RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF COPPELL, TEXAS, ORDERING CANCELLATION OF THE GENERAL ELECTION ON MAY 9, 2015, AND DECLARING THE ELECTION OF UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES FOR MAYOR, PLACE 2, PLACE 4, AND PLACE 6 OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COPPELL, TEXAS; PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF THE CERTIFICATES OF ELECTION; PROVIDING FOR THE POSTING OF THIS RESOLUTION AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, by Resolution No. 2015-0127.1, the City Council called for an election on May 9, 2015, to elect a Mayor, and Council Members for Places 2, 4, and 6; and,

WHEREAS, the time for filing as a candidate for the May 9, 2015, City Council election has passed; and,

WHEREAS, Subchapter C, Election of Unopposed Candidate of the Election Code provides that a municipality may cancel an election for council members if each candidate whose name is to appear on the ballot is unopposed and no proposition or special election has been called to appear; and,

WHEREAS, as required by law, the City Secretary has delivered a written certification to the City Council certifying that the candidates for election for a Mayor, and Council Members for Places 2, 4, and 6 are unopposed; and,

WHEREAS, that in accordance with the Texas Election Code, City Council desires to cancel such election and declare the unopposed candidates elected to office.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COPPELL, TEXAS:

Section 1. That the election called for May 9, 2015, to elect a Mayor and Council Members for Places 2, 4, and 6 is cancelled.

Section 2. That the following unopposed candidates have been certified as unopposed and are declared elected:

NAME OF CANDIDATE	OFFICE SOUGHT	TERM
Karen Hunt	Mayor	Full – 3-year
Brianna Hinojosa-Flores	Council – Place 2	Full – 3-year
Gary Roden	Council – Place 4	Full – 3-year
Marvin Franklin	Council – Place 6	Full – 3-year

Section 3. That a copy of this Resolution will be posted on Election Day at each polling place that would have been used in the election, as required by the Election Code.

Section 4. That a certification of election will be issued to each candidate in the same manner and at the same time as provided for a candidate elected at the election, as required by the Election Code.

AND IT IS SO RESOLVED AND ORDERED.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Coppell, Texas the 24th day of March, 2015.

This resolution and order shall be effective from and after the date of its enactment as provided by law.

APPROVED:

KAREN SELBO HUNT, MAYOR CITY OF COPPELL, TEXAS

ATTEST:

CHRISTEL PETTINOS, CITY SECRETARY CITY OF COPPELL, TEXAS

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

ROBERT E. HAGER, CITY ATTORNEY



CERTIFICATION OF UNOPPOSED CANDIDATE

MAY 9, 2015 GENERAL ELECTION

CITY OF COPPELL, TEXAS

TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of City Council

On February 27, 2015, the City Council approved Resolution No. 2015-0127.1 ordering an election to be held May 9, 2015 for the purpose of electing a Mayor and Council Members for Places 2, 4, and 6. The filing deadline for placement on the ballot and for declaration of write-in candidacy has passed and each candidate is unopposed.

Chapter 2, Subchapter C of the Texas Election Code authorizes a governing body to declare each unopposed candidate elected to office and to cancel the election for the unopposed office.

As the authority responsible for having the official ballot prepared, I Christel Pettinos, City Secretary of the City of Coppell, Dallas/Denton Counties, Texas do hereby certify that the following candidates are unopposed for the May 9, 2015 General Election.

NAME OF CANDIDATE	OFFICE SOUGHT	TERM
Karen Hunt	Mayor	Full-3-year
Brianna Hinojosa-Flores	Council – Place 2	Full-3-year
Gary Roden	Council – Place 4	Full-3-year
Marvin Franklin	Council – Place 6	Full-3-year

I further certify that no candidate name is to be placed on a list of write-in-candidates for the stated offices under applicable law.

Issued this 5th day of March 2015.

Christel Pettinos, City Secretary