

ORDINANCE NO. 242

AN ORDINANCE BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF UHLAND, TEXAS; PROVIDING FOR THE ELECTION OF ALL MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN UNDER A PLACE SYSTEM; PROVIDING FOR THE ASSIGNING OF PLACE NUMBERS TO EACH ALDERMAN'S OFFICE; PROVIDING FOR ALL FUTURE CANDIDATES FOR THE OFFICE OF ALDERMAN TO FILE AN APPLICATION FOR A SPECIFIC PLACE ON THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN; PROVIDING FOR ALL FUTURE BALLOTS TO SHOW EACH OFFICE OF ALDERMAN AS A SEPARATE OFFICE DESIGNATED BY A PLACE NUMBER; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Uhland, Texas is a general law City incorporated and functioning as such under the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 28, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended; and

WHEREAS, the City of Uhland, Texas has a governing body, the City Council, consisting of five (5) Aldermen and a Mayor, all elected from the City at large with two (2) year staggered terms; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Uhland adopted Ordinance No. 19 on the second day of September 1987 changing the classification of the City of Uhland, Texas from that of a Type B general law municipality to a Type A general law municipality; and

WHEREAS, the City of Uhland, Texas is not divided into wards; and

WHEREAS, Section 21.001 of the Texas Local Government Code provides that a general-law municipality that is not divided into wards and that elects its aldermen at large may provide by Ordinance for the election of aldermen under a place system; and

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

SECTION 1. ESTABLISHING PLACE SYSTEM.

All members of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Uhland shall hereafter be elected by a Place System.

SECTION 2. ASSIGNING PLACE NUMBERS.

The following place numbers are hereby assigned to each incumbent alderman's office:

Place 1: Jessica Hodge

2018 - 2020

Place 2: Brain Heideman

2018 - 2020

Place 3: Daniel Heideman

2018 - 2020

Place 4: Naomi Schrock

2019 - 2021 appointed 2019 to an unexpired term 2019 - 2021.

Place 5: Mark Garonzik

2019 - 2021

SECTION 3. APPLICATION FOR PLACE ON ELECTION BALLOTS.

Candidates for the office of alderman shall hereafter file an application for a specific place on the board of aldermen by designating the alderman place number for which the candidate is filing the application.

SECTION 4. ELECTION BALLOTS.

Election ballots shall hereafter show each office of alderman as a separate office designated by place number.

SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Ordinance shall be effective upon passage and approval.

PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED ON the 5 day of February 2020.

Ayes Nays Abstain

Vicki Hunter, Mayor

ATTEST:

Karen Gallaher, City Administrator

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