



MEMORANDUM

To: Mayor and City Council

From: Christel Pettinos, City Secretary

Date: March 24, 2020

Reference: Consider approval of a Resolution to postpone the General Municipal Election from May 2, 2020 to November 3, 2020; to provide for Early Voting dates and runoff period as provided by state law; and authorizing the Mayor to sign.

As a result of the posted Declarations of Emergency by the state and county agencies, Governor Abbott has issued the opportunity for municipalities to postpone their May 2nd General Election to the November 3rd Presidential Election. There have been many on-going conversations between agencies and a solution is still being discussed. Dallas County Elections has refused to conduct a joint election for the entities for May 2, 2020 and encourages postponement to November 3, 2020. Denton County encourages the same but are open to assisting the entities with their election should they wish to continue to conduct it in May. Options are being explored and as information becomes available, we will inform City Council.