## RESOLUTION NO. 2023 -01

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BANGS, BROWN COUNTY, TEXAS, ORDERING THE GENERAL ELECTION TO BE ADMINISTERED BY THE BROWN COUNTY ELECTIONS ADMINISTRATOR ON MAY 6, 2023, FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING A MAYOR AND TWO (2) COUNCIL MEMBERS, TO THE BANGS CITY COUNCIL TO HOLD OFFICE FOR A PERIOD OF TWO YEARS; DESIGNATING LOCATIONS OF POLLING PLACES; DESIGNATING FILING DEADLINES; PROVIDING FOR A RUNOFF ELECTION; ORDERING NOTICES OF ELECTION TO BE GIVEN AS PRESCRIBED BY LAW.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BANGS, TEXAS, THAT:

**SECTION 1**: Election is hereby ordered to be held on May 6, 2023, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and Two (2) City Council Members, to fill the expiring terms on the Bangs City Council;

**SECTION 2**: The Election Day polling place where qualified voters shall cast ballots at such location in the City of Bangs, 2023 General Municipal Elections are as follows:

Bangs Community Center 406 E Spencer St. Bangs, TX 76823

Election polls shall be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on the date of the election.

SECTION 3: Early voting for this General Election shall be conducted by the Brown County Elections Administrator. The early voting period of said election is established by law, and the Clerk shall keep the office open for early voting from April 24, 2023 through May 2, 2023, in accordance with the provisions of the Texas Election Code, and as listed below:

EARLY VOTING LOCATIONS & HOURS FOR GENERAL ELECTION SATURDAY, MAY 6, 2023

Local Election

**Brown County, Texas** 

**SECTION 4:** Candidates must file for a specific place and adhere to the filing deadlines accordingly. Candidate Packets are available in the City Secretary's Office. The candidate filing periods for the General Election for Three Two-year Terms begin at 8:00 a.m. January 18, 2023. and ends at 5:00 p.m. February 17, 2023. Candidates must file in the City Secretary's Office located at 109 S 1st St, Bangs, TX.

**SECTION 5:** If two or more candidates for the office of Council Member tie for the number of votes required to be elected, the tie shall be broken in accordance with the Texas Election Code, including Chapter 2 thereof.

**SECTION 6:** The City Secretary is hereby authorized and directed to publish and/or post, in the time and manner prescribed by law, all notices required to be so published and/or posted in connection with the conduct of this election. In accordance with the contracts, the Brown County Election Administrator shall designate the election judges for the joint election. The election, including providing the notice of the election, shall be conducted in accordance with the Texas Election Code and other applicable law, and all resident qualified and registered voters of the City shall be eligible to vote at the election.

**SECTION 7:** The Mayor is hereby authorized to execute Contracts for Election Services between the Brown County Elections Administrator and the City of Bangs, attached as Exhibit "A-D" respectively.

**SECTION 8:** The Mayor and the City Secretary of the City, in consultation with the City Attorney, are hereby authorized and directed to take any and all actions necessary to comply with the provisions of the Texas Election Code and any other state or federal law in carrying out and conducting the election, whether or not expressly authorized herein.

AND IT IS SO RESOLVED.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Bangs, Brown County, Texas, on this the 9<sup>th</sup> day of January 2023.

APPROVED:

City Secretary