ORDINANCE NO. 0513-2024

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PLUM GROVE, TEXAS, CANVASSING THE RETURNS AND DECLARING THE RESULTS OF THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION HELD ON MAY 4, 2024, WITHIN THE CITY FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING A MAYOR, COUNCIL MEMBER POSITION NO. 2, AND COUNCIL MEMBER POSITION NO. 4; PROVIDING AN OPEN MEETINGS CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR OTHER PURPOSES; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS a general election that was to be held in the City of Plum Grove, Texas, on May 4, 2024, for the purpose of electing Mayor, Position 2, and Position 4 of the City Council; and

WHEREAS the sealed precinct returns for said elections have been delivered to the City Council and have been opened and canvassed as provided by Section 67.004 of the Texas Election Code; and

WHEREAS the returns of the general election have been made to the Council and show that the votes for Mayor and City Council Members were cast as follows:

Mayor

Mary Arrendell	Unopposed/32
City Council Member Position 2	
Diana Chunn	31
Lee Walker	13
City Council Member Position 4	
Froy Ortiz	34
Rodney Walker	11

WHEREAS, said election was duly called; that notice thereof was given in accordance with law; and said election was duly and legally held in conformity with the election laws of the State of Texas, and the results of said election have been verified and returned by the proper judges and clerks and canvassed by the City Council of Plum Grove.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PLUM GROVE:

Section 1. The facts and matters set forth in the preamble of this Ordinance are hereby found to be true and correct and are incorporated herein for all purposes.

<u>Section 2</u>. The City Council finds and declares that on May 4, 2024, a General Municipal Election (General Election) was held to fill Mayor, Position 2 and Position 4 of the City Council; that proper notice of the General Election was duly given; and that the General Election was duly held and the returns of the election officials have been delivered to the Council, all in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas.

<u>Section 3.</u> It is hereby declared that Mary Arrendell is elected Mayor, Diana Chunn Position 2 and Froy Ortiz is elected Position 4 of the City Council. This Ordinance shall constitute an Order that the above-mentioned persons have been elected to fill these positions and the City Secretary is hereby directed to enter this Ordinance in the Official Records of the City of Plum Grove, Texas.

<u>Section 4.</u> The City Council has found and determined that the meeting at which this Ordinance is considered is open to the public and that notice thereof was given in accordance with the provisions of the Texas open meetings law, Tex. Gov't Code Ch. 551, as amended, and that a quorum of the City Council was present.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED this 13TH day of May 2024

APPROVED:

Mary Arrendell, Mayor

ATTEST:

Melissa Pouncey, City Secretary