#### **CERTIFICATE FOR ORDINANCE**

#### THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF BEE CITY OF BEEVILLE

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I, the undersigned City Secretary of the City of Beeville, Texas (the "City"), hereby certify as follows:

1. The City Council of the City of Beeville convened in REGULAR MEETING ON THE 13<sup>th</sup> DAY OF February 2024, at the designated meeting place, and the roll was called of the duly constituted officers and members of said City Council, to wit:

Brian Watson, Mayor Michael Willow Jr., Mayor Pro-Tem Benny Puente, Councilman Darryl Martin, Councilman Alexis Bledsoe, Councilwoman

and all of said officers and members of said City Council were present. Whereupon, among other business the following was transacted at said Meeting: a written

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was duly read. It was then duly moved and seconded that said Ordinance be adopted; and, after due discussion, said motion, carrying with it the adoption of said Ordinance, prevailed and carried by the following vote:

#### AYES: 0 NOES: 0 ABSTENTIONS: 0

2. A true, full and correct copy of the aforesaid Ordinance adopted at the Meeting described in the above and foregoing paragraph is attached to and follows this Certificate; the Ordinance has been duly recorded in said City Council's minutes of said Meeting; the above and foregoing paragraph is a true, full and correct excerpt from said City Council's minutes of said Meeting pertaining to the passage of said Ordinance; the persons named in the above and foregoing paragraph are the duly chosen, qualified and acting officers and members of said City Council as indicated therein; each of the officers and members of said City Council was duly and sufficiently notified officially and personally, in advance, of the time, place and purpose of the aforesaid Meeting, and that said Ordinance would be introduced and considered for passage at said Meeting, and each of said officers and members consented, in advance, to the holding of said Meeting for such purpose, and that said Meeting was open to the public and public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given, all as required by Chapter 551, Texas Government Code.

SIGNED AND SEALED the 13th day of February 2024.

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Gabriela Hernandez, City Secretary

## CITY OF BEEVILLE ORDINANCE NO. 2437

# AN ORDINANCE ORDERING AN ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY OF BEEVILLE, TEXAS, TO SUBMIT A PROPOSITION ON THE QUESTION OF THE REAUTHORIZATION OF A LOCAL SALES AND USE TAX IN BEEVILLE, TEXAS, AT THE RATE OF ONE-EIGHTH OF ONE PERCENT TO PROVIDE REVENUE FOR THE MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF MUNICIPAL STREETS.

- WHEREAS, the City Council (the "Council") of the City of Beeville, Texas, (the City) hereby finds that an election should be held for the purposes of submitting a proposition on the levy and collection of the adoption of a local sales and use tax in Beeville, Texas, at the rate of oneeighth of one percent to provide revenue for the maintenance and repair of municipal streets; and
- WHEREAS, the combined rate of all local sales and use taxes imposed by the City and other political subdivisions having territory in the City will not exceed two percent (2%); and
- WHEREAS, the Council finds and determines that the holding of this election on the date set forth below, a special election date, is in the public interest.

# NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BEEVILLE, TEXAS:

**SECTION 1:** An election shall be held on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of May 2024, an election date, in the City of Beeville, Texas, which date is not less than sixty-two (62) days from the date of the adoption of this Ordinance (the "Ordinance"), for the purpose of submitting the following proposition to the electors of the City:

## **PROPOSITION**

The reauthorization of the local sales and use tax in the City of Beeville at the rate of one-eighth of one percent to continue providing revenue for maintenance and repair of the municipal streets.

## SECTION 2: <u>Election Day Polling Places</u>

Hereby established the particular locations in the 2024 City of Beeville Street Maintenance Sales Tax.

Polling Location	Address
Elections Administration Office	107 S. St. Mary's St. Beeville, TX 78102
Bee County Expo	214 FM 351 Beeville, TX 78102
First Baptist Church	729 E. Patricio Street Skidmore, TX 78389
Pettus Community Center	708 E. FM 623 Pettus, TX 78146

The polls shall be open on Election Day from 7: 00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

## SECTION 3: Appointment of Elections Administrator

The City of Beeville has appointed Laura Warnix to conduct, supervise, and administer said election. Laura Warnix is appointed as Elections Administrator and shall appoint the election officials including the Presiding Judge and Clerks.

### SECTION 4: Appointment of Early Voting Clerk

The City of Beeville designates Laura Warnix, Election Administrator as the Early Voting Clerk. The Early Voting Clerk may appoint Deputy Clerks. The Early Voting Clerk's mailing address is as follows:

Laura Warnix Early Voting Clerk P.O. Drawer B Beeville, Texas 78104

#### SECTION 5: Appointment of Early Voting Ballot Board

Pursuant to Section 87.001 of the Revised State Election Code, early voting shall henceforth be counted by and Early Voting Ballot Board.

The Early Voting Clerk shall designate individuals to serve as the Early Voting Ballot Board.

#### SECTION 6: Early Voting Poll Locations

The early voting shall be held at the following location and times:

Dates	Hours	Early Voting Location
Monday, April 22, 2024 through Friday, April 26, 2024	8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Election Administration Office 107 S. St. Mary's St. Beeville, TX 78102
Monday, April 29, 2024 through Tuesday, April 30, 2024	8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Election Administration Office 107 S. St. Mary's St. Beeville, TX 78102

#### SECTION: 7 Voting by Mail

The Early Voting Clerk mailing address to which ballot applications and ballots voted by mail may be sent is as follows:

Laura Warnix Early Voting Clerk / Election Administrator P. O. Drawer B Beeville, Texas 78104

#### SECTION 8: Applicable Law

Said Election shall be held in accordance with the Election Code of the State of Texas and only qualified registered voters of the City shall be eligible to vote at said election.

## SECTION 9: Notice of Election, Publication, & Reporting

Notice of said Election will be given in accordance with the terms and provisions of the Texas Election Code. The City Secretary is hereby instructed to have said notice published at least once in accordance with said code not earlier than April 4, 2024, the 30<sup>th</sup> day before the election or no later than April 24, 2024, the 10<sup>th</sup> day before the election.

#### SECTION 10: Other

The City Secretary of the City of Beeville shall be authorized to execute any and all contracts, agreements , certificates, notices, or documents necessary to effectuate this election order.

**SECTION 11:** All ordinances and resolutions, or parts thereof, which are in conflict or which are inconsistent with any provision of this Ordinance are repealed to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency, and the remaining provisions of this Ordinance shall be and remain controlling as to the Matters ordained herein.

# APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BEEVILLE, TEXAS AT A *REGULAR* MEETING ON THE 13<sup>th</sup> DAY OF FEBRUARY 2024 AT WHICH MEETING A QUORUM WAS PRESENT.

**CITY OF BEEVILLE** 

Brian Watson, Mayor

ATTEST:

Gabriela Hernandez, City Secretary

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:** 

Frank W. Warner, City Attorney