

RESOLUTION NO. 39-2006

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS, CANVASSING THE RETURNS AND DECLARING THE RESULTS OF THE SPECIAL ELECTION HELD IN THE CITY OF ABILENE ON NOVEMBER 7, 2006.

WHEREAS, on the 24th day of August, 2006, the City Council of the City of Abilene, by proper resolution and proclamation ordered a Special Election to be held on November 7, 2006 to allow voters to recommend whether or not the Council should adopt an ordinance to ban smoking in all public places and places of employment in the City of Abilene, and did approve the first reading of an Ordinance ordering a November 7, 2006 Special Election to allow the voters to consider amending sections of the Charter of the City of Abilene to comply with state law; said elections to be held in conjunction with the Taylor County General and State Gubernatorial Election, and;

WHEREAS, on the 28th day of August, 2006, the City Council of the City of Abilene, by proper resolution and proclamation ordered a Special Election to be held on November 7, 2006 to allow the voters to consider a Disabled or Senior (sixty-five (65) years of age or older) Tax Freeze, and did approve the second and final reading of an Ordinance ordering a November 7, 2006 Special Election to allow the voters to consider amending sections of the Charter of the City of Abilene to comply with state law; said elections to be held in conjunction with the Taylor County General and State Gubernatorial Election, and;

WHEREAS, the City Council has duly canvassed the returns of such elections and has ascertained the results thereof; now therefore:

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

PART 1: That the City Council of the City of Abilene finds and declares the results of the Special Election as per the attached Exhibit "A"; and

PART 2: It appearing that the smoking ban measure passed; the Disabled or Senior (sixty-five (65) years of age or older) Tax Freeze measure passed; amendments to sections of the Charter of the City of Abilene passed as follows: Proposition No.1 amending Section 9, Vacancies; Proposition No. 2 amending Section 24, Annual Elections; Proposition No. 3 amending Section 27, Canvassing elections and declaring results; Proposition No. 4 amending Section 28, Runoff elections; and Proposition No. 5 amending Section 122, Public meetings, and;

PART 3: That this resolution shall take effect immediately from and after its passage.

ADOPTED this 16th day of November 2006.

ATTEST:



CITY SECRETARY



MAYOR

APPROVED:



CITY ATTORNEY

To allow voters to recommend whether or not the Council should adopt an ordinance to ban smoking in all public places and places of employment.
To allow the voters to consider a Disabled or Senior (sixty-five (65) years of age or older) Tax Freeze

CHARTER OF THE CITY OF ABILENE:

- Proposition No. 1: To amend Section 9, Vacancies
- Proposition No. 2: To amend Section 24, Annual Elections
- Proposition No. 3: To amend Section 27, Canvassing elections and declaring results
- Proposition No. 4: To amend Section 28, Runoff elections
- Proposition No. 5: To amend Section 122, Public meetings

ELECTION RESULTS:

SMOKING BAN

DISABLED OR SENIOR (SIXTY-FIVE (65) YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER) TAX FREEZE

- PROPOSITION NO. 1**
- PROPOSITION NO. 2**
- PROPOSITION NO. 3**
- PROPOSITION NO. 4**
- PROPOSITION NO. 5**

VOTES CAST:

- FOR: 15,326** **AGAINST: 7,007**
- FOR: 17,427** **AGAINST: 4,491**
- FOR: 18,033** **AGAINST: 1,785**
- FOR: 17,302** **AGAINST: 1,664**
- FOR: 17,305** **AGAINST: 1,712**
- FOR: 17,554** **AGAINST: 1,500**
- FOR: 18,569** **AGAINST: 1,017**

VOTER TURNOUT

Precinct	Early	101	102	103	104	105	106	201	202	203	204	205	301	302	303	304	305	306	401	402	403	404	405	406	407
Smoking Ban:																									
For	8406	1100	563	627	1087	397	194	274	410	465	286	349	661	822	231	763	981	1829	230	974	790	509	405	1049	330
Against	3575	560	386	361	360	245	77	193	333	280	96	275	335	382	139	301	453	576	139	257	235	295	229	361	139
Disabled or Senior (sixty-five (65) Years of Age or Older) Tax Freeze																									
For	9598	1368	728	802	1087	514	207	360	585	610	300	500	794	952	284	834	1089	1834	290	960	828	603	500	1040	358
Against	2202	271	212	183	343	111	56	99	148	122	76	115	181	231	82	202	321	523	69	240	174	183	119	328	102
Proposition No. 1:																									
For	9717	1360	763	795	1212	544	228	363	548	586	302	505	792	953	303	869	1189	1945	272	958	838	642	506	1163	397
Against	899	132	89	106	89	50	21	60	95	77	33	56	84	95	39	79	106	141	50	73	61	73	59	86	31

Precinct	101	102	103	104	105	106	201	202	203	204	205	301	302	303	304	305	306	401	402	403	404	406	407	
Early					108	107														Jones C. Prec. 6/7				

Proposition No. 2:

For	9285	1279	729	760	1152	513	223	346	533	576	294	481	766	914	287	837	1142	1855	264	926	818	623	478	1126	380
Against	858	138	77	94	80	54	14	55	89	77	28	61	81	85	34	67	100	145	37	64	54	62	59	77	32

Proposition No. 3:

For	9330	1288	738	766	1165	512	219	333	535	581	300	480	751	911	287	844	1129	1853	274	925	799	637	488	1118	372
Against	861	154	70	95	75	54	20	58	91	73	23	62	87	92	39	67	111	150	39	55	68	59	56	80	34

Proposition No. 4:

For	9457	1320	745	779	1175	534	228	343	550	575	297	488	759	924	290	860	1159	1858	287	920	822	624	502	1135	380
Against	762	131	63	88	68	41	11	49	79	77	23	51	80	82	33	55	86	123	30	62	51	73	42	73	29

Proposition No. 5:

For	9960	1397	791	822	1228	564	236	367	576	624	317	534	827	986	306	909	1220	1952	294	989	852	659	526	1189	404
Against	530	88	45	60	50	26	6	39	63	40	12	25	44	53	24	42	61	89	26	38	36	48	32	55	15