

**ORDINANCE NO. 437**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF EL LAGO, TEXAS CANVASSING THE RETURNS AND DECLARING THE RESULTS OF THE CITY OF EL LAGO GENERAL ELECTION HELD ON MAY 7, 2016 FOR THE RESULTS OF PROPOSITION 1; FOR THE ELECTION OF CITY COUNCIL POSITIONS 3, 4 AND 5; AND ORDERING THE ISSUANCE OF A CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION TO EACH CANDIDATE.**

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**WHEREAS**, by Ordinance No. 435 passed, approved and adopted by the City Council of the City of El Lago on February 15<sup>th</sup>, 2016, an Order of Election was issued calling for a General Election to be held on May 7, 2016 in the City of El Lago for the purpose of electing Councilmembers to Positions 3, 4 and 5; and to decide For or Against Proposition 1 for the sale of certain parkland property as described therein; and

**WHEREAS**, after public notice was duly given, said election was duly and properly held on May 7, 2016; and

**WHEREAS**, a canvass of the election was conducted on May 16, 2016; and

**WHEREAS**, the canvass revealed that there were 311 legal and valid votes cast in such election for the candidates and Proposition with each candidate and the Proposition having received votes as follows:

	<b>VOTES RECEIVED</b>			
	Early Voting	Election Day	Provisional	Total
<b>COUNCIL POSITION 3</b>				
Jim Kelly	129	130	1	260
<b>COUNCIL POSITION 4</b>				
Shelah Bird	34	43	0	77
John Skelton	104	94	0	198
<b>COUNCIL POSITION 5</b>				
Jeff Tave	87	61	1	149
Mark Briggs	62	92	0	154
<b>PROPOSITION 1</b>				
For	100	116	1	217
Against	46	36	0	82

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of El Lago finds the election returns set out above to be accurate and correct and no election protest or contest has been filed with the City Council or with the City of El Lago;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL LAGO, TEXAS:**

**SECTION 1.** The General Election held on May 7, 2016 was duly and properly ordered and notice thereof was given in accordance with and held in conformity with the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas and of the United States.

**SECTION 2.** Jim Kelly, having no opposition and receiving a plurality of votes cast at said election for the office of City Council Position 3, is hereby declared elected to the office of City Council Position 3.

**SECTION 3.** John Skelton, having received a plurality of votes cast at said election for the office of City Council Position 4, is hereby declared elected to the office of City Council Position 4.

**SECTION 4.** Mark Briggs, having received a plurality of votes cast at said election for the office of City Council Position 5, is hereby declared elected to the office of City Council Position 5.

**SECTION 5.** The "For" option for Proposition 1 received a plurality of votes cast at said election. Proposition 1 is hereby declared approved.

**SECTION 6.** The meeting of the City Council at which this Ordinance is adopted and the results of the General Election approved and accepted was open to the public and notice of the time, place and subject matter of the meeting was given as required by law.

A certificate of election shall be issued to each candidate declared elected above and the terms for the above candidates are to begin upon their taking their Oath of Office after the designated period for the May 7, 2016 election canvass, and each will remain in office for the duration of the two year term to end after the canvass of the election in May 2018.

**PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED** by the City Council of the City of El Lago, Texas at a regular meeting held on May 16, 2016.

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Robert White  
Mayor

ATTEST:

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Ann Vernon  
City Secretary