# City Of Vidor Vidor City Council Special Called Meeting June 28, 2022

#### **MEMBERS PRESENT:**

**MEMBERS ABSENT:** 

Mayor Misty Songe Councilmember Jessica Barker Councilmember Nicole McGowan Councilmember Jane Hill Councilmember Kelly Carder Councilmember Gary Herrera

Administrative Personnel: Robbie Hood, City Manager; Sandra Howard Attorney; Betty Strong, City Secretary; and, Rod Carroll, Police Chief

## A. OPENING, PRESENTATIONS, AND CITIZENS COMMENTS

### A -1. Call to order and the establishment of a Quorum

A quorum was present, and the Special Called Meeting of the Vidor City Council began at 7:00 p.m., Mayor Songe presiding.

## A -2. Invocation and Pledge to the United States Flag and the State of Texas Flag

Rod Carroll, Police Chief gave the Invocation and led the Pledge to the United States Flag and the State of Texas Flag.

#### A -3. Citizen Comments

No Citizen comments.

#### B. COUNCIL REGULAR AGENDA

B-1. Consideration and/or possible approval of an ORDINANCE canvassing the returns and declaring the results of the City runoff election of the City of Vidor, Texas, held on June 18, 2022

Consideración y/o posible aprobación de una ORDENANZA para el escrutinio de los beneficios y la declaración de los resultados de la elección segunda vuelta de la ciudad de Vidor, Texas, llevada a cabo el 18 de junio de 2022

Mayor Songe stated, "There came to be considered the returns of a runoff election held on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2022, for the purpose of electing a Councilmember for Ward 3, and it appearing from said returns, duly and legally made, that there were cast at said election 318 valid and legal votes; that each of the candidates in said election received the following votes

For Councilmember Ward 3

NAME OF CANDIDATE:

TOTAL NUMBER OF VOTES RECEIVED:

MICHAEL THOMPSON

189

**RONNIE HERRERA** 

129

### BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VIDOR:

Section 1. That said election was duly called, that notice of said election was given in accordance with the law, and that said election was held in accordance with the law; **Michael Thompson** was duly elected Councilmember for Ward 3 for the position referenced above of said City at said election, and said above named party is hereby declared duly elected to said respective office, subject to the taking of his oath and other requirements as provided by the laws of the State of Texas."

A motion was made by Councilmember McGowan, seconded by Councilmember Barker, to approve the **ORDINANCE** declaring the results. The Council voted three (3) for and none (0) opposed. The motion carried

B-2. Swearing in of newly elected Council member of the City Council Juramento de los concejales recién elegidos del Concejo Municipal

Michael Thompson was sworn in as Councilmember Ward three (3) by Judge Michael Abbott. Mayor Songe invited Mr. Thompson to take his seat as Councilmember Ward 3. A few moments were taken for pictures.

B -3. Presentation of Certificate of Election to newly elected Council member of the City Council Entrega de Acta de Elección a Concejales recién electos del Concejo Municipal

Mayor Songe presented Michael Thompson with his certificate of election.

B -4. Election of new officers of the Vidor City Council-Mayor Pro-tem, Treasurer Elección de nuevos funcionarios del Concejo Municipal de Vidor-Alcalde Interino, Tesorero

Nicole McGowan stated she is willing to continue as Mayor ProTem. Ms. McGowan made a motion to elect Michael Thompson as Treasurer.

A motion was made by Councilmember McGowan, seconded by Councilmember Barker, to APPROVE the election of Nicole McGowan as the Mayor ProTem. The Council voted four (4) for and none (0) opposed. The motion carried.

A motion was made by Councilmember McGowan, seconded by Councilmember Thompson to **APPROVE the election of Michael Thompson as Treasurer**. The Council voted four (4) for and none (0) opposed. The motion carried.

# **B-5.** Consideration of Adjournment

A motion was made by Councilmember Hill, seconded by Councilmember Barker, for **Consideration of Adjournment**. The Council voted four (4) for and none (0) opposed. The motion carried, and the Regular Meeting of the Vidor City Council adjourned at 7:06 p.m.

These minutes approved July 14, 2022.

Misty Songe, Mayor

ATTEST:

Betty Strong City Secretary