### City of Cottonwood Shores, Texas

#### ORDINANCE 1128

# AN ORDINANCE CANVASSING THE RETURNS OF A GENERAL ELECTION FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING THREE (3) COUNCIL MEMBERS

WHEREAS, a general election was held at the Burnet County Courthouse Annex, 810 Steve Hawkins Parkway, Marble Falls, Texas for the City of Cottonwood Shores, Texas on May 7, 2016 (the "Election") for the purpose of electing three (3) Council Members; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Cottonwood Shores, Texas (the "Council") has reviewed and investigated all matters pertaining to the Election, including the ordering, notices, Election officers, holding the returns thereof; and

WHEREAS, the Council hereby canvasses the returns of the Election, which was submitted to all residents; and

WHEREAS, the City has diligently inquired into the poll lists and the official Election returns which were duly and lawfully provided this Council by the judges and clerks holding and conducting the Election; the poll lists and the official Election returns showing separately the votes cast in the Election; and

WHEREAS, from these returns, this Council hereby finds that the following votes were cast in the Election by voters who were resident, qualified electors of the City; and

WHEREAS, the official returns of said election have been delivered to the presiding officer of the canvassing authority and have been certified to the Council by the presiding judge of said election.

# NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COTTONWOOD SHORES THAT:

SECTION 1. The Council officially finds, determines, and declares that the Election was duly and properly ordered; the proper Election officers were duly appointed prior to the Election; that the Election was duly and legally held; that all resident, qualified electors of the City were permitted to vote at the Election; due returns of the results of the Election had been made and delivered; and that the Council has duly canvassed such returns, all in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas and of the United States of America and the calling of the Election.

SECTION 2: It is hereby found and declared that at the election described in the preamble hereto there were 101 total votes cast for the election of three (3) Council Members, 78 cast

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by early voting, 23 cast by election day voting, and that said ballots were cast as following in the number of votes indicated:

<u>Place</u>	Candidate	Number of Votes
1	William Plumley	44
1	Anthony Satsky	48
1	Matthew Orlando	7
3	Cheryl Trinidad	58
3	Mary Ann Plumley	43
5	Roger Wayson	75

**SECTION 3**: It is hereby found and declared that the following persons are elected, based on a plurality of votes, as Council Members for a two (2) year term:

Anthony Satsky	Place No. 1
Cheryl Trinidad	Place No. 3
Roger Wayson	Place No. 5

## SECTION 4. Open Meetings.

It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this ordinance is passed was open to the public as required and that public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551 of the Texas Local Government Code.

ORDINANCE PASSED AND APPROVED ON THIS THE 18<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF MAY, 2016 AT A MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COTTONWOOD SHORES, TEXAS, THERE BEING A QUORUM PRESENT, BY 5 YEAS AND 0 NAYS.

Donald Orr, Mayor

ATTEST:

Sheila C. Moore

City Administrator/City Secretary