

ORDINANCE NO. O-2019-24

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TYLER, TEXAS, CANCELING DISTRICT SIX, CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL ELECTION SCHEDULED FOR MAY 4, 2019, AND DECLARING THE UNOPPOSED CANDIDATE FOR SINGLE MEMBER DISTRICT SIX ELECTED TO OFFICE; AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, a City Council Special Election is currently scheduled for May 4, 2019; and

WHEREAS, no proposition is to appear on the ballot for the May 4, 2019 Special Election for District Six; and

WHEREAS, the City Clerk of the City of Tyler has certified in writing that the candidate for City Council District Six is unopposed and that no write-in candidates have filed to be placed on the list of write-in candidates; and

WHEREAS, Texas Election Code Sections 2.051 through 2.054 authorize the City Council to declare each unopposed candidate elected to office and to cancel the special election for said District;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TYLER, TEXAS:

PART 1. That Criss Sudduth is hereby declared the duly elected City Council member for District Six to serve for a two-year term of office, to begin May 4, 2019.

PART 2. That the City Council Special Election for District Six scheduled for May 4, 2019, is hereby canceled.

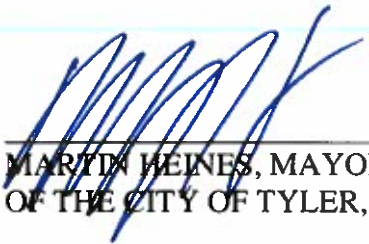
PART 3. That a copy of this ordinance shall be posted on May 4, 2019 at each polling place that would have been used in the special election, and said notice shall be in both English and Spanish.

PART 4. That after May 4, 2019, a certificate of election shall be issued to the above named unopposed candidate for District Six in the same manner as provided for the candidate elected at the special election.

PART 5. That upon issuance of a certificate of election, the above named unopposed candidate for District Six shall be sworn into office in the same manner provided for the candidate elected at the special election.

PART 6: That this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the 29th day of March, 2019.


MARTIN HEINES, MAYOR
OF THE CITY OF TYLER, TEXAS

ATTEST:

APPROVED:


CASSANDRA BRAGER, CITY CLERK


STEVEN M. KEAN,
DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY



To The Tyler City Council:

CERTIFICATION OF UNOPPOSED STATUS

I, Cassandra Brager, City Clerk of the City of Tyler, Texas, hereby certify that when the deadline of 5:00 p.m., March 25, 2019, passed only the following unopposed Candidate had filed an "Application For a Place On The Ballot" and no one had filed a "Declaration Of Write-in Candidacy" for the Tyler City Council Special Election scheduled to be held May 4, 2019.

City Council District Six – Criss Sudduth

This unopposed status and the fact that no proposition is scheduled to appear on the ballot for District Six will permit the Tyler City Council to take advantage of Texas Election Code Sections 2.051 - .054, which allow the City Council to cancel the Special Election and declare the unopposed Candidate elected to office.

DONE THIS THE 29 day of March, 2019



Cassandra Brager
Cassandra Brager, City Clerk