

**CERTIFICATION OF UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES FOR
OTHER POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS (NOT COUNTY)
CERTIFICACIÓN DE CANDIDATOS ÚNICOS
PARA OTRAS SUBDIVISIONES POLITICAS (NO EL CONDADO)**

To: Presiding Officer of Governing Body
Al: Presidente de la entidad gobernante

As the authority responsible for having the official ballot prepared, I hereby certify that the following candidates are unopposed for election to office for the election scheduled to be held on May 6, 2023

Como autoridad a cargo de la preparación de la boleta de votación oficial, por la presente certifico que los siguientes candidatos son candidatos únicos para elección para un cargo en la elección que se llevará a cabo el 06 de Mayo 2023

List offices and names of candidates:
Lista de cargos y nombres de los candidatos:

Office(s) Cargo(s)

Councilmember District #2
Councilmember District #4

Candidate(s) Candidato(s)

Helena Hernandez
Donald B. Dzuik



Signature (Firma)

Veronica Butler

Printed name (Nombre en letra de molde)

City Secretary

Title (Puesto)

02/28/2023

Date of signing (Fecha de firma)

(Seal) (sello)



See reverse side for instructions
(Instrucciones en el reverso)

ORDINANCE NO. 2023-004

AN ORDINANCE DECLARING UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES FOR THE OFFICES OF CITY COUNCILMEMBER PLACE 2, CITY COUNCILMEMBER PLACE 4, AS ELECTED; CANCELING MAY 6, 2023 MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS FOR CITY COUNCILMEMBER PLACE 2 AND CITY COUNCILMEMBER PLACE 4; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND SETTING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Karnes City, Texas adopted Resolution No. 2023-003 ordering the May General Election to be held on May 6, 2023, for the purpose of electing City Mayor, City Councilmember Place #2, and City Councilmember Place #4, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Sections 143.007 and 146.054, Texas Election Code, the deadline for filing applications for a place on the ballot and declaration of write-in candidacy for the City's general election have expired; and

WHEREAS, the City Secretary, in accordance with Section 2.052, Texas Election code, has certified to the City Council that the following candidates are unopposed for election to the office in the general election to be held on May 6, 2023:

COUNCILMEMBER PLACE 2
COUNCILMEMBER PLACE 4

Helena Hernandez
Donald Dzuik

WHEREAS, Election Code Section 2.053(a) provides authority for the City Council to declare the unopposed candidates as elected to office and cancel the election, and provides that the order or ordinance so declaring must be posted on election day.

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

Section 1. The facts and matters set forth in the recitals of this Ordinance are hereby found to be true and correct.

Section 2. In accordance with Section 2.053(a), Texas Election Code, the following unopposed candidates are hereby declared duly elected to the respective offices for a term of three years, and shall be issued a certificate of election following the date on which the general election for Councilmembers was to have been held:

Helena Hernandez, Councilmember District 2
Donald Dzuik, Councilmember District 4

Section 3. Pursuant to Section 2.053(b), Texas Election code, the regular municipal election for Councilmember District #2, and Councilmember District #4, for May 6, 2024, is hereby canceled.

Section 4. The City Secretary is hereby directed to post a copy of this Ordinance on Election Day, same being May 6, 2023, at all polling places that would have been used in such election.

Section 5. Term of office for the unopposed Councilmembers shall commence no earlier than on May 6, 2023, after the Oath of Office has been administered and executed per Sec. 22.006, Local Government Code.


Section 6. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 7. Should any section, paragraph, sentence, clause, phrase or word of this ordinance be declared unconstitutional or invalid for any purpose by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder of this ordinance shall not be affected thereby, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable.

Section 8. It is hereby found and determined that the meeting at which this ordinance was passed was open to the public as required by Section 551.001 et seq., Texas Government Code, and that advance public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given.

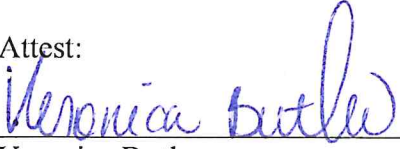
Section 9. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

PRESENTED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KARNES CITY, TEXAS THIS 28th DAY OF FEBRUARY 2023.



Leroy Skloss
Mayor

Attest:



Veronica Butler
Interim City Manager/City Secretary

