

**RESOLUTION NO. 697**

**A RESOLUTION CANVASSING THE RETURNS OF THE SPECIAL ELECTION HELD ON MAY 14, 2011 DECLARING THE RESULTS OF THE SPECIAL ELECTION HELD IN THE CITY OF TERRELL TEXAS ON PROPOSITION 1 FOR OR AGAINST ORDINANCE NO. 2457; DECLARING THE ELECTION OF UNOPPOSED COUNCIL MEMBERS OF DISTRICT NO. 3 AND DISTRICT NO. 5 IN THE CITY OF TERRELL, TEXAS, SAID COUNCIL MEMBERS BEING ELECTED TO SERVE A THREE (3) YEAR TERM.**

**WHEREAS**, heretofore, the City Council of the City of Terrell, Texas, adopted an Ordinance calling a Special Election to be held in said City on May 14, 2011, for the purpose of submitting to the voters Proposition 1 For or Against Ordinance No. 2457; and

**WHEREAS**, the Council Members of District No. 3 and District No. 5 were unopposed and said Councilmember(s) are each elected for a term of three (3) years; and

**WHEREAS**, said Special Election was duly held at the time and at the places specified in the City Charter and Ordinances after due notice as required by law had been given, and;

**WHEREAS**, there were a total of 1,276 ballots cast at said Special Election and;

**WHEREAS**, only the qualified electors of the City of Terrell, Texas, were allowed to vote in said Special Election.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TERRELL, TEXAS:**

The Special Election scheduled for May 14, 2011, was duly called and notice was given in accordance with the law and in accordance with the Charter of the City of Terrell and Ordinances of said City calling for said Special Election.

The Special Election was held in accordance with applicable state statutes, Ordinances and Charter of the City of Terrell, Texas, and the following votes were cast in the respective places designated.

	Early Voting		Election Day			Ballots by			
	Votes Cast	For	Against	Votes Cast	For	Against	Mail Cast	For	Against
District 2	145	25	120	27	11	16	52	0	52
District 3	124	32	92	54	19	35	35	1	34
District 4	183	73	110	91	36	55	3	0	3
District 5	395	177	218	167	85	82	0	0	0
<b>FOR / AGAINST</b>		307	540		151	188		1	89
<b><u>Total Votes</u></b>	<u>847</u>			<u>339</u>			<u>90</u>		
<b><u>Total All Votes</u></b>	1276	<b>459</b>	<b>817</b>	<b>PROOF</b>	1,276				
<b>Proposition #1</b>		<b>FAIL</b>							

That under and by virtue of the votes cast as designated above, Proposition 1 For or Against Ordinance No. 2457 has Failed.

Ricky Jordan is hereby declared to be duly elected to the office of Council Member District No. 3 for the City of Terrell, Texas, to serve a term of three (3) years. Dwayne Ory is hereby declared to be duly elected to the office of Council Member District No. 5 for the City of Terrell, Texas, to serve a term of three (3) years.

The proper officials are hereby authorized to administer Oath of Office and do all things necessary to install said elective officials in his respective office.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** this 17<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2011.

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Hal Richards Mayor

Attest:

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John Rounsavall, City Secretary

Approved as to form:

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Mary Gayle Ramsey, City Attorney

