

**AGENDA  
SNYDER CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING  
MARCH 30, 2020  
TELEPHONE CONFERENCE  
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS  
1925 24<sup>th</sup> STREET  
SNYDER, TEXAS  
12:00 P.M.**

**SUPPLEMENTAL NOTICE OF MEETING BY TELEPHONE CONFERENCE:**

In accordance with order of the Office of the Governor issued March 16, 2020 the City of Snyder will conduct the meeting scheduled at 12:00 p.m. on Monday March 30, 2020 in the City Council Chambers, located at 1925 24<sup>th</sup> Street Snyder, Texas by telephone conference in order to advance the public health goal of limiting face-to-face meetings (also called “social distancing”) to slow the spread of the Coronavirus (COVID-19). [There will be no public access to the location described above.]

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A recording of the telephonic meeting will be made and will be available to the public in accordance with the Open Meetings Act upon written request.

I. CALL TO ORDER:

II. NEW BUSINESS:

1. Consider And Act On Approval Of Resolution R200330 Postponing The May 2, 2020 General Election To November 3, 2020.

Documents:

[RESOLUTION R200330.PDF](#)

III. ADJOURNMENT:

1. Consider Motion To Adjourn.

## RESOLUTION R200330

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SNYDER, TEXAS, POSTPONING AND MOVING THE REGULAR MUNICIPAL ELECTION SCHEDULED FOR MAY 2, 2020 AND CALLING AND SETTING THE DATE FOR THE REGULAR MUNICIPAL ELECTION FOR NOVEMBER 3, 2020, A UNIFORM ELECTION DATE; CONFIRMING THAT ALL CANDIDATE FILINGS REMAIN VALID; CONFIRMING THAT ALL APPLICATIONS FOR BALLOT BY MAIL FOR VOTERS OVER 65 OR DUE TO A DISABILITY REMAIN VALID; DESIGNATING DISTRICTS AND POLLING PLACES; ESTABLISHING VOTER REGISTRATION DEADLINE; ESTABLISHING DEADLINE TO RECEIVE APPLICATIONS FOR BALLOTS BY MAIL; DESIGNATING EARLY VOTING DATES.**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Snyder, Texas, is home-rule municipal corporation and political subdivision of the State of Texas; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of Snyder, previously called for the regular municipal election to be held on May 2, 2020, through City Council action approved on February 3, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, on March 13, 2020, the Governor of the State of Texas certified that the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) poses an imminent threat of disaster and declared a state of disaster for all counties in Texas;

**WHEREAS**, on March 18, 2020, the Governor of the State of Texas issued a proclamation suspending various state statutes in order to allow political subdivisions of the State of Texas who would otherwise be required to hold elections on May 2, 2020, to move their general and special elections to the next uniform election date which occurs on November 3, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, the Texas Secretary of State issued, pursuant to the above referenced proclamation, Election Advisory 2020-12, to provide guidance to local political subdivisions regarding postponing the regular municipal election to November 3, 2020;

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with and pursuant to the proclamation issued by the Governor of the State of Texas and in order to slow the spread of COVID-19 virus by avoiding bringing people together such as voters, election officials and election volunteers, the City Council of the City of Snyder finds it to be in the best interest of the public health, safety and welfare to postpone the regular municipal election;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SNYDER, TEXAS, THAT:**

### SECTION 1

Pursuant to the authority granted by the Governor of the State of Texas in his proclamation issued on March 18, 2020, the regular municipal election scheduled to be held on May 2, 2020 is postponed to the next uniform election date of November 3, 2020.

### SECTION 2

All properly filed and accepted candidate filings for the May 2, 2020 election will remain valid for the November 3, 2020 election.

### SECTION 3

The filing period for candidates for the election of a council member for Single Member District 2 is not reopened through this resolution.

### SECTION 4

All applications for ballots by mail for voters that are voting by mail due to being over the age of 65 or due

to disability are still valid for the November 3, 2020 election and all applications for ballots by mail for voters based on expected absence from Scurry County are no longer valid.

SECTION 5

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted from October 19, 2020 and ending on October 30, 2020.

SECTION 6

The deadline for early voter registration is now October 5, 2020.

SECTION 7

The deadline to submit an application for a ballot by mail is now October 23, 2020.

SECTION 8

The City Council will, by subsequent action, comply with state law regarding conducting the regular municipal election on November 3, 2020 including establishing early voting locations, hours of operation, and executing joint election agreements.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** this 30<sup>th</sup> March, 2020.

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Mayor

ATTEST:

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City Secretary