ORDINANCE # 017-07

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF DE LEON, TEXAS, CANVASSING THE RESULTS OF THE NOVEMBER 6, 2007 SPECIAL ELECTION FOR PLACE THREE COUNCIL MEMBER.

- WHEREAS, an Election was held at the City of De Leon, Texas, on November 6, 2007 for the purpose of the Special Election for Place Three councilmember.
- WHEREAS, the City Council has reviewed and investigated all matters pertaining to this election, including the ordering, notices, election officers, holding and returns thereof, and
- WHEREAS, the City Council hereby canvasses the returns of this election, at which there was submitted to all resident, qualified electors of the City of De Leon, for their action thereupon, the Special Election of Place Three councilmember.
- WHEREAS, the City of De Leon has diligently inquired into the poll lists and the official election returns which were duly and lawfully made to this Board by the judges and clerks holding and conducting the election; the poll list and the official election returns showing separately the voters cast in the election; and
- WHEREAS, from these returns, this City Council hereby finds that the following votes were cast in the election by voters who were resident, qualified electors of the City; and

WHEREAS, each of the candidates in said election received the following votes:

CANDIDATES

NUMBER OF VOTES

Place Three Councilmembers:

Marion Quade

37

Avery Carlisle

66

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DE LEON, TEXAS,

SECTION 1. The City Council officially finds, determines, and declares that the election was duly and properly ordered, that proper legal notice of such election was duly given in the English language and Spanish language, that proper election officers were duly appointed prior to the election, that the election was duly and legally held, that all

resident, qualified electors of the City of De Leon were permitted to vote at the election and due returns of the results of the election had been made and delivered and that the City of De Leon has duly canvassed such returns, all in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas and of the United States of America and the resolution calling the election.

SECTION 2. The following person is elected to Place Three councilmember for a term of two (2) years:

Avery Carlisle

SECTION 3. That it is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this ordinance is passed was open to the public as required and that public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the *Open Meetings Act*, *Chapter 551*, *Loc. Gov't. Code*.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council on this the 16th day of NOVEMBER, 2007.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the City Council on this the 27TH day of DECEMBER, 2007.

CITY OF DE LEON,

ATTEST:

Karen Wilkerson, City Secretary