST:

DIANA M. STAPP,
City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

NGHIEM V. DOAN,
City Attorney