RESOLUTION No. 2019-23 TOWN OF ROUND TOP, TEXAS

ORDERING TOWN OFFICERS' ELECTION TO BE HELD ON MAY 4, 2019

A RESOLUTION AND ORDER ESTABLISHING PROCEDURES FOR THE TOWN OFFICERS' ELECTION IN ROUND TOP, TEXAS, ON MAY 4, 2019.

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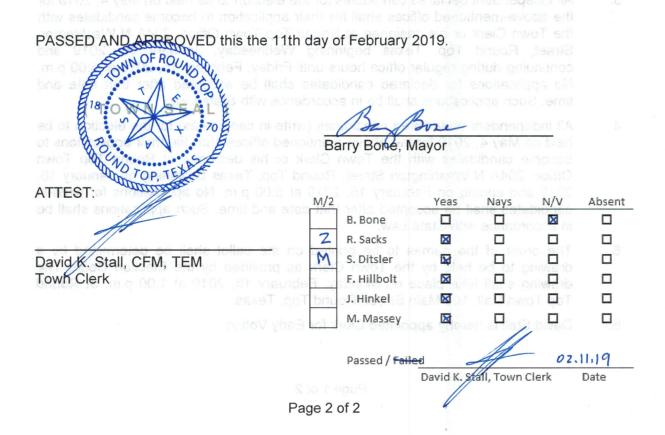
WHEREAS, the laws of the State of Texas provide that on May 4, 2019, there shall be elected Mayor and three (3) Aldermen-at-Large, each for two-year terms for the Town of Round Top, Texas; and,

WHEREAS, the laws of the State of Texas further provide that the Election Code of the State of Texas is applicable to said election, and in order to comply with such Code, an Ordinance and Order shall be passed establishing procedures to be followed in said election and designating the voting place for said election; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF ROUND TOP, TEXAS:

- The Town Officers' Election shall be ordered to be held on Saturday, May 4, 2019 at Round Top Town Hall, 100 Main Street, Round Top, Fayette County, Texas for the purpose of electing mayor and three (3) aldermen-at-large.
- 2. The entire Town of Round Top shall constitute one election precinct for said election. The polls on Election Day shall be open from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m.
- 3. All independent declared candidates for the election to be held on May 4, 2019 for the above-mentioned offices shall file their application to become candidates with the Town Clerk or his designee at Round Top Town Office, 204A N Washington Street, Round Top, Texas beginning Wednesday, January 16, 2019 and continuing during regular office hours until Friday, February 15, 2019 at 5:00 p.m. No applications for declared candidates shall be accepted after that date and time. Such applications shall be in accordance with State Law.
- 4. All independent undeclared candidates (write-in candidates) for the election to be held on May 4, 2019 for the above-mentioned offices shall file their applications to become candidates with the Town Clerk or his designee at Round Top Town Office, 204A N Washington Street, Round Top, Texas beginning on January 16, 2019 and ending on February 15, 2019 at 5:00 p.m. No applications for write-in candidates shall be accepted after that date and time. Such applications shall be in accordance with State Law.
- 5. The order of the names to be printed on the ballot shall be determined by a drawing to be held by the Town Clerk as provided by the Election Code. The drawing shall take place on Monday, February 18, 2019 at 1:00 p.m. at Round Top Town Hall, 100 Main Street, Round Top, Texas.
- David Stall is hereby appointed Clerk for Early Voting.

- 7. Early voting by personal appearance shall begin on Monday, April 22, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and shall continue each weekday; Tuesday, April 23, 2019 from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.; Wednesday, April 24, 2019 from 7:00 a.m. to 7;00 p.m.; Thursday, April 25, 2019 from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.; Friday, April 26, 2019 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.; Monday, April 29, 2019 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.; and, Tuesday, April 30 from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. Early voting by personal appearance shall take place at Round Top Town Office, 202 N Live Oak Street, Round Top, Texas.
- 8. Ballot applications and ballots voted by mail shall be sent to Round Top Town Clerk, Town of Round Top, Post Office Box 215, Round Top, Texas 78954-0215.
- 9. Early votes shall be canvassed by the Early Balloting Board in accordance with the Texas Election Code. The appointed Presiding Judge at the polling place shall serve as the Presiding Judge of the Early Balloting Board with two (2) clerks serving at the polling place making up the other members of the board.
- 10. The Election shall be held in accordance with the Texas Election Code and only qualified resident voters of the Town of Round Top shall be eligible to vote at said election.
- 11. The Mayor shall give notice of this election in accordance with the Texas Election Code and Article 29e, Vernon's Revised Civil Statutes and all necessary orders, writs and returns for said election shall be issued by the proper authority(ies).
- 12. In accordance with the order of the Town Council, the Town Clerk has posted written notice of the date, place and subject of this meeting in which this ordinance was passed on the bulletin board outside of Town Hall, a place readily accessible to the public. Such notice has been continuously posted for 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of such meeting.



ORDER OF ELECTION FOR TOWN OF ROUND TOP

An election is hereby ordered to be held on Saturday, May 4, 2019 for the purpose of electing the following officers of the Town of Round Top, Texas:

Mayor, for one year of an unexpired 2-year term; and,

Three Aldermen, for a term of 2 years.

Early voting by personal appearance shall be conducted at the:

Town of Round Top – Town Office 204A N Washington Street Round Top, Texas 78954

The hours will be as the following schedule:

Monday	April 22	from	9:00 a.m.	to	12:00 p.m.
Tuesday	April 23	from	8:00 a.m.	to	12:00 p.m.
Wednesday	April 24	from	7:00 a.m.	to	7:00 p.m.
Thursday	April 25	from	8:00 a.m.	to	12:00 p.m.
Friday	April 26	from	9:00 a.m.	to	12:00 p.m.
Monday	April 29	from	9:00 a.m.	to	12:00 p.m.
Tuesday	April 30	from	7:00 a.m.	to	7:00 p.m.

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:

David K. Stall, Town Clerk Town of Round Top Post Office Box 215 Round Top, TX 78954-0215

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business, at 5:00 p.m., on Thursday, April 25, 2019.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the Town Council of the Town of Round Top, this the 11th day of February, 2019.

Barry Bone, Mayor

Frank Hillbolt, Alderman

Jerry Hinkel, Alderman

Ronny Sacks, Mayor Pro Tem

Steve Ditsler Alderman

Mark Massey, Alderman