

ORDINANCE NO. 2018-02

AN ORDINANCE CANCELING THE MAY 5, 2018 TOWN OF HOLIDAY LAKES ANNUAL GENERAL ELECTION AND DECLARING EACH UNOPPOSED CANDIDATE ELECTED TO OFFICE; PROVIDING THAT THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE CUMULATIVE OF ALL ORDINANCES; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Town of Holiday Lakes, Texas is a Type A general law municipality located in Brazoria County, created in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 6 of the Local Government Code and operating pursuant to the enabling legislation of the State of Texas; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with law, a general election has been ordered for May 5, 2018, for the purpose of electing three Aldermen to serve on the City Council of the Town of Holiday Lakes, Texas; and

WHEREAS, no proposition is to appear on the ballot in that election; and,

WHEREAS, the City Secretary has certified in writing that each candidate on the ballot is unopposed for election to office; and,

WHEREAS, the filing deadlines for placement on the ballot and declaration of write-in candidacy has passed; and,

WHEREAS, in these circumstances Subchapter C of Chapter 2 of the Election Code authorizes a governing body to declare each unopposed candidate elected to office and cancel the election.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF HOLIDAY LAKES, TEXAS, THAT:

SECTION 1

The following candidates, who are unopposed in the May 6, 2017, Annual General Election, are hereby declared elected to office, and shall be issued a certificate of election:

Mayor:	Norman C. Schroeder
Alderman, Position 1:	Arby Nolasco
Alderman, Position 2:	Royce Isbell

SECTION 2

This ordinance shall be cumulative of all provisions of ordinances of the Town of Holiday Lakes, Texas, except where the provisions of this ordinance are in direct conflict with the provisions of such ordinances, in which event the conflicting provisions of such ordinances are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3

It is hereby declared to be the intention of the Town Council that the phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs, and sections of this ordinance are severable, and if any phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional by the valid judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality shall not affect any of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs and sections of this ordinance, since the same would have been enacted by Town Council without the incorporation in this ordinance of any such unconstitutional phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section.

SECTION 4

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, and it is so ordained.

READ, PASSED AND APPROVED ON THIS THE 20th DAY OF FEBRUARY 2018.

Norman C. Schroeder
NORMAN C. SCHROEDER
MAYOR

ATTEST:

Sunday Strickler
SUNDAY STRICKLER
CITY SECRETARY

**CERTIFICATION
OF
CITY SECRETARY**

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I AM CITY SECRETARY OF THE TOWN OF HOLIDAY LAKES, TEXAS, AND THE AUTHORITY RESPONSIBLE FOR HAVING THE OFFICIAL BALLOT PREPARED FOR THE MAY 5, 2018 ELECTION.

I FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE FOLLOWING CANDIDATES ARE UNOPPOSED FOR ELECTION TO THE OFFICES OF: MAYOR; ALDERMAN, POSITION 1; AND ALDERMAN, POSITION (TWO-YEAR TERMS):

MAYOR.....NORMAN C. SCHROEDER
ALDERMAN, POSITION 1..... ARBUTUS NOLASCO
ALDERMAN, POSITION 2.....ROYCE ISBELL

DATED THIS THE 20th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2018

Sunday Strickler
SUNDAY STRICKLER
CITY SECRETARY