

ORDINANCE NO. 127

AN ORDINANCE BY THE TOWN COMMISSION OF THE TOWN OF WILLOW PARK, TEXAS, CALLING AN ELECTION FOR THE ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR SAID TOWN AND FOR CONSIDERATION OF THE ADOPTION OF A LOCAL SALES TAX FOR SAID TOWN.

WHEREAS, the terms of office of the present Mayor and Commissioners are about to expire, and

WHEREAS, Article 1066c, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes (Acts 1967, 60th Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 36, Page 62) authorizes the governing body of any Town in Texas to call an election for the purpose of adopting a local sales and use tax within such Town;

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COMMISSION OF THE TOWN OF WILLOW PARK, TEXAS:

That an election be held on April 4, 1970, said date being the first Saturday in April, for the purposes of:

Electing a Mayor and two Commissioners for the Town of Willow Park, Texas, to serve until the next regular election as provided by the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, and for

Considering the adoption of a local sales and use tax within the Town of Willow Park, Texas.

THAT said election shall be held at the Club House on Ranch House Road in said Town of Willow Park, Texas, and J. Howard Dill is hereby appointed Presiding Judge of Said election, and said Judge shall select two clerks to assist in holding said election, and one clerk shall be designated by said judge to be the Alternative Presiding Judge. The polling place shall be open from 7:00 A.M. until 7:00 P.M.

THAT the manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general laws of the State of Texas regulating general elections, except as otherwise provided by the statutes herein referred to, and by the requirements of Article 1066c, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes, and only qualified voters who have resided in said Town for six (6) months preceding the date of the election shall be allowed to vote in said election.

THAT the ballots of said election shall conform to the requirements of Chapter 6 of the Election Code of the State of Texas, and to the requirements of Article 1066c, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes (Acts 1967, 60th Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 36,

Page 62) specifically concerning the voting on the local sales and use tax. Regarding the matter of the adoption of the local sales and use tax, there shall be submitted to the voters, for action thereupon, the following instructions and propositions:

INSTRUCTIONS: Place an "X" in the square beside the statement indicating the way you wish to vote.

- FOR adoption of a one percent (1%) local sales and use tax within the Town.
- AGAINST adoption of a one percent (1%) local sales and use tax within the Town.

THAT the ordinance and resolution concerning the April 1970 elections within the Town of Willow Park, Texas, as passed and approved by this Town Commission on January 19, 1970, are hereby repealed and superseded by this election ordinance.

THAT the fact that it is essential to the general welfare of the Town of Willow Park, Texas, to simultaneously conduct the election of officers for the Town of Willow Park and the election on the adoption of a local sales tax for said Town, creates an emergency and an imperative public need demanding that any and all rules requiring ordinances to be read or passed at more than one separate meeting be suspended, and that this ordinance take effect immediately upon and after its passage, and it is so ordained.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this the 21st day of February, 1970

Mayor, Town of Willow Park: R. E. Darling

ATTEST: Town Secretary Edna Grace