

CITY OF WILLOW PARK

ORDINANCE NO. 681-14

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR CANVASSING AND DECLARING THE RESULTS OF THE GENERAL ELECTION CONDUCTED MAY 10, 2014 FOR THE ELECTION OF CERTAIN MUNICIPAL OFFICERS FOR THE CITY OF WILLOW PARK, COUNCIL MEMBERS PLACE 3, PLACE 4, AND PLACE 5; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND, PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Willow Park, TX (“City”) is a municipal corporation organized under the laws of the State of Texas; and

WHEREAS, it is the intent of the City of Willow Park to protect the health, safety, welfare and well being of its citizens; and

WHEREAS, the City Council consists of a Mayor and five council members elected according to a place system for staggered two year terms of office; the terms of office for council member Place No. 3, council member Place No. 4, and council member Place No. 5, will expire in May 2014; and

WHEREAS, Municipal Code Chapter 1, *General Provisions*, Article 1.300 *Municipal Election* provides that “all elections pertaining to municipal affairs shall be governed by the election laws of the State of Texas.” and,

WHEREAS, the general election for certain municipal officers of the City was ordered to be held on May 10, 2014 pursuant to Ordinance 677-14 adopted on February 11, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the election so ordered for the City was ordered not later than 62 days before the election day pursuant to §3.005(a), TEX. ELECTION CODE; and,

WHEREAS, May 10, 2014 is the second Saturday in May, which is prescribed as a uniform election date under §41.001 TEX. ELECTION CODE; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has investigated all matters pertaining to the general election and has determined that notice of said general election was given as required by law, and said elections were duly and legally held on May 10, 2014, in conformity with the election laws of the State of Texas, and the Voting Rights Act of 1965, and the results of said general election has been certified and returned to the City Council by the proper judges and clerks thereof; and

WHEREAS, on May 10, 2014, the returns of the general election were duly made by the Parker County Election Division and filed with the City; and

WHEREAS, the “Canvass Report for City of Willow Park” for the May 10, 2014 general election has been presented by the Mayor to the Council and is attached hereto as Exhibit “A” and which is incorporated herein.

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

SECTION 1. RECITALS

All of the above precatory statements are true and correct and incorporated herein for all purposes.

SECTION 2. ELECTION RETURN CANVASS

The tabulation of votes cast for the office of Council Members Place No. 3, 4, and 5 in the General Election held on May 10, 2014, made and certified to by the City Secretary of the City of Willow Park, is hereby adopted as the official tabulation filed and recorded in the official records of the City of Willow Park as the Official Canvass of said General Election. The Official Canvass of the returns of said general election reflects the following results:

Council Member, Place 3
 Greg Runnebaum 201
 Amy Podany 75

Council Member, Place 4
 James E. Mullins 151
 Dan Stalling 117

Council Member, Place 5
 Tim Griffiths 220

SECTION 3. SEVERABILITY

If for any reason any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase or provision of this Ordinance shall be held invalid, it shall not affect any valid provisions of this or any other Ordinance of the City of Willow Park to which these rules and regulations relate.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance shall take effect from and after the date of its adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this ^{15th} 16th day of May, 2014.

/s/ R.C. Neverdousky
 Mayor

ATTEST:

/s/ Candice Scott
 City Secretary/Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

/s/ [Signature]
 City Attorney

The Willow Park City Council in acting on Ordinance No. 681-14 did on the ^{15th} 16th day of May, 2014, vote as follows:

	<u>FOR</u>	<u>AGAINST</u>
Richard Neverdousky, Mayor	_____	_____
Brian Thornburg, Place 1	_____✓_____	_____
Gene Martin, Place 2	_____✓_____	_____
Amy Podany, Place 3	_____✓_____	_____
Dan Stalling, Place 4	_____✓_____	_____
Bernard R. Suchocki, Place 5	_____✓_____	_____

**Canvass Report — Total Voters — Official
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 Precincts Reporting 42 of 42 = 100.00%

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Total Number of Voters : 3,329 of 0 = 0.00%

Council Member Place 3 City Willow Park

Precinct	Absentee Ballots Cast	Early Ballots Cast	Election Ballots Cast	Total Ballots Cast	Registered Voters	Percent Turnout	Greg Runnebaum	Amy Podany	Totals
BS8	18	137	79	234	0	00.00%	165	61	226
BS19	3	31	18	52	0	00.00%	34	14	48
BS31	0	0	2	2	0	00.00%	2	0	2
Totals	21	168	99	288	0		201	75	276

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Precincts Reporting 42 of 42 = 100.00%

Total Number of Voters : 3,329 of 0 = 0.00%

Council Member Place 4 City Willow Park

Precinct	Absentee Ballots Cast	Early Ballots Cast	Election Ballots Cast	Total Ballots Cast	Registered Voters	Percent Turnout	Dan Stalling	James F. Mullins Jr.	Totals
BS8	18	137	79	234	0	00.00%	89	129	218
BS19	3	31	18	52	0	00.00%	28	21	49
BS31	0	0	2	2	0	00.00%	0	1	1
Totals	21	168	99	288	0		117	151	268

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Council Member Place 5 City Willow Park

Precinct	Absentee Ballots Cast	Early Ballots Cast	Election Ballots Cast	Total Ballots Cast	Registered Voters	Percent Turnout	Tim "Griff"	Totals
BS8	18	137	79	234	0	00.00%	177	177
BS19	3	31	18	52	0	00.00%	41	41
BS31	0	0	2	2	0	00.00%	2	2
Totals	21	168	99	288	0		220	220