## ORDINANCE NO.

- 2 AN ORDINANCE ORDERING A RUNOFF ELECTION TO BE HELD IN
- 3 THE CITY OF AUSTIN ON DECEMBER 11, 2018, FOR THE PURPOSE OF
- 4 ELECTING CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS (SINGLE MEMBER DISTRICTS)
- 5 FOR DISTRICT 1, DISTRICT 3, AND DISTRICT 8; MAKING PROVISION
- 6 FOR THE CONDUCT OF THE ELECTION; AND DECLARING AN
- 7 **EMERGENCY**.

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## 8 BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:

- 9 PART 1. A municipal runoff election shall be held in the City of Austin on
- December 11, 2018, in accordance with the provisions of Article II and Article III
- of the Austin City Charter and the laws of the State of Texas. At the election there
- shall be elected by majority vote of the qualified voters of District 1 a City Council
- 13 Member for District 1; by majority vote of the qualified voters of District 3 a City
- 14 Council Member for District 3; and by majority vote of the qualified voters of
- District 8 a City Council Member for District 8. The candidates for District 1 shall
- meet all requirements and shall be residents of District 1; the candidates for District
- 3 shall meet all requirements and shall be residents of District 3, and the candidates
- for District 8 shall meet all requirements and shall be residents of District 8.
- 19 **PART 2.** The election shall be conducted between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00
- 20 p.m. The precincts and locations of the election day polling places; the dates, hours,
- and locations of the early voting places; and the names of the officers appointed to
- 22 conduct the election are provided in Exhibits A-E attached and incorporated as a part
- of this ordinance.
- 24 **PART 3**. A direct recording electronic voting system, as the term is defined in Title
- 8 of the Texas Election Code, shall be used for early voting and for voting conducted
- on election day. The central counting station is established at the Travis County
- 27 Elections Division, 5501 Airport Boulevard, Austin, Texas.
- 28 **PART 4**. Notice of this election shall be given by posting and publishing a copy of
- 29 this ordinance in both English and Spanish. The notice and a copy of this ordinance
- 30 shall be posted, in both English and Spanish, in the office of the City Clerk and at
- 31 the City Hall notice kiosk not later than the 15th day before election day. Notice of
- 32 this election shall be published one time, not earlier than the 30th day before the date
- of the election or later than the 10<sup>th</sup> day before the date of the election, in a newspaper
- of general circulation in the City of Austin.

35 36 37	<b>PART 5</b> . The candidates elected at the November 6, 2018 general election and the December 11, 2018 runoff election shall take the oath of office on January 7, 2019 and begin their tenure once qualified.
38 39 40 41 42 43	<b>PART 6</b> . The Council finds that, because of the curtailed period for a runoff election and the desire of the Council to provide an opportunity for early voting, there is a need to immediately begin required preparations for this election. Such need constitutes an emergency, and the Council declares that an emergency exists Because of this emergency, this ordinance takes effect immediately on its passage for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety, and general welfare.
44 45	PASSED AND APPROVED
46 47 48	, 2018 §
49	Steve Adler
50 51 52 53	APPROVED: ATTEST:
54	Anne L. Morgan  Jannette S. Goodall
55	City Attorney City Clerk
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59 Exhibit A: Election Day Polling Places

60 Exhibit B: Election Day Presiding Judges and Alternate Judges

61 Exhibit C: Early Voting Polling Places

62 Exhibit D: Central Counting Station Staff

63 Exhibit E: Early Voting Ballot Board

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