

**ORDINANCE NO. 2017-06**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MEADOWS PLACE, TEXAS, DECLARING UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES IN THE MAY 6, 2017, GENERAL ELECTION, ELECTED TO OFFICE AND CANCELING THE ELECTION; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with law, the General City Election was called for May 6, 2017 for the purpose of electing Alderman Place Number VI and Alderman Place Number V to serve on the City Council in the City of Meadows Place; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Secretary has certified in writing (Exhibit A) that no person has made a declaration of write-in candidacy, and that each candidate on the ballot is unopposed for election to office; and

**WHEREAS**, under these circumstances, Subchapter C, Chapter 2, Election Code, authorizes the City Council to declare the candidates elected to office and cancel the election, **NOW, THEREFORE,**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MEADOWS PLACE, TEXAS THAT:**

**Section 1.** The following candidates, who are unopposed in the Saturday, May 6, 2017, General City Election, are declared elected to office, and shall be issued certificates of election following the time the election would have been canvassed;

**Alderman, Place Number 4  
Alderman, Place Number 5**

**Terry J. Henley  
Kelle K. Mills**

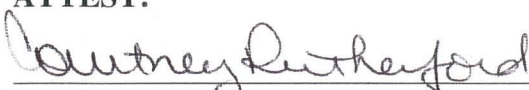
**Section 2.** The May 6, 2017 General City Election is canceled, and the City Secretary is directed to cause a copy of the ordinance to be posted on election day at each polling place used or that would have been used in the election.

**Section 3.** 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 4.** This ordinance shall take effect upon its final passage, and it is so ordained.

**PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED** this 28<sup>th</sup> day of March 2017.

**ATTEST:**

  
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Courtney Ruthford, City Secretary

  
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Terry Henley, Mayor Pro-Tem

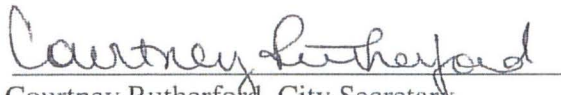


## CERTIFICATION OF UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES BY THE CITY SECRETARY

I, Courtney Rutherford, certify that I am the City Secretary of the City of Meadows Place and the authority responsible for preparing the ballot for the May 6, 2017 City election. I further certify that no person has made a declaration of write-in candidacy, and all of the following candidates are unopposed:

### List offices and names of candidates:

Office	Candidate(s)
Alderman, Place Number 4	Terry J. Henley
Alderman, Place Number 5	Kelle K. Mills

  
Courtney Rutherford, City Secretary  
City of Meadows Place

Dated this 24<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2017

