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RESOLUTION NO. 260217-08

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEONARD, TEXAS, APPROVING AND ORDERING A GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON MAY 2, 2026; APPROVING THE FORM OF THE ORDER OF ELECTION; PROVIDING FOR ELECTION DAY AND EARLY VOTING LOCATIONS, DATES, AND TIMES; AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR AND CITY SECRETARY TO TAKE ALL NECESSARY ACTIONS TO CONDUCT THE ELECTION; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Texas Election Code requires the governing body of a municipality to order a general election for the purpose of electing officers of the municipality;

WHEREAS, the City of Leonard will hold a General Election on May 2, 2026, for the purpose of electing the following officers: Mayor, Council Member At-Large, Council Member At-Large;

WHEREAS, the City Secretary has prepared an Order of General Election setting forth the election date, offices to be elected, early voting schedule, and ballot-by-mail information, in accordance with Sections 3.004, 3.005, and 3.006 of the Texas Election Code;

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it necessary and proper to approve the Order of Election and authorize its posting and distribution as required by law;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEONARD, TEXAS, THAT:

Section 1. Approval of Election Order.

The City Council hereby approves and adopts the Order of General Election for May 2, 2026, for the election of Mayor and two Council Members At-Large.

Section 2. Polling Locations, Dates, and Times.

Election Day Location: 111 W. Collin St., Leonard, Texas 75452. Early Voting will be held at the same location from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., April 20-28 (weekdays only).

Section 3. Ballot-by-Mail Information.

Applications for ballots by mail must be sent to: Melissa Verde, Early Voting Clerk, P.O. Box 1270, Leonard, Texas 75452-1270, and must be received by April 20, 2026.

Section 4. Posting and Distribution.

The City Secretary is authorized and directed to post the Order of Election and deliver copies to the County Clerk/Elections Administrator and Voter Registrar not later than 60 days before Election Day.

Section 5. Administrative Authorization.

The City Administrator and City Secretary are authorized to take all actions necessary to conduct the election, including coordination with county officials and preparing election materials.

Section 6. Effective Date.

This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon passage.

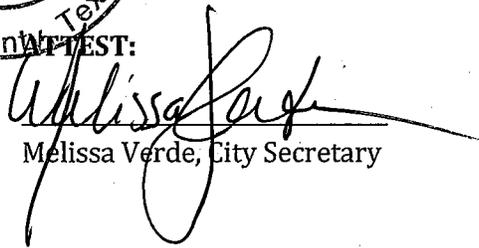
PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Leonard, Texas, on this the 17th day of February 2026.

APPROVED:



Michael Pye, Mayor



TEST:


Melissa Verde, City Secretary

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:
(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán adelantada por correo deberán enviarse a:)

MELISSA VERDE

Name of Early Voting Clerk
(Nombre del Secretario/a de la Votación Adelantada)

PO BOX 1270

Address (Dirección)

LEONARD 75452-1270

City (Ciudad) Zip Code (Código Postal)

(903) 587-3334

Telephone Number (Número de teléfono)

CITYSEC@CITYOFLEONARD.NET

Email Address (Dirección de Correo Electrónico)

WWW.CITYOFLEONARD.NET

Early Voting Clerk's Website (Sitio web del Secretario/a de Votación Adelantada)

Applications for Ballots by Mail (ABBM)s must be received no later than the close of business on:
(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán adelantada por correo deberán recibirse no más tardar de las horas de negocio el:)

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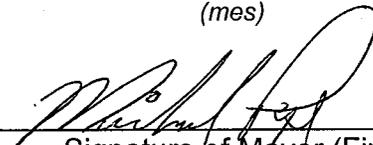
Federal Post Card Applications (FPCAs) must be received no later than the close of business on:
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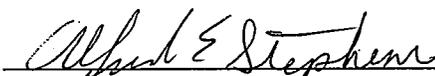
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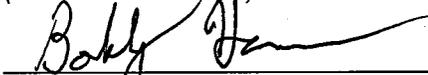
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Signature of Councilperson
(Firma del Concejal)



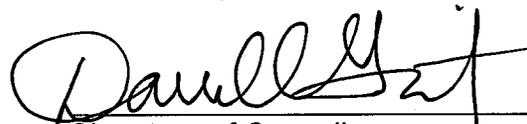
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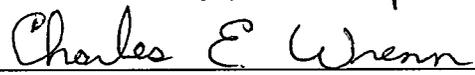
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