ORDINANCE NO. 2003-37

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN OF TALTY, TEXAS, CALLING FOR THE ELECTION OF THE MAYOR AND FIVE ALDERMEN; PROVIDING FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF ELECTION JUDGES; PROVIDING FOR EARLY VOTING; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Talty, Texas, hereby finds and determines that an election should be held to fill the positions of Mayor and five Aldermen; that the term of office for Mayor is two years and the term of office for the Aldermen shall be one year or two years as determined at the first meeting of the governing body following the election.

Now, Therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE TOWN OF TALTY, TEXAS:

SECTION 1. An election is hereby called for Saturday, May 3, 2003, such date being a uniform election date as defined in Section 41.004 of the Texas Election Code, as amended. At such election, the ballot shall be printed to provide for voting for the office of Mayor and up to five Aldermen.

SECTION 2. All qualified resident electors of the Town shall be permitted to vote at said election. This election shall be held and conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Texas Election Code.

SECTION 3. The polls shall be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Election Day. The main polling place for the election shall be:

Trinity Family Church

Early voting shall be held at 1256 Trinity Meadows from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Monday through Friday beginning April 16, 2003 through April 29, 2003.

SECTION 4. Mary Holubec and Mac McGinnis are hereby appointed to serve as Judge and Alternate Judge, respectively. These election officers are also appointed as the early voting ballot board for processing early voting ballots. The early voting clerk shall be the Town Secretary. The Election Judge may select one other registered voter within the Town to serve as election clerk on election day.

SECTION 5. A substantial copy of this ordinance shall serve as proper notice of said election. Said notice, including a Spanish translation thereof, shall be published once in a newspaper of general circulation, published within the Town not earlier than the thirtieth day nor later than the tenth day before the election and posted not later than the twenty-first day before the election on the bulletin board used for publishing notices of the meetings of the Board of Aldermen of the Town.

DULY PASSED by the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Talty, Texas, on the 11th day of February, 2003.

APPROVED:

Allison Weaver, MAYOR

ATTEST:

Carla Milligan, TOWN SECRETARY

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

````TOWN ATTORNEY

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