

CITY OF BLANCO, TEXAS

GENERAL ELECTION CANVASS OF RETURNS

ORDINANCE NO. 2022-O-004

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLANCO, TEXAS, CANVASSING RETURNS AND DECLARING RESULTS OF THE GENERAL ELECTION, HELD ON MAY 7, 2022, FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING THREE (3) CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS.

WHEREAS, On January 8, 2022, the City Council ordered that a General Election, , be held on the 7th day of May 2022, for the purpose of electing three (3) City Council Members; and

WHEREAS, Notice of this election was duly published in the Blanco County News on April 13, 2022, and a copy of the notice was posted at City Hall; and

WHEREAS, This election was duly and legally held on May 7, 2022, in conformity with the election laws of the State of Texas, and the results of the election have been certified and returned by the proper judges and clerks; and

WHEREAS, It appears to the Council, and the Council finds, that the election was in all aspects lawfully held; and

WHEREAS, It appears to the Council, and the Council finds, that the tabulation of the results of the election is correct.

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

SECTION 1. The General Election of May 7, 2022, was duly called, notice of the said election was given and was held in accordance with the law.

SECTION 2. The tabulation of votes cast in the General Election held on May 7, 2022, for the purpose of electing three (3) City Council Members, a copy of which is attached to and made a part of this ordinance is adopted as the official tabulation of the votes cast at the election, and the tabulation will be filed and recorded in the official records of the City of Blanco, as the official canvass of the election.

SECTION 3. The official canvass of the returns of the election reflects the following:

A. For the positions of three (3) City Council Members, the following candidates received votes as follows:

	<u>Votes Cast</u>
Deda Divine	93
Mike Smith	134
Ryan Moses	60
Rodney Thraikill	72

B. From said returns, duly and legally made, that there were 359 votes cast, which are valid legal votes and 186 ballots cast.

SECTION 4. From said returns, the candidate receiving the top highest votes cast in said election, the following candidates receiving the top three (3) highest votes cast in said election, the following candidates are duly elected as Council Members for the City of Blanco, Texas:

Mike Smith, Place 2
Rodney Thraikill, Place 3
Deda Divine, Place 5

The above-named persons hereby are duly elected at said election shall take their respective offices upon their qualification therefore, as provided by the laws of the State of Texas.

SECTION 5. The Mayor of the City of Blanco is authorized to execute, and the City Secretary is authorized to attest this Ordinance on behalf of the City Council. The Mayor is further authorized to do all other things legal and necessary in connection with the holding and consummation of the Election.

SECTION 6. This Ordinance is effective immediately upon its passage and approval.

SECTION 7. A quorum of the City Council was present at the meeting at which this Ordinance was adopted. The meeting was open to the public and public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code.

PASSED & APPROVED this, the 10 day of May, 2022, by a vote of 5 ayes, 0 nays, 0 abstentions of the City Council of the City of Blanco, Texas.

Rachel Lumpee
Rachel Lumpee, Mayor

ATTEST:

Laurie Cassidy
Laurie Cassidy, City Secretary



Precinct No. (Núm. de Precincto)	Authority Conducting Election (Autoridad Administrando la Elección)	Date of Election (Fecha de Elección)	Type of Election (Tipo de Elección)
---	City of Blanco	May 7, 2022	General

RETURN SHEET

(PAGINA DE DATOS SOBRE EL RESULTADO DE LA ELECCIÓN)

Name of Candidate (or "FOR" and "AGAINST") (Nombre del candidato) (o "A FAVOR" y "EN CONTRA")	Office Sought or Proposition (Puesto oficial solicitado o Proposición)	Number of votes received (Número de votos recibidos)
Deda Divine	City Council	93
Mike Smith	City Council	134
Ryan Moses	City Council	60
Rodney Thrallkill	City Council	72

Total number of voters who voted as indicated by poll list.
(Número total de votantes que votaron según la lista de votantes.) 186 -MDG

I, the undersigned, the presiding judge for the above described election held at the above designated election precinct, do hereby certify that the above return is a true and correct return for said election.
(Yo, el abajo firmado juez presidente de la elección señalada arriba que se llevo a cabo en el precinto electoral designado arriba, por lo presente certifico que los datos de arriba son los resultados verdaderos y correctos de dicha elección.)

DATED this the 7 day of May, 2022.
(FECHA este día 7 de Mayo, 2022.)
Martha D. Mossell
Presiding Judge (Juez Presidente)