May 2020 Election Notice (H.B. 305)

The Texas State Legislature passed <u>House Bill 305</u> on June 14, 2019 and becomes effective on September 1, 2019. The bill requires that a political subdivision, with the authority to impose a tax that at any time on or after January 1, 2019, maintained a publicly accessible Internet website, shall include certain information, including information regarding upcoming elections, on that web site pursuant to the effective date.

MUNICIPAL ELECTION 2020

City Council places 2 and 4 will be elected May 2, 2020, to be held in Mission, Texas. Here you will find all information for the 2020 Municipal Election.

REQUIREMENTS FOR FILING FOR CANDIDACY:

Each member of the City Council shall be a resident citizen of the City of Mission, shall be a qualified voter of the State of Texas, shall have been such resident citizen of the City of Mission for a period of not less than six (6) months immediately preceding his election, and shall not be indebted to the City of Mission at the time he takes office. If the Mayor or any Councilman fails to maintain the foregoing qualifications the City Council must, at its next regular meeting, declare a vacancy to exist and shall fill said vacancy as set forth in <u>section 3.06</u> of the Charter.

FILING DATES AND TIMES:

January 15 – FIRST DAY for filing applications for place on general election ballot; first day for write-in candidate to submit declaration

February 14 – LAST DAY for filing application for place on ballot for election; must be received in City Secretary's office by 5:00 p.m.

February 18 – Last day for filing as a write-in candidate in election

City Secretary Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. - 1201 E. 8th Street, Mission, TX 78574

ELECTION CALENDAR

January 1 – First day to apply for ballot by mail

January 15 – FIRST DAY for filing applications for place on general election ballot; first day for write-in candidate to submit declaration

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February 18 - Last day for filing as a write-in candidate in election

April 2 – Last day to Register to Vote

April 20 – First day for early voting by personal appearance.

April 28 – Last day for early voting by personal appearance

May 2 – Election Day – City Hall will be open at 7:00 a.m. Last day to Receive Ballot by Mail

EARLY VOTING - April 20 - April 28, 2020

Polling locations: Mission City Hall, 1201 E. 8th Street, Mission, Texas 78572 Mission Boys & Girls Club Gym at Bannworth Park, 1822 N. Shary Road,

MAY 2, 2020 POLLING LOCATIONS: To Be Determined

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