



TOWN COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA

November 21, 2022 at 9:00 AM

Town Hall - 1941 E. Jeter Road, Bartonville, TX 76226

A. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

C. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

If you wish to address the Council, please fill out a "Public Meeting Appearance Card" and present it to the Town Secretary, preferably before the meeting begins. Pursuant to Section 551.007 of the Texas Government Code, citizens wishing to address the Council for items listed as public hearings will be recognized when the public hearing is opened. For citizens wishing to speak on a non-public hearing item, they may either address the Council during the Citizen Comments portion of the meeting or when the item is considered by the Town Council.

D. ACTION ITEMS

1. Discuss and consider approval of a resolution canvassing returns and declaring the results of a Special Election held November 8, 2022, for the purpose of considering a ballot proposition on the question of reallocating sales and use tax revenue by reducing the rate of sales and use tax for the purposes authorized by Chapters 501, 502, and 505, Texas Local Government Code (Formerly Section 4B of the Development Corporation Act of 1979) and increasing the sales and use tax to provide revenue for maintenance and repair of municipal streets.

E. ADJOURNMENT

I hereby certify that this Notice of Meeting was posted on the Town Website, and on the bulletin board, at Town Hall of the Town of Bartonville, Texas, a place convenient and readily accessible to the public at all times. Said Notice was posted on the following date and time; and remained posted continuously prior to the scheduled time of said meeting and shall remain posted until meeting is adjourned.

/s/ Tammy Dixon, Town Secretary

Posted: August 18, 2022 at 8:35 AM

The Town Council reserves the right to adjourn into executive session during the course of this meeting to discuss any item on the posted agenda as authorized by Chapter 551 of the Texas Government.



TOWN COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

DATE November 21, 2022

FROM: Tammy Dixon, Town Secretary

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SUMMARY:

A Special Election was held on November 8, 2022, for the purpose of voting on a ballot proposition on the question of reallocating sales and use tax revenue by reducing the rate of sales and use tax for the purposes authorized by Chapters 501, 502, and 505, Texas Local Government Code from the rate of one-quarter of one percent to the rate of one-eighth of one percent; and increasing the rate of sales and use tax to provide revenue for maintenance and repair of municipal streets from one-half of one percent to the rate of five-eighths of one percent, in the Town of Bartonville.

The unofficial cumulative returns for the election were as follows: For: 786 Against: 124. The proposition received a favorable majority vote and was passed.

The Texas Election Code requires that canvassing the results takes place between the 8th day and 11th day after the election.

FISCAL INFORMATION:

N/A

RECOMMENDED MOTION OR ACTION:

Move to approve canvassing returns and declaring the results of a Special Election November 8, 2022, for the purpose of considering a ballot proposition on the question of reallocating sales and use tax revenue by reducing the rate of sales and use tax for the purposes authorized by Chapters 501, 502, and 505, Texas Local Government Code (Formerly Section 4B of the Development Corporation Act of 1979) and increasing the sales and use tax to provide revenue for maintenance and repair of municipal streets

ATTACHMENTS:

Draft Resolution.

**TOWN OF BARTONVILLE
RESOLUTION 2022-_____**

A RESOLUTION CANVASSING RETURNS AND DECALRING RESULTS OF A SPECIAL ELECTION HELD NOVEMBER 8, 2022, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING A BALLOT PROPOSITION ON THE QUESTION OF REALLOCATING SALES AND USE TAX REVENUE BY REDUCING THE RATE OF SALES AND USE TAX FOR THE PURPOSES AUTHORIZED BY CHAPTERS 501, 502, AND 505, TEXAS LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE AND INCREASING THE SALES AND USE TAX TO PROVIDE REVENUE FOR MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF MUNICIPAL STREETS

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town of Bartonville, Texas (“Town”) caused to be published in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas, notice of the special election held November 8, 2022, to consider one ballot on the question of reallocating sales and use tax revenue by reducing the rate of sales and use tax for the purposes authorized by Chapters 501, 502, and 505, Texas Local Government Code from one-fourth of one percent to the rate of one-eighth of one percent; and increasing the rate of sales and use tax to provide revenue for maintenance and repair of municipal streets from one-half of one percent to the rate of five-eighths of one percent; and

WHEREAS, notice of election was properly given by the Town as required by law; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council has considered the returns of said election held November 8, 2022; and

WHEREAS, said election was duly and legally held on November 8, 2022, in the Town and in conformity with the election laws of the State of Texas, and the results of said election have been certified and returned by the proper judge and clerks thereof; and

WHEREAS, the election returns, duly and legally made, showed that there were cast in said election a total of 910 valid and legal votes, of which 26 were cast absentee, 697 were cast early, and 187 were cast on election day; and that the measure in said election received the following votes:

PROPOSITION #1

“The reduction of the sales and use tax authorized under The Development Corporation Act of 1979 and Chapters 501, 502 and 505 of the Local Government Code, in the Town of Bartonville, Texas, from the rate of one-quarter of one percent to the rate of one-eighth of one percent; and the adoption of a local sales and use tax in the Town of Bartonville, Texas, at the rate of five-eighths of one percent to provide revenue *for maintenance and repair of municipal streets.*”

	Absentee	Early Voting	Election Day	Total	Total Percentage
FOR	24	616	146	796	86.37%
AGAINST	2	81	41	124	13.63%
Total	26	697	187	910	100.00%

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF BARTONVILLE, TEXAS:

SECTION 1

The Town Council of the Town of Bartonville, Texas, officially finds and determines an election was duly ordered to be held in the Town of Bartonville, Texas, on the 8th day of November, 2022, for the purpose of voting on a ballot proposition on the question of reallocating sales and use tax revenue by reducing the rate of sales and use tax for the purposes authorized by Chapters 501, 502, and 505, Texas Local Government Code from one-fourth of one percent to the rate of one-eighth of one percent; and increasing the rate of sales and use tax to provide revenue for maintenance and repair of municipal streets from one-half of one percent to the rate of five-eighths of one percent, in the Town of Bartonville, Texas. Further, that proper notice of said election was duly given; that said election has been made and delivered; and that the Town Council has duly canvassed said returns, which is attached hereto as *Exhibit A*, were made in accordance with the law.

SECTION 2

The Town Council of the Town of Bartonville, Texas, officially finds and determines that only qualified resident voters of the Town were allowed to vote at said Special Election, the following votes were cast at said Special Election, and that the canvass of the votes cast in said election and returns thereof, which is attached hereto as *Exhibit A*, were made in accordance with the law.

**FOR
AGAINST**

796 “The reduction of the sales and use tax authorized
124 under The Development Corporation Act of 1979 and
Chapters 501, 502 and 505 of the Local Government
Code, in the Town of Bartonville, Texas, from the rate
of one-quarter of one percent to the rate of one-eighth
of one percent; and the adoption of a local sales and use
tax in the Town of Bartonville, Texas, at the rate of
five-eighths of one percent to provide revenue *for
maintenance and repair of municipal streets.*”

SECTION 3

The Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver this order canvassing the Special Election, in accordance with the Texas Election Code and all other necessary action in connection herewith.

DULY PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF BARTONVILLE, TEXAS ON THIS THE 21st DAY OF NOVEMBER 2022.

APPROVED:

Jaclyn Carrington, Mayor

ATTEST:

Tammy Dixon, Town Secretary

General & Special Elections

Regi 927 of 1390 = 66.69%

Precincts Reporting

1 of 1 = 100.00%

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11/8/2022

Run Date 11/15/2022

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Town of Bartonville Proposition A

Choice	Party	Absentee Voting		Early Voting		Election Day Voting		Total	
For		24	92.31%	616	88.38%	146	78.07%	786	86.37%
Against		2	7.69%	81	11.62%	41	21.93%	124	13.63%
Cast Votes:		26	100.00%	697	100.00%	187	100.00%	910	100.00%
Undervotes:		3		10		4		17	
Overvotes:		0		0		0		0	

*** End of report ***