

## RESOLUTION NO. 2026-01-08

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLARENDON, TEXAS, CALLING THE MAY 2, 2026, GENERAL ELECTION OF THREE ALDERMEN FOR TWO-YEAR TERMS.

WHEREAS, as the regular election for the City Council of the City of Clarendon as set forth by the Texas Election Code is required to be held on May 2, 2026, at which time the voters will elect citizens to fill the Office of three (3) Aldermen for two-year terms.

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to conduct joint elections pursuant to the provisions of the Texas Election Code, and as established in a joint election agreement for election services with the Donley County Clerk, serving as the Joint Election Officer.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CLARENDON, TEXAS, THAT:

Section 1: Unless one or more of the entities qualify under provisions of the Texas Election Code to cancel their election, the City of Clarendon shall hold a joint election, per the aforesaid joint election agreement for election services, on Saturday, May 2, 2026, for the purpose of electing members of the City Council.

Section 2: An election is hereby called to elect the Office of three (3) Aldermen, to a term that expires in May 2028. Aldermen will serve until their successors are duly elected and qualified. Such election shall be held at the Donley County Annex, 220 W. 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Clarendon, Texas on the second day of May 2026, from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m.

Section 3: Vicky Tunnell, Donley County Clerk/Joint Election Officer, is hereby appointed as Early Voting Clerk. Applications for ballot by mail must be mailed to P.O. Drawer U, Clarendon, Texas 79226. Attention: Vicky Tunnell, Early Voting Clerk, and received no later than close of business on Tuesday, April 22, 2026.

Section 4: Early voting shall be conducted at the Donley County Annex, 220 W. 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Clarendon, Texas.

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday between the hours of 7:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. beginning on April 20, 2026, and ending on April 28, 2026.

Section 5: Notice of said election shall be given by: (1) publishing notice of election, in English and Spanish, at least once, on or before the 30<sup>th</sup> day, April 2, 2026, nor later than the 10<sup>th</sup> day, April 22, 2026, before election day, in a newspaper of general circulation in said City; and 2) not later than the 21<sup>st</sup> day before election day, April 11, 2026, by posting notice of election, in English and Spanish, on the City's location for posting notices of the meetings of the Clarendon City Council.

Section 6: The notice shall include the way and manner of holding said election, the polling places, the personnel and the officers who are to hold the same, and all details connected with the holding of the election shall be provided for and arranged by the City Secretary. Any omission or irregularity in the notice of election or in the publication or posting of the notice of election, or in the signing of the same, shall not in any way affect or invalidate such election.

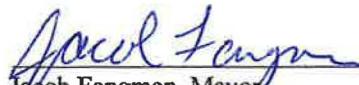
Section 7: The City Secretary is hereby directed to deliver the notice of the election to the County Clerk and the voter registrar not later than the 60<sup>th</sup> day (March 3, 2026) before election day.

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Section 8: It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this resolution was adopted and said election was called was open to the public and public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given, all as required by Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code.

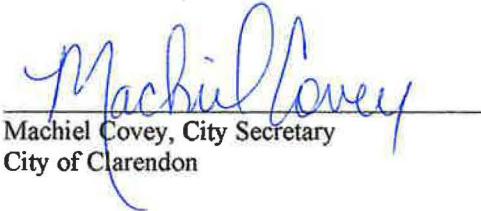
Section 9: This resolution and election order shall take effect and be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage, and it is resolved.

RESOLVED, this the 8<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026, at a public meeting of the City Council of the City of Clarendon, Texas.



Jacob Fangman, Mayor  
City of Clarendon

ATTEST:



Machiel Covey, City Secretary  
City of Clarendon