# City of Freeport

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING THE FREEPORT CITY COUNCIL MONDAY, MAY 23RD 2011, 6:00 P.M. RIVERPLACE, 733 MYSTERY HARBOR LANE FREEPORT, TEXAS 77541

### **AGENDA** FORMAL SESSION

- Call to Order.
- 2. Invocation.
- Pledge of Allegiance.
- 4. Consideration of approving Ordinance No. 2011-2281 canvassing the returns and declaring the results of the 2011 Annual Election. Pg. 355-358
- 5. Administer Oath of Office to duly elected Mayor Norma M. Garcia and Fred Bolton Councilman for Ward B and Sandra Barbree Councilwoman for Ward D. Pg. 359
- 6. Appreciation Plaque: Larry L. McDonald for his dedicated service to the City of Freeport.
- 7. Adjourn

NOTE: ITEMS NOT NECESSARY DISCUSSED IN THE ORDER THEY APPEAR ON THE AGENDA. THE COUNCIL, AT ITS DISCRETION, MAY TAKE ACTION ON ANY OR ALL OF THE ITEMS AS LISTED.

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I, Delia Muñoz, City Secretary, for the City of Freeport, Texas certify that this agenda was posted on the official bulletin board/glass door of City Hall, facing the rear parking lot of the building, with 24 hours a day public access, 200 W. 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Freeport, Texas, May 20th, 2011 at or before 5:00 a.m.

Delia Munoz, City Secretary

City of Freeport, Texas

### **ORDINANCE NO.** 2011-2281

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF FREEPORT, BRAZORIA COUNTY, TEXAS, MAKING CERTAIN FINDINGS OF FACT REGARDING AND CANVASSING THE RETURNS AND DECLARING THE RESULTS OF THE ANNUAL ELECTION HELD ON THE FIRST SATURDAY IN MAY, 2011, BEING MAY 14, 2011, HELD IN AND THROUGHOUT SAID CITY FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING, FOR A TWO (2) YEAR TERM, A PERSON TO THE OFFICE OF MAYOR OF SAID CITY AND, IN WARDS B AND D OF SAID CITY, FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING PERSONS TO COUNCIL POSITION B AND COUNCIL POSITION D ON THE CITY COUNCIL OF SAID CITY, EACH BEING ELECTED FOR A TWO (2) YEAR TERM; PROVIDING FOR RATIFICATION AND CONFIRMATION OF THE ACTION TAKEN BY THIS ORDINANCE BY THE MAYOR OF SAID CITY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE FOR THIS ORDINANCE.

BE IT ORDAINED AND ORDERED, RESPECTIVELY, BY THE CITY COUNCIL AND MAYOR OF THE CITY OF FREEPORT, BRAZORIA COUNTY, TEXAS:

### SECTION ONE -- Scope of Ordinance

This ordinance relates to the annual election called by Ordinance No. 2011-2272 of the City of Freeport, Brazoria County, Texas, heretofore read, passed, adopted and ratified on January 18, 2011, by the City Council and Mayor of said City ordaining and ordering, respectively, that an election be held in and throughout said city on the second Saturday in May, 2011, being May 14, 2011, for the purpose of electing, for a two (2) year term, a person to the office of Mayor of said city and, in Wards B and D of said City, for the purpose of electing to office persons to fill the offices of Council Position B and Council Position D on the City Council of said City, each person to be elected to a two (2) year term.

# SECTION TWO--Findings of Fact Regarding Election

The Mayor and City Council of the City of Freeport, Texas, make the following findings of fact with respect to said election, to-wit:

First, that notice of said election was given in the manner and at the time required by law.

Second, that said election was duly called and held in the manner and at the time required by law, and said Ordinance No. 2011-2272, and that only qualified voters were permitted to vote.

Third, that based on the election returns of said election, which are now before the Mayor and City Council and which are found to be in due form and order and to have been regularly made as required by law, at said election a total of 871 votes were cast in the election for mayor, a total of 306 votes were cast in the election for Council Position B and a total of 185 votes were cast in the election for Council Position D.

Fourth, that the following named candidates received the number of votes set opposite their names, to-wit:

<u>NAME</u>	POSITION	TOTAL VOTES
LARRY McDONALD, SR.	MAYOR	308
NORMA MORENO GARCIA	MAYOR	467-469
RON WISE	MAYOR	96
FRED BOLTON	COUNCIL POSITION B	208
SANDRA D. WOOD-WICKE	COUNCIL POSITION B	98
SANDRA KAY BARBREE	COUNCIL POSITION D	90
MIRE JONES	COUNCIL POSITION D	<del>68</del> 70
MANNING ROLLERSON	COUNCIL POSITION D	19
W.W. "BILL" RAINS	COUNCIL POSITION D	8

Fifth, that the following named persons received the number of write-in votes for the position set opposite their names, to-wit:

## SECTION THREE--Declaring the Results of Election

The Mayor and City Council of the City of Freeport, Texas, hereby declare and ordain, respectively, that NORMA MORENO GARCIA has been elected Mayor of the City of Freeport for a term of two (2) years and that FRED BOLTON and SANDRA KAY BARBREE have been elected, for a two (2) year term each, to Council Position B and Council Position D on the City Council of the City of Freeport, Texas, respectively.

# SECTION FOUR--Qualification

Upon filing the signed statement and taking the Constitutional Oath of Office as required by Article 16, Section 1 of the Texas Constitution, the said NORMA MORENO GARCIA the said FRED BOLTON and the said SANDRA KAY BARBREE shall each be entitled to said office to which he or she has been elected for such term and until his or her successor shall have been duly elected and qualified according to law.

# SECTION FIVE -- Ratification and Confirmation by Mayor

By signing this ordinance, the undersigned Mayor of the City of Freeport, Texas, hereby ratifies and confirms as his action all matters herein above recited which by law come within his jurisdiction.

# SECTION SIX--Effective Date

This ordinance shall be effective immediately upon its passage and adoption.

\_ day of May, 2011. READ, PASSED AND ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_\_

> Larry McDonald, Sr., Mayor, City of Freeport, Texas

ATTEST:

Delia Muñoz, City Secretary, City of Freeport, Texas

APPROVED AS TO FORM ONLY:

Wallace Shaw, City Attorney, City of Freeport, Texas

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# City of Freeport Cumulative Report — Unofficial Brazoria County — Joint Election — May 14, 2011

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Precincts Reporting 77 of 77 = 100.00%

Total Number of Voters: 12,055 of 168,152 = 7.17% Number of District Voters: 886 of 5,073 = 17.47%

City Council Position B FP, Vote For 1 Mayor FP, Vote For 1 City Council Position D FP, Vote For 1 Party W. W. (Bill) Rains Manning Nelson Rollerson Mike Jones Sandra Kay Barbree Fred Bolton Sandra Wood-Wicke Larry L. McDonald Norma Moreno Garcia Ron Wise Candidate Under Votes: Under Votes: Under Votes: Over Votes: Over Votes: Cast Votes: Over Votes: Cast Votes: Cast Votes: 281 522 188 130 113 43 57 186 56 53 1 0 0 Early 98.31% 53.83% 91.13% 38.05% 50.44% 10.62% 97.89% 69.89% 30.11% 0.00% 36.02% 10.15% 0.00% 0.00% 0.88% 2.11% 1.69% 8.87% 188 351 Election 120 120 43 27 33 78 42 0 74 o 0 98.87% 95.24% 35.00% 53.56% 94.87% 44.59% 36,49% 12.25% 65.00% 34.19% 0.00% 0.00% 9.46% 1.13% 0.00% 9.46% 4.76% 5.13% 308 306 208 873 98.53% 469 96 187 98 19 70 90 6 ü 0 3 œ 0 Total 53.72% 35.28% 92.57% 48.13% 67.97% 37.43% 96.84% 32.03% 11.00% 10.16% 0.00% 0.00% 0.00% 1.47% 7 43% 4.28% 3.16% District Precincts Reporting 5 of 5 = 100.00% Pg. 358

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### OATH OF OFFICE

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORIT I, execute the duties of the office of		
the State of Texas, and will to the best of my of the United States and of this State, so help r		
	Signature of Officer	
State of) County of)		
Sworn to and subscribed before me this	day of	, 20
(seal)	Notary Public Signature	