## **RESOLUTION NO: 2015-01-15D**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OVERTON, TEXAS AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE A JOINT ELECTION AGREEMENT WITH KILGORE COLLEGE (ATTACHMENT A) THAT WOULD ALLOW THE HOLDING OF A JOINT ELECTION ON SATURDAY, MAY 9, 2015 AND ANY GENERAL, SPECIAL OR BOND ELECTION THEREAFTER WHEN BOTH PARTIES AGREE IT WOULD BE MUTUALLY ADVANTAGEOUS TO DO SO AND SUCH ELECTION WOULD BE ALLOWED UNDER PROVISIONS OF THE TEXAS ELECTION CODE.

WHEREAS, it is in the public's interest to make elections for overlapping districts as convenient and cost effective as possible for its citizens; and

WHEREAS, from time-to-time the City of Overton, Texas and Kilgore College whose district and city boundaries partially overlap, hold elections on the same day; and

WHEREAS, provisions of the Texas Election Code allow for the holding of joint elections between two or more such jurisdictions pursuant to adoption of a "Joint Election Agreement" that establishes the terms, conditions and responsibilities of each party in administering and overseeing such an election; and

WHEREAS, the terms and conditions of such an Agreement have been negotiated and reduced to writing as shown in Attachment A, which becomes a part of this Resolution for all purposes;

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

That the Mayor is authorized on behalf of the City to execute the attached Joint Election Agreement with Kilgore College

APPROVED AND RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OVERTON, TEXAS ON THIS  $15^{\rm TH}$  DAY OF JANUARY, 2015.

C.R. Evans

ATTEST:

Rachél Gafford, City Secretary

## JOINT ELECTION AGREEMENT

## Between

## Kilgore Junior College District (KC) and the

City of Overton (City)

**BY THE TERMS OF THIS AGREEMENT,** KC, a local political subdivision, and the City do hereby agree, pursuant to the provisions of the Texas Election Code, to hold a joint election of the General/Special/Bond Election of KC and the General/Special/Bond Election of the City to be held on Saturday, May 9, 2015.

KC and the City shall share equally (according to the percentages set forth in the Joint Election Contract) in the expense of the early voting and election day polling locations, ballot programming, payroll of election workers, and other costs common to both elections upon receipt of satisfactory billing and invoices from the City reflecting the total of such expenses.

KC understands that the City has contracted with other local political subdivisions. KC acknowledges, and does hereby give their consent, that such other local political subdivisions may use one or more of the same early voting locations, voting equipment, and the services of the early voting deputies and one or more of the same Election Day polling locations, voting equipment, and the services of the election workers.

In the event KC cancels its election, the election will be conducted at the same location(s) as planned with the City paying all expenses for conducting the election.

This Agreement shall be valid until one of the Entities gives a 30-day notice to the other Entity that it no longer wishes to participate in the Agreement.

APPROVED by vote of the Kilgore College Board of Trustees on the

15TH day of DECEMBER, 2014.

KILGORE JUNIOR COLLEGE DISTRICT

Presiding Officer, Board of Trustees

January , 20 15.

CITY OF OVERTON

Mayor Gram