

**RESOLUTION NO. 2023-07**

**A RESOLUTION AND ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BALCONES HEIGHTS, TEXAS DECLARING THE RESULTS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL ELECTION HELD ON SATURDAY, MAY 6, 2023 IN THE CITY OF BALCONES HEIGHTS**

**WHEREAS**, Resolution No. 2023-01 and Resolution No. 2023-02 of the City of Balcones Heights, Texas, heretofore adopted on January 23, 2023 called for a JOINT GENERAL/SPECIAL ELECTION to be held in Balcones Heights, Texas on Saturday, May 6, 2023 to elect the following City Officers and proposition:

Council, Place Three  
Council, Place Four  
Council, Place Five

**Proposition A**

*“WHETHER THE CITY OF BALCONES HEIGHTS CRIME CONTROL AND PREVENTION DISTRICT SHOULD BE CONTINUED FOR 20 YEARS AND THE CRIME CONTROL AND PREVENTION DISTRICT SALES AND USE TAX SHOULD BE CONTINUED FOR 20 YEARS.”*

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of Balcones Heights, Texas met on Monday, May 15, 2023, sitting as the Canvassing Board to canvass and tally the official results of said General and Special Election held on May 6, 2023.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BALCONES HEIGHTS, TEXAS that:**

**SECTION 1. THAT there came on to be considered** the official returns of the General Election held on May 6, 2023, for the purpose of electing the above-named City Officers; and it appearing from said official returns, duly and legally made, that there were cast at said election 89 valid and legal votes; and that each of the candidates in said election received the following votes:

	COUNCIL, PLACE 3	
<i>Name of Candidate</i>		<i>Total Votes Received</i>
Juan Manuel Lecea, Jr. (UNOPPOSED, DECLARED ELECTED)		56
	COUNCIL, PLACE 4	
<i>Name of Candidate</i>		
Mark Saenz (UNOPPOSED, DECLARED ELECTED)		60
	COUNCIL, PLACE 5	
<i>Name of Candidate</i>		
Miguel C. Valverde (UNOPPOSED, DECLARED ELECTED)		57

**SECTION 2. THAT there came on to be considered** the official returns of the Special Election held on May 6, 2023, for the purpose of considering the below named Proposition; and it appearing from said official returns, duly and legally made, that there were cast at said election 89 valid and legal votes; and that said proposition received the following votes:

FOR ( ) "WHETHER THE CITY OF BALCONES HEIGHTS CRIME CONTROL AND PREVENTION DISTRICT SHOULD BE CONTINUED FOR 20 YEARS AND THE CRIME CONTROL AND PREVENTION DISTRICT SALES AND USE TAX SHOULD BE CONTINUED FOR 20 YEARS."  
AGAINST ( )

PROPOSITION	FOR	AGAINST	TOTAL VOTES RECEIVED
Proposition A	57	28	85

**SECTION 3. THAT** said General Election was duly called and that notice of said election was given in accordance with law and Juan M. Lecea, Jr. was duly elected Council, Place 3, Mark Saenz was duly elected Council, Place 4 and Miguel C. Valverde was duly elected Council, Place 5 of the City of Balcones Heights, Texas at said election; and

**SECTION 4. THAT** the above-named individuals are hereby declared duly elected to said respective offices, subject to their qualifying for office by the taking of their Oaths of Office and the filing of their "Pre-Oath Statement by Officer-Elect," as provided by the laws of the State of Texas.

**SECTION 5. THAT** said Special Election was duly called and that notice of said election was given in accordance with law and the "*Balcones Heights Crime Control and Prevention District*" is hereby continued for a period of twenty (20) years and the "*Balcones Heights Crime Control and Prevention District Sales Tax*" is hereby continued for a period of 20 years; and

**SECTION 6. IT IS FURTHER FOUND AND DETERMINED that** in accordance with the Order of the City Council, the City Secretary posted written notice of the date, time, place and subject of this meeting on the bulletin board located in the Justice Center, at a place convenient and readily accessible to the general public at all times, and that said notice having been so posted, remained so posted continuously for at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled date and time of said meeting. A copy of the return of said posting shall be attached to the minutes of this meeting and shall be made a part thereof for all intents and purposes.

**SECTION 7. THAT** said Resolution shall be effective upon passage by the City Council.

**PASSED, APPROVED AND RESOLVED** in Balcones Heights, Texas this the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May, 2023.

Suzanne de Leon  
MAYOR

**ATTEST:**

Delia R. Sanchez  
City Secretary