

**ORDER AND NOTICE
OF A SPECIAL ELECTION**

A PROPOSITION REGARDING THE USE OF FOR THE CITY OF PORT ARTHUR TYPE A ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION SALES AND USE TAX FUNDS TO BE USED FOR ENHANCEMENTS AT ADAMS PARK, ROSE HILL PARK, AND THE RECREATION AND SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER PURSUANT TO 505.152 OF THE TEXAS LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE

Notice is hereby given that the city of Port Arthur will hold a special election to submit a proposition as to the adoption for the City of Port Arthur Type A Economic Development Corporation sales and use tax funds be used for enhancements at Adams Park, Rose Hill Park, and the Recreation and Senior Citizens Center pursuant to 505.152 of the Texas Local Government Code at a rate of \$1,000,000 per year for a three-year period with an option to renew for up to an additional three (3) year period in the amount of \$1,000,000 per year authorization if approved by a 2/3 vote of the City Council And Providing For Publication Of The Election Notice On Saturday, May 1, 2021, Between The Hours 7:00 A.M. And 7:00 P.M.

I, Thurman Bartie, Mayor of the City of Port Arthur, Texas, as authorized by the City Council, do hereby Order and give Notice of a Special Election to be held in the City of Port Arthur, Texas, on Saturday, May 1, 2021, between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Said election shall be by Electronic Voting System as provided in Section 123.001 of the Election Code, Section 9.004, et seq., Local Government Code, and the City Charter. The location of each polling place is shown on Exhibit "A-2". Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted at the following locations beginning on April 19, 2021 and ending on April 27, 2021:

Please contact the City Secretary's Office at (409) 983-8115 for an Application for a Ballot by Mail or submit your request by e-mail at citysecretary@portarthurtx.gov.

Applications for a Ballot by Mail shall be mailed to:

City of Port Arthur
City Secretary Sherri Bellard
Post Office Box 1089
Port Arthur, Texas 77641-1089

Or City of Port Arthur
City Secretary Sherri Bellard
444 Fourth Street
Port Arthur, Texas 77640

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TO BE HELD MAY 1, 2021**

Applications delivered by the voter in person must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday, April 16, 2021. Applications for Mail Ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on Tuesday, April 20, 2021.

Issued this 2nd day of February, 2021.



Thurman Bartie, Mayor
City of Port Arthur

EXHIBIT "A-1"

Proposition 1:

“Shall the City of Port Arthur Type A Economic Development Corporation sales and use tax funds be used for enhancements at Adams Park, Rose Hill Park, and the Recreation and Senior Citizens Center pursuant to 505.152 of the Texas Local Government Code at a rate of \$1,000,000 per year for a three-year period with an option to renew for up to an additional three (3) year period in the amount of \$1,000,000 per year authorization if approved by a 2/3 vote of the City Council.”

EXHIBIT "A-2"

EARLY VOTING LOCATIONS

Beaumont Courthouse-Main location 1001 Pearl St., Beaumont, Texas
Port Arthur Sub-Courthouse 525 Lakeshore Dr., Port Arthur, Texas
Rogers Park Recreation Center 6540 Gladys, Beaumont, Texas
Port Arthur Public Library 4615 Ninth Ave, Port Arthur, Texas
Theodore Johns Library 4255 Fannett Rd., Beaumont, Texas
John Paul Davis Community Center 3580 E Lucas, Beaumont, Texas

ELECTION DAY VOTE CENTERS

Amelia Elementary School 565 S. Major Dr Beaumont, TX 77707
Beaumont Municipal Airport 455 Keith Rd. Beaumont, TX 77713
BISD Administration Building 3395 Harrison Ave. Beaumont, TX 77706
New Light Church 3780 Crow Rd. Beaumont, TX 77706
Dishman Elementary 3475 Champions Dr. Beaumont, TX 77707
O.C. Mike Taylor Career Center 2330 North St. Beaumont, TX 77702
Rogers Park Community Center 6540 Gladys Ave. Beaumont, TX 77706
Roy Guess Elementary 8055 Voth Rd. Beaumont, TX 77708
DeQueen Elementary 740 DeQueen Blvd. Port Arthur, TX 77640
Zion Hill Baptist Church 5848 Roosevelt Ave. Port Arthur, TX 77640
Jefferson County Sub-Courthouse 525 Lakeshore Dr. Port Arthur, TX 77640
Port Acres Elementary 6301 Pat Ave. Port Arthur, TX 77640
O W COLLINS RETIREMENT CTR 4440 GULFWAY DR. Port Arthur, TX 77642
Port Arthur Public Library 4615 9th Ave. Port Arthur, TX 77642
Queen of Vietnam Catholic Church 801 - 9th Ave. Port Arthur, TX 77642
R.L. Gabby Eldridge Center 5262 S. Gulfway Dr Sabine Pass, TX 77655
Travis Elementary 1115 Lakeview Ave. Port Arthur, TX 77642
Willie Ryman III Community Center 3248 39th St. Port Arthur, TX 77642
Alice Keith Park Recreation Center 4075 Highland Ave. Beaumont, TX 77705
Charlton-Pollard Elementary 825 Jackson St. Beaumont, TX 77701
Jefferson County Courthouse 1001 Pearl St. Beaumont, TX 77701
MLK Middle School 1400 Avenue A Beaumont, TX 77701
John Paul Davis Community Center 3580 E. Lucas Dr. Beaumont, TX 77703
Sterling Pruitt Center 2930 Gulf St. Beaumont, TX 77703
Theodore Johns Library 4255 Fannett Rd. Beaumont, TX 77705