RESOLUTION NO. R-2019-42

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BASTROP, TEXAS TO CANVASS THE MAY 4, 2019 ELECTION FOR PLACE 1 AND PLACE 5 OF THE BASTROP CITY COUNCIL; AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, on May 4, 2019, a general election was held for the purpose of electing City Council Members for Place 1 and Place 5; and

WHEREAS, the returns of the general election have been made to the Council and show that the votes for City Council Members were cast as follows:

CITY COUNCIL MEMBER PLACE 1

Ishmael Harris 259 votes

W.L. Bill Peterson 347 votes

CITY COUNCIL MEMBER Place 5

Dock Jackson 298 votes

Herb Goldsmith 118 votes

Deborah C. Jones 204 votes

WHEREAS, Bill Peterson received a majority of all votes cast for the office of City Council Member Place 1; and

WHEREAS, of the two candidates who received the highest number of votes cast for the office of City Council Member Place 5, those being Dock Jackson and Deborah Jones, neither candidate received a majority of all votes cast for City Council Member Place 5;

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

SECTION 1. The Council finds that all of the recitals contained in this resolution are true and adopts them as findings of fact by this governing body; and

SECTION 2. The Council finds that the results of the general election as tabulated and canvassed reflect the votes cast at the election; and

SECTION 3. The Council accepts and approves the returns for the general election, as tabulated and received and canvassed, and declares that the following person is declared elected and may qualify for the office indicated for terms that begin May 14, 2019:

City Council Member Place 1 Bill Peterson.

SECTION 4. With this canvass, Council is making official the precinct returns received from Bastrop County.

SECTION 5. That this Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage, and it is so resolved.

DULY RESOLVED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Bastrop this 14th day of May, 2019.

CITY OF BASTROP, TEXAS

APPROVED:

onnie B. Schroeder, Mayor

ATTEST:

Ann Franklin, City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Alan Bojorquez, City Attorney