

RESOLUTION 2023-03

A RESOLUTION OFFICIALLY CERTIFYING THAT EACH MUNICIPAL OFFICE CANDIDATE IS UNOPPOSED AND CANCELLING THE INDEPENDENCE TOWN ELECTION OTHERWISE SCHEDULED FOR NOVEMBER 21, 2023.

Whereas, three at-large seats for the Independence Town Council are open for election to a four-year term this November 21, 2023;

Whereas, a single candidate for each open office timely filed a Declaration of Candidacy;

Whereas, no person filed to contest the candidacy of any declared candidate;

Whereas, September 18, 2023, was the last day on which a person could file as a write-in candidate to contest an open municipal office;

Whereas, no one has filed as a write-in candidate for any open municipal office in the Town of Independence;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Independence Town Council as follows:

Section 1. The Council certifies that Council candidates Bonnie Wilson, Gary Ryan, and Tracy Sabey each timely declared his/her candidacy for a single, open municipal office.

Section 2. The Council certifies that each candidate is unopposed for elective municipal office.

Section 3. The municipal election otherwise scheduled for November 21, 2023, is hereby cancelled to avoid the unnecessary expenditure of public funds.

Dated this 11th day of October 2023.

Phil Sweat, Mayor

Cathy Bingham, Town Clerk