

**ORDINANCE NO. 2024-02**

**AN ORDINANCE DECLARING UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES IN THE MAY 4<sup>TH</sup>, 2024 GENERAL CITY ELECTION, ELECTED TO OFFICE; CANCELLING THE ELECTION; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, the General City Election was called for May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2024 for the purpose of electing members to the city council; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Secretary has certified in writing that there is no proposition on the ballot, that no person has made a declaration of write-in candidacy, and that each candidate on the ballot is unopposed for election to office; and

**WHEREAS**, under these circumstances, Subchapter C, Chapter 2, Election Code, authorizes the City Council to declare the candidates elected to the office and cancel the election;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF THROCKMORTON, TEXAS:**


Section 1. The following candidates, who are unopposed in the May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2024 General City Election, are declared elected to office, and shall be issued certificates of election following the time the election would have been canvassed:


- Place 3- Cathey V. Lee
- Place 4- Lester D. Moses
- Place 5- Judy J. Jackson

Section 2. The May 4th, 2024, General City Election is cancelled, and the City Secretary is directed to cause a copy of this ordinance to be posted on election day at the polling place that would have been used in the election.

Section 3. It is declared to be the intent of the City Council that the phrases, clause, sentence, paragraph, or sections of this ordinance are severable, and if any phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph, or section of this ordinance is declared invalid by the judgment or decree of a court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity shall not affect any of the remaining phrases, clauses sentences, paragraphs, or sections of this ordinance since the city council would have enacted them without the invalid portion.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect upon its final passage, and it is so ordained. March 12<sup>th</sup>, 2024.



  
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Mayor Will Carroll

Attest:   
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Angie Scarlett-City Secretary