

**City of Cottonwood Shores**

**ORDINANCE 1131**

**AN ORDINANCE CANCELLING THE MAY 6, 2017 GENERAL ELECTION AND DECLARING EACH UNOPPOSED CANDIDATE ELECTED TO OFFICE; PROVIDING THAT THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE CUMULATIVE OF ALL ORDINANCES; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Cottonwood Shores, Texas is a general law municipality located in Burnet County, created in accordance with the provisions of the Texas Local Government Code and operating pursuant to the enabling legislation of the State of Texas; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with law, a general election has been ordered for May 6, 2017 for the purpose of electing one Mayor and two Councilmembers to serve on the City Council in the City of Cottonwood Shores; and

**WHEREAS**, no proposition is to appear on the ballot in that election; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Secretary has certified in writing that each candidate on the ballot is unopposed for election to office; and

**WHEREAS**, the filing deadlines for placement on the ballot and declaration of write-in candidacy have passed; and

**WHEREAS**, in these circumstances Title 1, Chapter 2, Subchapter C, Sections 2.052 and 2.053 of the Texas Election Code authorizes a governing body to declare, after receipt of Certification of Unopposed Status, by order or ordinance, each unopposed candidate elected to office and cancel the election.

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

**Section 1.** The following candidates, who are unopposed in the May 6, 2017 General Election, are hereby declared elected to office, and shall be issued a certificate of election:

<b>CANDIDATE</b>	<b>OFFICE</b>
Francis Donald Orr	Mayor
Brigitte Stella Thomas	Council Place Two
Stephen Alexander Sherry	Council Place Four

**Section 2.** The City Secretary is directed to post a copy of this Ordinance at each designated polling place on May 6, 2017.

**Section 3.** This Ordinance shall be cumulative of all provisions of Ordinances of the City of Cottonwood Shores, Texas, except where the provisions of this Ordinance are in direct conflict with the provisions of such Ordinances, in which event the conflicting provisions of such Ordinances are hereby repealed.

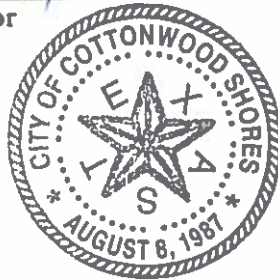
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**Section 4.** It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Councilmembers that the phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs or sections of this Ordinance are severable, and if any phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this Ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional by the valid judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality shall not affect any of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs and sections of this Ordinance since the same would have been enacted by the City Council without the incorporation in this Ordinance of any such unconstitutional phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section.

**Section 5.** This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, and it is so ordained.

**ORDINANCE PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS, THE 3<sup>RD</sup> DAY OF MARCH, 2017, AT A MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COTTONWOOD SHORES, TEXAS, THERE BEING A QUORUM PRESENT, BY 5 YEAS, 0 NAYS AND 0 ABSTAINS.**

  
Donald Orr, Mayor



ATTEST:

  
Sheila Moore

City Administrator/City Secretary

**CITY OF COTTONWOOD SHORES**  
3808 Cottonwood Drive, Cottonwood Shores, Texas 78657

Mayor: Donald Orr  
Mayor Pro-Tem: Stephen Sherry  
Councilmember: Tony Satsky



Councilmember: Cheri Trinidad  
Councilmember: Brigitte Thomas  
Councilmember: Roger L. Wayson

*People, Parks and Prosperity*

**CERTIFICATION OF UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES FOR OTHER  
POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS (NOT COUNTY)  
CERTIFICACIÓN DE CANDIDATOS ÚNICOS  
PARA OTRAS SUBDIVISIONES POLITICAS (NO EL CONDADO)**

**To: Presiding Officer of Governing Body**  
**Al: Presidente de la entidad gobernante**

As the authority responsible for having the official ballot prepared, I hereby certify that the following candidates are unopposed for election to office for the election scheduled to be held on May 6, 2017.

*Como autoridad a cargo de la preparación de la boleta de votación oficial, por la presente certifico que los siguientes candidatos son candidatos únicos para elección para un cargo en la elección que se llevará a cabo May 6, 2017.*

**List offices and names of candidates:**  
**Lista de cargos y nombres de los candidatos:**

**Office(s) Cargo(s)**

Mayor  
Councilmember Place 2  
Councilmember Place 4

**Candidate(s) Candidato(s)**

Francis Donald Orr  
Brigitte Stella Thomas  
Stephen Alexander Sherry

*Sheila C. Moore*

Signature (*Firma*)

*Sheila C. Moore*

Printed name (*Nombre en letra de molde*)

*City Administrator City Secretary*

Title (*Puesto*)

*3/1/2017*

Date of signing (*Fecha de firma*)



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