RESOLUTION NO. R-2023-143

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BASTROP, TEXAS, CANCELLING THE SPECIAL ELECTION SCHEDULED TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 7, 2023, ON BALLOT PROPOSITION C, RELATED TO AUTHORIZING THE SALE BY THE CITY OF CERTAIN PARK PROPERTY LOCATED ACROSS THE COLORADO RIVER FROM FERRY PARK; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

- WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Bastrop, Texas ("City"), called by Resolution No. R-2023-130 a special election scheduled to be held on November 7, 2023, for the purpose of a ballot proposition authorizing the sale by the City of certain park property located across the Colorado River from Ferry Park, referred to as Proposition C; and
- WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that Proposition C is most and should be removed from the ballot, in accordance with Texas Election Code Section 2.081; and
- WHEREAS, by this Resolution, the City Council only intends to declare moot and order the special election on ballot Proposition C to be cancelled, without affecting the separately called special elections that are scheduled to be held on November 7, 2023, for any other measure.

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

- Section 1. The recitals contained in the preamble hereof are hereby found to be true, and such recitals are hereby made a part of this Resolution for all purposes and are adopted as a part of the judgment and findings of the City Council.
- Section 2. The City Council hereby determines that the action to be authorized by the voters by Proposition C may not be taken, regardless of the outcome of the election, and declares that Proposition C is moot and shall be removed from the ballot.
- Section 3. It is hereby ordered that the special election be held in the City of Bastrop on November 7, 2023, for the purpose of submitting Proposition C to the voters, relating to authorizing the sale by the City of a certain park property located across the Colorado River from Ferry Park, is cancelled.
- Section 4. The City Council hereby orders the City Secretary, or her designees, to comply with Texas Election Code Section 2.081 to post notice of this cancellation at each polling place that would have been used for the election on the measure during early voting and on election day.

Section 5. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage on the date shown below.

DULY RESOLVED AND ADOPTED on the 30th day of August, 2023.

APPROVED:

Lyle Nelson, Mayor

ATTEST:

Ann Franklin, City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Alan Bojorquez, City Attorney