

Districts 1 & 4 Unopposed Candidate Certification & Cancellation of Districts 1 & 4 May 3, 2025 General Election

Lauren Thoden, City Secretary March 4, 2025



## **Background**

- May 3, 2025 General Election Ordered February 4, 2025
  - ✓ Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4
- Application for a Place on the Ballot
  - ✓ Filing Period ended February 14, 2025
- Write-In-Candidates
  - ✓ Filing period ended February 18, 2025
- Filing Results for Districts 1 and 4
  - ✓ District 1 Candidate Vicki Byrd Unopposed
  - ✓ District 4 Candidate Joe Holland Unopposed



## Background - Cont'd

## Texas Election Code

- Requires the City Secretary, under the conditions below, certify there is an unopposed candidate, the governing body declare the unopposed candidate as elected, and officially cancel the election for that single-member district
  - Candidate in single-member district is unopposed
  - No At-Large propositions are on the ballot
  - No At-Large race is on the ballot
- City Secretary presents certification of unopposed candidate to governing body
  - No action required on this certification
  - City Council required to take formal action declaring Candidates Vicki Byrd and Joe Holland elected and cancelling the District 1 and 4 elections following this certification

