

CITY OF ITALY, TEXAS
ORDINANCE NO. 2020-0914-03

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ITALY, TEXAS, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 2020-0413-01 FOR THE PURPOSE OF UPDATING EARLY VOTING DATES TO COINCIDE WITH EXECUTIVE ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF TEXAS; MAKING FINDINGS RELATED THERETO; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, on March 18, 2020, the Governor issued a Proclamation suspending certain sections of the Texas Election Code, among others, to allow political subdivisions of the State that would otherwise hold elections on May 2, 2020, to postpone general and special elections to the next uniform election date, November 3, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on April 13, 2020, the City of Italy, Texas (the "City"), adopted Ordinance No. 2020-0413-01 which, in part, postponed the City's May 2020 general election to November of 2020; and

WHEREAS, on July 27, 2020, the Governor of the State of Texas issued a Proclamation extending early voting to begin on Tuesday, October 13, 2020 and continuing until the fourth day before the November general election; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Italy wishes to amend its ordinance calling for a November general election to reflect the Governor's extension of early voting.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ITALY, TEXAS, THAT:

SECTION 1. All of the above premises are hereby found to be true and correct and are hereby approved and incorporated into the body of this Ordinance as if copied in their entirety.

SECTION 2. Ordinance No. 2020-0413-01 is hereby amended at Section 4 to reflect the following:

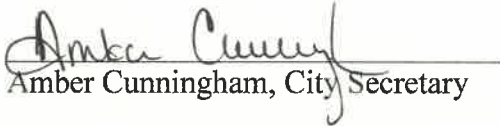
The early voting period is October 13, 2020, through October 30, 2020.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance shall become effective, and be in full force and effect, from and after the date of its passage.

DULY PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ITALY, TEXAS, ON THIS THE 14TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2020.


Bryant Cockran, Mayor

ATTEST:


Amber Cunningham, City Secretary