ORDINANCE NO. 2025-O-238

AN ORDINANCE OF THE VILLAGE OF VOLENTE, TEXAS, DECLARING UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES IN THE NOVEMBER 4, 2025 GENERAL CITY ELECTION ELECTED TO OFFICE; CANCELING THE ELECTION; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND PROVIDING AN OPEN MEETINGS CLAUSE.

WHEREAS, the General City Election was called for November 4, 2025, for the purpose of electing members to the City Council; and

WHEREAS, the City Secretary has certified in writing that there is no proposition on the ballot, that no person has made a declaration of write-in candidacy, and that each candidate on the ballot is unopposed for election to office; and

WHEREAS, under these circumstances, Section 2.053(a), Texas Election Code, authorizes the City Council to declare the candidates elected to office and to order the cancelation of the said election.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE VILLAGE OF VOLENTE, TEXAS THAT:

Section 1. Findings of Fact. All of the above premises and recitations are found to be true and correct and are incorporated into the body of this Ordinance as findings of fact, as if copied herein in their entirety.

Section 2. Elected Candidates. The following candidates, who are unopposed in the November 4, 2025 General City Election, are declared elected to office, and shall be issued certificates of election following the time the election would have been canvassed:

Office	<u>Candidates</u>
Alderman	Wade Peikert
Alderman	` Judy Graci
Alderman	Jan Yenawine

Section 3. Cancelation of Election. The November 4, 2025 General City Election is canceled, and the City Secretary is directed to cause a copy of this Ordinance to be posted on election day at each polling place that would have been used in the election.

Section 4. Directions to City Secretary. The City Secretary is hereby directed to post a copy of this Ordinance on the bulletin board at the city hall and, on election day, a copy of this Ordinance shall be posted on the door of the polling place. Such posting at the polling place shall be made in a manner to be readable to persons outside the polling place.

Section 5: Severability. It is declared to be the intent of the City 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 is declared invalid by the judgment or decree of a court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity shall not affect any of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs, or sections of this Ordinance since the City Council would have enacted them without the invalid portion.

Section 6: Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its final passage, and it is so ordained.

Section 7. Open Meetings. It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Ordinance was passed was open to the public, and public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given, as required by the Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551, Texas Government Code.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this the 16th day of September 2025.

VILLAGE OF VOLENTE, TEXAS

Thomas Blauvelt, Mayor

ATTEST:

Elizabeth Hedberg, City Secretary

ORDER OF CANCELATION ORDEN DE CANCELACIÓN

The Village of Volente, Texas hereby cancels the election scheduled for November 4, 2025, in accordance with Section 2.053(a) of the Texas Election Code. The following candidates have been certified as unopposed and are hereby elected as follows:

El Pueblo de Volente, Texas, por la presente cancela la elección programada para el 4 de noviembre de 2025, de conformidad con la Sección 2.053(a) del Código Electoral de Texas. Los siguientes candidatos han sido certificados como no opositores y, por lo tanto, son declarados electos como sigue:

Offices (Cargos)

Alderman (Conjejal en General) Alderman (Conjejal en General) Alderman (Conjejal en General)

Candidates (Candidatos)

Wade Peikert Judy Graci Jan Yenawine

A copy of this order will be posted on Election Day at each polling place that would have been used in the election.

Una copia de esta orden será colocada el día de la elección en cada centro de votación que se habría utilizado en la elección.

Mayor (Alcalde)

Secretary (Secretario)

Seal (Sello)

Date of Adoption (Fecha de Adopción)

CERTIFICATION OF UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES FOR VILLAGE OF VOLENTE GENERAL CITY ELECTION

CERTIFICACIÓN DE CANDIDATOS SIN OPOSICIÓN PARA LA CIUDAD DE LA ELECCIÓN GENERAL DEL PUEBLO DE VOLENTE

To: Mayor and City Council

Al: Alcalde y conseio de ciudad

As the authority responsible for having the official ballot prepared, I hereby certify that the following candidates are unopposed for election to office for the election scheduled to be held on November 4, 2025.

Como autoridad a cargo de la preparación de la boleta de votación oficial, por la presente certifico que los siguientes candidatos son candidatos únicos para elección para un cargo en la elección que se llevará a cabo el 04 de noviembre de 2025.

List offices and names of candidates: Lista de cargos y nombres de los candidates:

Offices(s) Cargo(s)

August 19, 2025

Date of Signing (Fecha de firma)

<u>Candidates(s)</u> <u>Candidato(s)</u>

Alderman (Conjejal en General) Alderman (Conjejal en General) Alderman (Conjejal en General)	Wade Peikert Judy Graci Jan Yenawine
Signature (Firma)	_
Elizabeth Hedberg Printed Name (Nombre en letra de molde)	– (Seal)(sello)
City Secretary Title (Puesto)	