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A RESOLUTION CANVASSING THE RETURNS OF THE CITY OF HOUSTON RUNOFF ELECTION HELD ON NOVEMBER 20, 1979; COUNTING THE VOTES CAST; MAKING VARIOUS FINDINGS AND PROVISIONS RELATED TO THE SUBJECT; AND DECLARING THE OFFICIAL RESULTS OF SAID ELECTION.

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HOUSTON:

Section 1. That the City Council hereby finds and determines:

a. This resolution is adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council.

b. In accordance with the laws of the State of Texas and the Charter of the City of Houston there was held in the City of Houston on November 20, 1979, the City of Houston Runoff Election for the election of the officers of the City in those positions where no candidate received a majority of all votes cast at the general election held on November 6, 1979.

c. Said election was regularly ordered and notice thereof regularly given for the time and in the manner provided by law.

d. The returns of the election, properly certified, were made and returned in the manner required by law.

Section 2. That the returns of said election, as corrected, having been here and now examined by the City Council in open meeting, the City Council finds and determines therefrom that a total of 162,798 persons voted at said election and that at said election the following candidates received the number of votes indicated opposite their respective names below:

Name of Candidate	Office	Number of Votes
	Mayor	
Jim McConn		90,552
Louis Macey		70,357

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Council Member,
District C

Lance Lalor	18,320
John Shanahan	8,848

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Council Member
District F

John G. Goodner	10,275
Walt Vansickle	3,139

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Council Member,
District G

Christin Hartung	15,156
Don Hogan	10,778

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Council Member
District H

Herman Lauhoff	5,223
Dale M. Gorczynski	7,185

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Council Member
At-Large Position
Number 2

Eleanor Tinsley	83,770
Frank E. Mann	69,542

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Council Member
At-Large Position
Number 3

Johnny Goyen	99,798
Olga Yvonne Soliz	42,681

Section 3. That on the basis of the canvass above mentioned, the City Council finds and declares:

1. Jim McConn received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Mayor of the City of Houston, Texas and was elected to that office.

2. Lance Lalor received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Council Member, District C and was elected to that office.

3. John G. Goodner received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Council Member, District F and was elected to that office.

4. Christin Hartung received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Council Member, District G and was elected to that office.

5. Dale M. Gorczynski received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Council Member, District H and was elected to that office.

6. Eleanor Tinsley received a majority of all votes cast for the office of Council Member At-Large Position No. 2 and was elected to that office.

7. Johnny Goyen received a majority of the votes cast for the office of Council Member At-Large, Position No. 3 and was elected to that office.

Section 4. The City Council officially finds, determines, recites and declares that a sufficient written notice of the date, hour, place and subject of this meeting of the City Council was posted at a place convenient to the public at the City Hall of the City for the time required by law preceding this meeting, as required by the Open Meetings Law, Article 6252-17, Texas Revised Civil Statutes Annotated; and that this meeting has been open to the public as required by law at all times during which this resolution and the subject matter thereof has been discussed, considered and formally acted upon. The City Council further ratifies, approves and confirms such written notice and the contents and posting thereof.

PASSED this 21st day of November, 1979 at 11:08

4.m.

Mayor McConn

Councilmen McKaskle, Robinson,

Macey, Ford, Mancuso, Mann

And Goyen voting "AYE".

None voting "NO".

Councilman Westmoreland Absent

APPROVED this 21st day of November, 1979 at 11:08

A.m.


Mayor of the City of Houston

Approved:


Senior Assistant City Attorney

VOTE - ORDINANCE NO. _____		
AYE	NO	
✓		MAYOR McCONN
		COUNCILMEN
✓		MCKASKLE
✓		ROBINSON
✓		MACEY
✓		FORD
✓		MANCUSO
	ABSENT	WESTMORELAND
✓		MANN
✓		GOYEN
		CAPTION
		ADOPTED