

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLLEGE STATION, TEXAS, PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CITY CHARTER; CALLING AN ELECTION ON SAID ISSUE; PROVIDING FOR PUBLIC NOTICE AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLLEGE STATION, TEXAS:

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of College Station hereby calls a special election to allow the voters to determine whether the Charter should be changed as hereinafter set out; and

WHEREAS, Section 9.004 of the Local Government code provides that a charter election shall be held not less than thirty (30) days after the passage of this Ordinance calling for Charter Amendment; and

WHEREAS, Section 41.001(a) of the Election Code provides that the next earliest time for a Charter election is the second Saturday in May (May 13, 2006); now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLLEGE STATION, TEXAS:

PART 1: That a special election is hereby ordered to be held within the jurisdiction of the City of College Station, Texas, on the 13th day of May, 2006, pursuant to the laws of the State of Texas and the Charter of the City of College Station, Texas. Said election shall be held for the purpose of amending the College Station City Charter.

PART 2: That said special election shall be held in conjunction with the regularly scheduled City Council election on said same date.

PART 3: That the following proposed Charter change be submitted for vote on May 13, 2006:

PART 3(a): That a new Section 30, City Internal Auditor, of Article III, The City Council, of the Charter of the City of College Station, Texas, be submitted for amendment, and if approved by a majority vote, be changed to read as follows:

“City Internal Auditor

Section 30. The City Council may appoint an officer of the City to be the City Internal Auditor, who may be removed from office by the Council. The City Internal Auditor shall carry out the audit functions and shall perform such other duties as the City Council shall assign to him. The City Council may also enter

into a contract for the duties of City Internal Auditor, to be carried out by an outside firm, if it so chooses.

The City Internal Auditor shall have the power to appoint an assistant or assistants, if deemed necessary by him, subject to the approval of and at such compensation as may be fixed by the City Council and such assistant or assistants may be removed from office by the City Internal Auditor.”

PART 3(b): That the present Sections 30 to 132 of the City Charter, are hereby renumbered respectively to 31 to 133, upon passage of this amendment by the voters.

PART 3(c): That said amendment be presented for “yes” or “no” vote in the following form:

Proposition No. 1

“Shall the charter be amended to provide for the creation of a ‘City Internal Auditor’?”

PART 4: That a copy of this ordinance shall be published in its entirety in the official newspaper of the City of College Station, Texas.

PART 5: That this ordinance shall take effect immediately from and after its date of final passage.

PART 6: That an election is hereby called on May 13, 2006, on said aforementioned charter amendment. If said City Charter amendment shall receive a majority of “yes” votes, it shall be declared passed. Said amendment passing by a majority vote shall be entered upon the records of the City of College Station and be declared by the City Council to be adopted and shall be effective henceforth.

PASSED, ADOPTED and APPROVED this _____ day of _____, 2006.

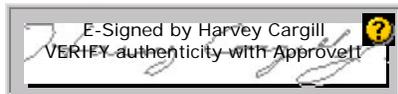
ATTEST:

APPROVED:

CONNIE HOOKS, City Secretary

RON SILVIA, Mayor

APPROVED:



City Attorney