

RESOLUTION NO. 4-1987

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS ORDERING AN ELECTION TO BE HELD IN SAID CITY ON APRIL 4, 1987; PROVIDING FOR THE ELECTION OF PERSONS TO SERVE AS MAYOR AND TO SERVE IN PLACES III AND IV ON THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE; APPOINTING VARIOUS ELECTION OFFICIALS AND FIXING THEIR RATE OF COMPENSATION; PROVIDING METHOD OF APPLICATION OF PLACEMENT OF CANDIDATE'S NAME ON BALLOT; AND PROVIDING A FILING DEADLINE FOR ALL CANDIDATES.

WHEREAS, it is now necessary to hold an election in the City of Abilene, Texas, to elect persons to fill the positions of Mayor and places III and IV on the City Council of Abilene, Texas; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Abilene, Texas, is required by law to hold such election on April 4, 1987; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS:

SECTION 1: That an election be, and the same is hereby ordered to be held within the jurisdiction of the City of Abilene, Texas, on the 4th day of April, 1987, pursuant to the laws of the State of Texas, the Charter of the City of Abilene, Texas, and a contract between the City and Taylor County for election services. Such election shall be held for the following purposes:

To fill the positions of Mayor, Councilmember Place III, and Councilmember Place IV on the City Council of the City of Abilene, Texas.

The election ordered hereby shall be conducted as an at-large election. The candidate receiving a majority of the votes cast for his respective office shall be declared elected. If any candidate shall not receive a majority of the votes cast for his place or office, a runoff election is hereby ordered for such

office on May 5, 1987, as provided by the Charter of the City of Abilene. Candidates for all offices shown above shall be voted for and elected separately. Councilmember Place III shall be filled by a person residing north of the present mainline of the Texas and Pacific Railway Company in the City of Abilene, and Councilmember Place IV shall be filled by a person residing south of such mainline tract of the Texas and Pacific Railway Company in the City of Abilene. The candidate for mayor may be a resident of any part of the City of Abilene.

Votes cast in such election shall be separately tallied, and separate tally sheets, polling lists, and other election forms and records shall be maintained and kept by City authorities.

SECTION 2: Candidates elected to the City offices stated above in Section 1 shall hold said office as may be provided by the Charter of the City of Abilene, Texas, for a period of three (3) years from the first meeting of the City Council following their election or until their successor has been duly elected and qualified.

SECTION 3: All requests by candidates to have their names placed upon the respective ballots shall be in writing, shall designate the office filed for and shall be signed by the candidate. Such application shall be filed, not less than forty-five (45) whole days prior to the date of said election, with the City Secretary of the City of Abilene, Texas. In addition to said application, all candidates shall make such other filings as may be required by law.

SECTION 4: The following persons are designated as Presiding Judges and Alternate Presiding Judges for their respective voting precincts:

<u>CITY PRECINCTS</u>	<u>PRESIDING JUDGES</u>	<u>ALTERNATE PRESIDING JUDGES</u>
A	Norman Weaver	Kermit Klaerner
B	Ray McKelvain	Ruby Langston
C	Carol Cost	Lawrence Chaney
D	Mel Hailey	Neal Coates
E	Floyd Hickman	Lewis S. Thomas
F	York Clamann	Andrea Clamann
G	George Erwin	William Stevens
H	Lavern Landers	Sybie Saverance
I	Tony Held	Pat Held
J	Claire Johnson	Doris Church

Central Counting Station:

Randy Dale, Presiding Judge
Susan Robinson, Alternate Presiding Judge
Pauline Pitman, Manager Central Counting
Jo Cook, Tabulation Supervisor

Special Canvassing Board:

Randy Dale
Susan Robinson
Mary Stovall
Shirley Glandon (Alternate)

The maximum number of clerks for each voting precinct shall be four (4), and each judge shall attempt to appoint at least one (1) clerk fluent both in English and Spanish.

The rate of compensation shall be five and 00/100ths dollars per hour (\$5.00/hr); provided, however, that each presiding judge delivering returns of the election shall be paid an additional twenty-five and 00/100th dollars (\$25.00) for that service.

Absentee ballots shall be counted by the Special Canvassing Board, as provided by law.

SECTION 5: That this resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage, as indicated below.

ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Abilene, Texas,
this the 22 day of January, 1987.

ATTEST:

Patricia Hancock
CITY SECRETARY

David Stubbeman
MAYOR

APPROVED:

Jonathan Graham
CITY ATTORNEY