

ORDINANCE CALLING BOND ELECTION

WHEREAS, the Village Council of the Village of Jamaica Beach, Texas, has determined, and hereby affirmatively determines, that an election should be held in the Village on the propositions of issuing Village bonds payable from ad valorem taxes for the purposes hereinafter set forth; and

WHEREAS, the Village Council deems it necessary to call the election hereinafter described; Now, Therefore

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE VILLAGE OF JAMAICA BEACH:

1. That an election shall be held in and throughout the Village of Jamaica Beach, Texas, on the 6th day of April, 1985, at which election the following propositions shall be submitted in accordance with law:

PROPOSITION ONE

SHALL THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF JAMAICA BEACH, TEXAS, BE AUTHORIZED TO ISSUE AND SELL AT ANY PRICE OR PRICES THE BONDS OF SAID VILLAGE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,000,000, MATURING SERIALLY OR OTHERWISE WITHIN 40 YEARS FROM THEIR DATE OR DATES, AND BEARING INTEREST AT SUCH RATE OR RATES, NOT TO EXCEED THE MAXIMUM INTEREST RATE NOW OR HEREAFTER AUTHORIZED BY LAW, AS SHALL BE DETERMINED WITHIN THE DISCRETION OF SAID VILLAGE COUNCIL AT THE TIME OF ISSUANCE, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSTRUCTING PERMANENT PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS IN AND FOR SAID VILLAGE, TO-WIT: ROADS, BRIDGES AND STREETS, INCLUDING RELATED DRAINAGE FACILITIES, AND TO LEVY TAXES UPON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY WITHIN SAID VILLAGE ANNUALLY SUFFICIENT TO PAY THE INTEREST ON SAID BONDS AS IT ACCRUES AND TO CREATE A SINKING FUND TO PAY THE PRINCIPAL OF SAID BONDS AS IT MATURES?

PROPOSITION TWO

SHALL THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF JAMAICA BEACH, TEXAS, BE AUTHORIZED TO ISSUE AND SELL AT ANY PRICE OR PRICES THE BONDS OF SAID VILLAGE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$500,000, MATURING SERIALLY OR OTHERWISE WITHIN 40 YEARS FROM THEIR DATE OR DATES, AND BEARING INTEREST AT SUCH RATE OR RATES, NOT TO EXCEED THE MAXIMUM INTEREST RATE NOW OR HEREAFTER AUTHORIZED BY LAW, AS SHALL BE DETERMINED WITHIN THE DISCRETION OF SAID VILLAGE COUNCIL AT THE TIME OF ISSUANCE, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSTRUCTING PERMANENT PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS IN AND FOR SAID VILLAGE, TO-WIT: A NEW SEWAGE TREATMENT PLANT, AND TO LEVY TAXES UPON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY WITHIN SAID VILLAGE ANNUALLY SUFFICIENT TO PAY THE INTEREST ON SAID BONDS AS IT ACCRUES AND TO CREATE A SINKING FUND TO PAY THE PRINCIPAL OF SAID BONDS AS IT MATURES?

PROPOSITION THREE

SHALL THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF JAMAICA BEACH, TEXAS, BE AUTHORIZED TO ISSUE AND SELL AT ANY PRICE OR PRICES THE BONDS OF SAID VILLAGE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$300,000, MATURING

SERIALLY OR OTHERWISE WITHIN 40 YEARS FROM THEIR DATE OR DATES, AND BEARING INTEREST AT SUCH RATE OR RATES, NOT TO EXCEED THE MAXIMUM INTEREST RATE NOW OR HEREAFTER AUTHORIZED BY LAW, AS SHALL BE DETERMINED WITHIN THE DISCRETION OF SAID VILLAGE COUNCIL AT THE TIME OF ISSUANCE, FOR THE PURPOSE OF COMPLETING THE PURCHASE OF THE WATER AND SEWER SYSTEM, AND TO LEVY TAXES UPON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY WITHIN SAID VILLAGE ANNUALLY SUFFICIENT TO PAY THE INTEREST ON SAID BONDS AS IT ACCRUES AND TO CREATE A SINKING FUND TO PAY THE PRINCIPAL OF SAID BONDS AS IT MATURES?

2. The hours during which the polls will be open for voting in said election shall be from seven o'clock a.m. to seven o'clock p.m.

3. The entire Village is hereby established as one election precinct, and the polling place for the election shall be the Jamaica Beach City Hall, 16628 San Luis Pass Road, Jamaica Beach, Texas 77551. The following named persons are appointed officers to hold such election:

Helen Partridge  
Ina Mae Brown

Presiding Judge  
Alternate Judge

4. Voting in said election shall be by the use of paper ballots, and the ballots shall conform to the requirements of the Texas Election Code, as amended, and shall have printed thereon the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

PROPOSITION ONE

[ ] FOR )  
          ) ---- THE ISSUANCE OF \$1,000,000  
[ ] AGAINST )  
          ) STREET IMPROVEMENT BONDS

PROPOSITION TWO

[ ] FOR )  
          ) ---- THE ISSUANCE OF \$500,000  
[ ] AGAINST )  
          ) SEWAGE TREATMENT PLANT BONDS

PROPOSITION THREE

[ ] FOR )  
          ) ---- THE ISSUANCE OF \$300,000  
[ ] AGAINST )  
          ) WATER AND SEWER SYSTEM BONDS

The voter shall mark each such proposition by placing an "x" or other clear mark in the square beside the statement indicating the way such voter wishes to vote on such proposition.

Absentee voting shall be conducted by a clerk for absentee voting, namely Terisa White, City Secretary, and deputy clerks, namely Joan S. Walstad and Margaret A. Stokes, and the place at which the absentee voting shall be conducted is designated as the Jamaica Beach City Hall, 16628 San Luis Pass Road, Jamaica Beach, Texas 77551, which address is the mailing address to which absentee ballot applications and ballots voted by mail may be sent. Said clerks shall keep said office open for at least eight (8)

hours, that is, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., on each day for absentee voting which is not a Saturday, a Sunday, or an official state holiday; provided, however, except as authorized by Article 5.05, Subdivision 3(d), Texas Election Code, said clerks shall not permit anyone to vote absentee by personal appearance on any day which is not a regular working day for the clerk's office, and under no circumstances shall they permit anyone to vote absentee by personal appearance at any time when their office is not open to the public.

5. All of the duly qualified resident electors of the Village shall be qualified to vote on the propositions.

6. Notice of said election (both in the English language and in the Spanish language) shall be given by posting a substantial copy of this election ordinance at three (3) public places in such Village and also at the City Hall, not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date set for election, and same shall likewise be published on the same day in each of two (2) successive weeks in the Galveston Daily News, same being a newspaper published in the English language and of general circulation in said Village, the date of the first publication to be not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date set for said election.

7. Said election shall be held at the expense of the Village and in accordance with the Texas Election Code, and the Federal Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended.

8. All resolutions and ordinances, or parts thereof, inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 4th day of March, 1985.

ATTEST:

T D White  
City Secretary  
VILLAGE OF JAMAICA BEACH, TEXAS

(SEAL)

Rich Westford  
Mayor  
VILLAGE OF JAMAICA BEACH, TEXAS