



**CITY OF LA MARQUE
CITY COUNCIL
SPECIAL AGENDA
of
August 18, 2025**

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of La Marque, Texas will conduct a **Special Meeting** on **August 18, 2025**, beginning at **10:00 AM** in the **Council Chambers** at **1109-B Bayou Road La Marque, Texas** as well as via video-conference hosted through **Zoom** (**councilzoom.cityoflamarque.org**). In accordance with Section 551.127(b) of the Texas Government Code the presiding officer and a quorum of the La Marque City Council intend to be and will be physically present at 1109-B Bayou Road, La Marque, Texas. This location will be open to the public and the meeting will be broadcast at this location, on Channel 16, and via YouTube (**<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=L6G8ypjyEDo>**).

The Council will meet for the purpose of considering the following agenda:

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER
2. ROLL CALL
3. PRESENTATIONS
4. CITIZENS PARTICIPATION
LIMITED TO THREE MINUTES PER PERSON

Comments from the public will be heard at this time. Any person with city-related business who has signed up may speak to Council (limited to three (3) minutes). If wishing to speak give the Mayor or presiding officer your full legal name and the item you wish to speak about. In compliance with Texas Open Meeting Act, the City may not deliberate on comments. Personal attacks will not be allowed, and personnel matters should be addressed to the City Manager during normal business hours. *Press *6 to mute or unmute if you are participating by telephone, press the unmute button if attending via zoom on a smartphone, tablet or computer, or stand if attending in person, and the mayor will call on you in turn.*

5. OLD BUSINESS

Items presented to the Council for discussion and possible action:

5.I. Review And Discuss Proposed Fiscal Year 2025-2026 Departmental Budgets And All Funds

5.II. Ordinance No. O-2025-0015

Calling a Bond Election to be held on November 4, 2025, within the City; Making

Provisions for the Conduct of the Election; And Other Provisions Relating Thereto
- City Clerk **THIS IS THE FIRST AND FINAL READING**

The proposed proposition generally relates to the construction of a new police station. A draft of the election order reflecting the proposed amount and scope of the proposition is available for review at <https://lamarquetxt.portal.civicclerk.com/event/2125/files/agenda/3075> or upon request to the City Clerk. The final amounts and the scope of any propositions to be presented to the voters is within the discretion of City Council.

5.III. Contract: Special Election

Entering into a Contract with the Galveston County Clerk and Galveston County Election Officer for a General Obligation Bond on November 4, 2025 - City Clerk

6. NEW BUSINESS

Items presented to the Council for discussion and possible action:

6.I. Tax Rate

Proposing a Tax Rate for Fiscal Year 2025-2026 -City Clerk

7. EXECUTIVE SESSION

The City Council for the City of La Marque, Texas reserves the right to adjourn into executive session at any time during this meeting to discuss any of the matters listed above, as authorized by the Texas Government Code Section 551.071 (Consultation with Attorney), 551.072(Deliberations about Real Property), 551.073 (Deliberations about Gifts and Donations), 551.074 (Personnel Matters), 551.076 (Deliberations about Security Devices), and 551.087 (Economic Development)

8. ACTIONS TAKEN FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION

9. REQUESTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Requests by Mayor and Council Members of items to be placed on future City Council agendas and announcements on city events/community interests TEX. GOV'T CODE §551.415. (b), "items of community interest" include: (1) expressions of thanks, congratulations, or condolence; (2) information regarding holiday schedules; (3) an honorary or salutary recognition of a public official, public employee, or other citizen, except that a discussion regarding a change in the status of a person's public office or public employment is not an honorary or salutary recognition for purposes of this subdivision; (4) a reminder about an upcoming event organized or sponsored by the governing body (5) information regarding a social, ceremonial, or community event organized or sponsored by an entity other than the governing body that was attended or is scheduled to be attended by a member of the governing body or an official or employee of the municipality or county; and (6) announcements involving an imminent threat to the public health and safety of people in the municipality or county that has arisen after the posting of the agenda

10. ADJOURNMENT

CERTIFICATION:

I hereby certify that the above notice of meeting was posted at 1109-B Bayou Road, La Marque, Texas on August 14, 2025 by 5:00 PM.

Kierra K. Nance, TRMC
City Clerk



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA FORM

Meeting Date: August 18, 2025

Prepared by: _____

Department: City Clerk

Agenda Item: 5.II.

Reviewed by: _____

AGENDA ITEM DESCRIPTION:

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STAFF BRIEFING:

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HISTORY:

FISCAL IMPACT:

Unknown.

ORDINANCE NO. [_____]

ORDINANCE BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA MARQUE, TEXAS CALLING A BOND ELECTION TO BE HELD WITHIN SAID CITY; MAKING PROVISIONS FOR THE CONDUCT AND THE GIVING OF NOTICE OF THE ELECTION; AND CONTAINING OTHER PROVISIONS RELATING THERETO

WHEREAS, the City Council (the “City Council”) of the City of La Marque, Texas (the “City”) finds and determines that it is necessary and advisable to call and hold an election for and within the City on the proposition hereinafter set forth; and

WHEREAS, the City Council hereby finds, determines and declares that said election shall be held on a uniform election date established by Section 41.001(a), Texas Election Code, as amended, as required by Texas law; and

WHEREAS, the City Council hereby finds, determines and declares that the meeting at which this Ordinance is considered is open to the public, and that the public notice of the time, place and purpose of the meeting was given, as required by Chapter 551, Texas Government Code, as amended.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA MARQUE, TEXAS:

Section 1. Findings. The statements contained in the preamble of this Ordinance are true and correct and are hereby adopted as findings of fact and as part of the operative provisions hereof.

Section 2. Election Ordered; Date; Proposition. A bond election (the “Election”) shall be held for and within the City on Tuesday, November 4, 2025 (“Election Day”), a uniform election date established by Section 41.001(a), Texas Election Code, as amended (the “Code”). At the Election the following proposition (the “Proposition”) shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the City in accordance with law:

CITY OF LA MARQUE, TEXAS – PROPOSITION A

THIS IS A TAX INCREASE.

Shall the City Council of the City of La Marque, Texas (the “City”) be authorized to issue general obligation bonds of the City in the amount of \$17,500,000 for the purpose of providing funds for the design, acquisition, construction and equipment of a new police station and the acquisition of the necessary site therefor, said bonds to mature serially or otherwise over a period not to exceed forty (40) years from their date or dates, to be issued in various issues or series, to be sold at any price or prices and to bear interest at any rate or rates, not to exceed the maximum rate now or hereafter authorized by law, all as shall be determined within the discretion of

the City Council at the time of issuance, and to provide for the payment of the principal of and interest on said bonds by levying an ad valorem tax upon all taxable property in the City, within the limits prescribed by law, sufficient to pay the annual interest on and to create a sinking fund sufficient to redeem said bonds as they become due; said bonds to be issued and said taxes to be levied, pledged, assessed, and collected under the constitution and laws of the State of Texas?

Section 3. Official Ballot.

(a) Voting at the Election, and early voting therefor, shall be by the use of the lawfully approved Galveston County, Texas (“Galveston County” or the “County”) voting systems and ballots.

(b) The preparation of the necessary equipment and the official ballots for the Election shall conform to the requirements of the Code so as to permit the electors to vote “FOR” or “AGAINST” the Proposition which shall be set forth on the ballots substantially in the following form:

CITY OF LA MARQUE, TEXAS – PROPOSITION A

THIS IS A TAX INCREASE.

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| FOR |) | The issuance of \$17,500,000 of bonds for the purpose of providing funds for the design, acquisition, construction and equipment of a new police station and the acquisition of the necessary site therefor, and the levying of a tax sufficient to pay |
| AGAINST |) | the principal of and interest on the bonds. |

Section 4. Bilingual Election Materials. All notices, instructions, and ballots pertaining to the Election shall be furnished to voters in English and Spanish in compliance with the Federal Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended (the “Voting Rights Act”) and the Code, including particularly Chapter 272 of the Code pertaining to bilingual requirements.

Section 5. Persons Qualified to Vote. All resident, qualified voters of the City shall be eligible to vote at the Election.

Section 6. Election Precincts, Voting Locations and Voting Hours on Election Day. The election precincts for the Election shall consist of the territory within the boundaries of the City situated within one or more County election precincts located wholly or partially within the City. The precinct numbers for the City’s election precincts shall be the same as those assigned by the County to the County’s election precincts. The polling places for the Election are hereby designated to be those locations identified by the County Clerk (as defined herein). Such locations are listed on Exhibit A attached hereto, which is incorporated herein by reference and made a part hereof for all purposes; provided, however, such locations may be changed if so directed by the County Clerk without further action of the City. The County or its County Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to make such changes in polling locations as may be necessary for the

proper conduct of the Election, without further action by the City, and the City Clerk or her designee is hereby authorized to update Exhibit A to reflect the locations designated by the County or its County Clerk, which locations are hereby approved. Each polling place shall be open from 7:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M. on Election Day.

Section 7. County Clerk; Early Voting Clerk; Early Voting Locations, Dates and Times. (a) Dwight D. Sullivan, the Galveston County Clerk (the "County Clerk"), is hereby appointed as the Early Voting Clerk for purposes of this Election (the "Early Voting Clerk") and agent for the custodian of voted ballots in the jurisdiction.

(b) The address for the Early Voting Clerk is 10000 Emmett F. Lowry Expressway, Suite 1152, Texas City, Texas 77591 and the Early Voting Clerk may be reached at the following: (i) Telephone: (409) 770-5108, (ii) Email: elections@co.galveston.tx.us, and (iii) Website: www.galvestonvotes.org.

(c) Applications for early voting by mail shall be submitted to the Early Voting Clerk by regular mail to Attn: Ballots by Mail, C/O Dwight Sullivan, Galveston County Clerk, P.O. Box 17253, Galveston, Texas 77552-7253.

(d) The main early voting polling place for the City is hereby designated in Exhibit B.

(e) Early voting by personal appearance for all election precincts shall be held at the locations, at the times and on the days set forth in Exhibit B, attached hereto and incorporated herein, or at such other locations, times, and days as hereafter may be designated by the County or the County Clerk as provided in the Election Agreement without further action by the City. The City Clerk or her designee is hereby authorized to update Exhibit B to reflect the locations designated by the County or the County Clerk, and such locations are hereby approved.

(f) The County Clerk and/or the Early Voting Clerk are hereby authorized to appoint the members of the early voting ballot board and the presiding judges and alternate judges for each polling location in accordance with the requirements of the Code. Each of the presiding judges shall be authorized to approve the necessary election clerks to assist in conducting the Election.

(g) Voting times may be changed if directed by the County Clerk without further action by the City. The County Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to make such changes in voting hours as may be necessary for the proper conduct of the Election.

Section 8. Joint Election. The City has determined that it is in the best interest of the City to participate in a joint election with other governmental entities in the County holding elections on Election Day and to contract with the County for election services (the "Election Agreement").

Section 9. Appointment of Election Officers. The election judges, alternate judges, clerks, members of the early voting ballot board, the central counting station officials, and other personnel necessary for conducting the Election shall be appointed, election judges and alternate judges may be changed, and the central counting station shall be established and staffed all as provided in the Election Agreement and such actions are hereby approved. Further, the City Council hereby authorizes the Mayor to appoint any such other officials not designated herein or

appointed pursuant to the Election Agreement as are necessary and appropriate to conduct the Election in accordance with the Code.

Section 10. Notice of Election. Notice of the Election shall be given by: (i) publishing a substantial copy of this Ordinance, in English and Spanish, two (2) times on the same day in consecutive weeks, with the first publication to occur not earlier than the thirtieth (30th) day nor later than the fourteenth (14th) day prior to the date set for the Election, in a newspaper published in the City (or that otherwise complies with applicable law), (ii) posting a copy of this Ordinance and the Voter Information Document (as hereinafter defined), in English and Spanish, on the bulletin board used for posting notices of meetings of the City Council and in at least three (3) other public places within the boundaries of the City, not later than the twenty-first (21st) day prior to the date set for the Election, and (iii) posting a copy of this Ordinance and the Voter Information Document, in English and Spanish, on the City's website, prominently and together with the notice of the Election, the contents of the Proposition and any sample ballot prepared for the election, not later than the twenty-first (21st) day prior to the date set for the Election through Election Day. Additionally, on Election Day and during early voting by personal appearance, this Ordinance and the Voter Information Document shall be posted in a prominent location at each polling place. Notice of the Election shall also be provided to the County Clerk and voter registrar of the County not later than the sixtieth (60th) day before the Election Day; which notice the County is hereby authorized and directed to post to its website not later than the twenty-first (21st) day prior to Election Day. Notice of the Election shall be posted to the City's internet website not later than the twenty-first (21st) day before the election, in compliance with Section 4.009, Texas Election Code, as amended. The website for the City can be found at <https://www.ci.la-marque.tx.us/>.

Section 11. Conduct of Election. The Election shall be held in accordance with the Code, the Texas Government Code, and the Voting Rights Act.

Section 12. Information Required by Section 3.009 of the Election Code.

(a) City's Outstanding Debt. As of the date of this Ordinance, the City's aggregate principal amount of outstanding tax-supported debt was \$26,302,000.85 and the aggregate amount of outstanding interest on such tax-supported debt was \$10,447,606.18. Pursuant to Section 3.009(a) of the Code, such numbers do not include the City's Tax and Subordinate Lien Revenue Certificates of Obligation, Series 2025, which are hereby designated as self-supporting from the revenues of the City's water and sewer system. As of the date of this Ordinance, the City's total ad valorem tax rate is \$0.3985 per \$100 of assessed valuation, which is made up of a maintenance and operations tax rate component of \$0.2911 per \$100 of assessed valuation and a debt service tax rate component of \$0.1074 per \$100 of assessed valuation of taxable property in the City.

(b) Issuance of New Debt. The City intends to issue the bonds authorized by the Proposition over a period of years in a manner and in accordance with a schedule to be determined by the City Council based upon a number of factors, including, but not limited to, the then-current needs of the City, demographic changes, prevailing market conditions, assessed valuations of property in the City, the use of variable rate debt and management of the City's short-term and long-term interest rate exposure. Market conditions, demographics and assessed valuations of property vary based upon a number of factors beyond the City's control. Therefore, the City cannot and does not guarantee a particular interest rate or tax rate associated with the bonds authorized by

the Proposition. As such, the information contained in this paragraph is provided solely for illustrative purposes and does not establish any limitations or restrictions or create a contract with the voters. The City estimates that, based on the City's current taxable assessed valuation, current market conditions as of the date of this Ordinance, and estimated future growth in the City's taxable assessed valuation, if the Propositions were approved and all of the bonds authorized by the Propositions were issued in accordance with the City's current projected plan of finance, the maximum interest rate on the bonds is not expected to exceed 5.00%.

(c) Additional Information Required by Section 3.009 of the Code. The additional information required by Section 3.009 of the Code is located in Sections 2 and 3 of this Ordinance.

Section 13. Voter Information Document. The City Council hereby approves a voter information document for the Proposition ("Voter Information Document"), in substantially the forms presented to the City Council, with such changes as may be approved by the Mayor of the City, the person performing the duties of City Manager, or their designee, acting on behalf of the City Council, in consultation with the City Attorney, bond counsel, and financial advisor, as prescribed by Section 1251.052(b), Texas Government Code. The Mayor of the City, the person performing the duties of City Manager, or their designee, acting on behalf of the City Council, is further authorized and directed to post or provide for the posting of the Voter Information Document in the manner provided under Section 10 of this Ordinance and Section 1251.052(b), Texas Government Code.

Section 14. Necessary Actions. The Mayor, the person performing the duties of City Manager, and the City Clerk of the City, or her designee, acting on behalf of the City Council, in consultation with the City Attorney and/or bond counsel are hereby authorized and directed to take any and all actions necessary to comply with the provisions of the Code and the Voting Rights Act in carrying out and conducting the Election, whether or not expressly authorized herein, including making changes or additions to polling places or procedures to the extent required or desirable as determined by the County Clerk and modifying the provisions of this Ordinance to facilitate compliance with changes in law made during the 89th Texas Legislative Session and any special sessions thereof or administrative interpretations of such laws.

Section 15. Severability. If any provision, section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance, or the application of same to any person or set of circumstances is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, void, invalid, or unenforceable, neither the remaining portions of this Ordinance nor their application to other persons or sets of circumstances shall be affected thereby, it being the intent of the City Council in adopting this Ordinance that no portion hereof or provision or regulation contained herein shall become inoperative or fail by reason of any unconstitutionality, voidness, invalidity or unenforceability of any other portion hereof, and all provisions of this Ordinance are declared to be severable for that purpose.

Section 16. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

[Signature Page Follows]

PASSED AND APPROVED the 18th day of August, 2025.

Mayor
City of La Marque, Texas

ATTEST:

City Clerk
City of La Marque, Texas

[SEAL]

EXHIBIT A

ELECTION DAY SCHEDULE AND LOCATIONS

Tuesday, November 4, 2025 – Polls are open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

ELECTION DAY POLLING LOCATIONS*

Galveston County utilizes countywide vote centers. County voters may vote at any of the following locations on Election Day:

Joe Faggard Community Ctr
1750 Highway 87
Crystal Beach, TX 77650

Galveston CO Courthouse
722 Moody Ave
(2nd Floor)
Galveston, TX 77550

Galveston CO MUD 12
2929 Highway 6
(2nd Floor)
Bayou Vista, TX 77563

Carver Park Comm Ctr
6415 Park Ave
(Thomas Carter Rm)
Texas City, TX 77591

La Marque Comm Room
1109 B Bayou Road
La Marque, TX 77568

Dickinson City Hall
4403 Highway 3
(Meeting Rm 2)
Dickinson, TX 77539

The Crossings
255 Egret Bay Blvd
(Hall)
League City, TX 77573

Public Works Operation Ctr
1701 W. League City Pkwy
League City, TX 77573

Village on the Park
400 E. Parkwood
(Town Hall)
Friendswood, TX 77546

High Island ISD
2113 6th Street Gym
High Island, TX 77623

Moody Methodist Church
2803 53rd Street
(Fellowship Hall)
Galveston, TX 77551

Greater St. Matthews
6333 Highway 6
(Fellowship Hall)
Hitchcock, TX 77563

Nessler Center
2010 5th Ave North
(Surf Room)
Texas City, TX 77590

Bay Colony West HOA
6621 Calder Road
Dickinson, TX 77539

**JP Court, Precinct 1
(Bayshore Annex Breakroom)**
4500 10th Street
Bacliff, TX 77518

Education Support
2425 Main Street
(Boardroom)
League City, TX 77573

North County Annex
174 Calder Road
(Multipurpose Rm)
League City, TX 77573

Seaside Church
16523 Termini-San Luis Pass
Jamaica Beach, TX 77554

GISD Administration Bldg.
3904 Ave. T
(Chambers)
Galveston, TX 77550

Santa Fe ISD Museum
13304 Highway 6
Santa Fe, TX 77510

Elections and Records Center
10000 Emmett F. Lowry Expy
#1152
Texas City, TX 77591

Dickinson Community Ctr
2714 Highway 3
Dickinson, TX 77539

Kemah Community Ctr
800 Harris Ave
(Room 1)
Kemah, TX 77565

Hometown Hero's Park
1011 E. League City Pkwy
League City, TX 77573

First Baptist Friendswood
209 S. Friendswood Dr
(Room 209)
Friendswood, TX 77546

* Subject to change. To verify, please go to the Galveston County elections website, www.galvestonvotes.org.

EXHIBIT B

Galveston County Early Voting Schedule – November 4, 2025 Election*

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	October 20 Early Voting 8am–5pm	October 21 Early Voting 8am–5pm	October 22 Early Voting 8am–5pm	October 23 Early Voting 8am–5pm	October 24 Early Voting 8am–5pm	
	October 27 Early Voting 8am–5pm	October 28 Early Voting 8am–5pm	October 29 Early Voting 8am–5pm	October 30 Early Voting 7am–7pm	October 31 Early Voting 7am–7pm	

Early Voting Locations*

Main Early Voting Location
Galveston CO Records and Election Center
10000 Emmett F. Lowry Expressway #1152
Texas City, TX 77591

Joe Faggard Community Ctr
1750 Highway 87
Crystal Beach, TX 77650

Seaside Church
16523 Termini-San Luis Pass
Jamaica Beach, TX 77554

Galveston CO Justice Ctr
600 59th Street
(1st Floor Break Rm)
Galveston, TX 77551

Moody Methodist Church
2803 53rd Street
(Fellowship Hall)
Galveston, TX 77551

Galveston CO Courthouse
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(2nd Floor)
Galveston, TX 77550

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Important Note: Registered voters eligible to vote in the Election may vote at any of the above early voting locations.

If qualified, voters may request an application by mail, by calling (409) 770-5108 or by written request by regular mail to:

Attn: Ballots by Mail, C/O Dwight Sullivan
Galveston County Clerk
P.O. Box 17253
Galveston, Texas 77552-7253.

Discussion Draft (8.06.2025) – Subject to Completion and Amendment
VOTER INFORMATION DOCUMENT¹
CITY OF LA MARQUE, TEXAS – PROPOSITION A

Ballot Language – City of La Marque, Texas Proposition A (“Proposition A”)		
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☐ FOR	)	The issuance of \$17,500,000 of bonds for the purpose of providing funds for the design, acquisition, construction, and equipment of a new police station and the acquisition of the necessary site therefor,
☐ AGAINST	)	and the levying of a tax sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds.

Information Regarding the Debt Obligations (Bonds) Proposed Under Proposition A		
Principal Amount of the Debt Obligations Proposed Under Proposition A	Estimated Interest on the Debt Obligations Proposed Under Proposition A ²	Estimated Combined Principal and Interest Required to Pay the Debt Obligations Proposed Under Proposition A on Time and in Full
\$17,500,000.00	\$11,863,539.58	\$29,363,539.58

Information Regarding the Outstanding Debt Obligations (Bonds) of the City as of August 11, 2025 ³		
Principal Amount of the Outstanding Debt Obligations of the City ⁴	Estimated Remaining Interest on the Outstanding Debt Obligations of the City ⁴	Estimated Combined Principal and Interest Required to Pay the Outstanding Debt Obligations of the City on Time and in Full ⁴
\$24,232,087.19	\$9,440,595.61	\$33,672,682.80

Information Regarding the Estimated Maximum Annual Increase in the Amount of Ad Valorem Taxes on a Residence Homestead with an Appraised Value of \$100,000 to Pay the Debt Obligations (Bonds) Proposed Under Proposition A
If the bonds authorized by Proposition A are approved, based on the assumptions set forth under “Assumptions Utilized in Calculating the Estimated Tax Impact” below, the City estimates that the maximum annual increase in the amount of ad valorem taxes on a residence homestead with an appraised value of \$100,000 to pay the bonds proposed under Proposition A would be approximately \$1.06.

Assumptions Utilized in Calculating the Estimated Tax Impact

If approved by the voters, the City intends to issue the bonds authorized by Proposition A in accordance with a schedule to be determined by the City Council based upon a number of factors, including, but not limited to, the then-current needs of the City, demographic changes, prevailing market conditions, then-current market interest rates, availability of other revenue sources to pay debt service, assessed valuations of property in the City, and tax collection percentages. The estimated tax impact is derived, in part, from projections obtained from the City’s financial advisor. Actual results may vary from the assumptions used in calculating the estimated tax impact. For the purposes of estimating the maximum annual increase in taxes identified in this table, the City utilized the following major assumptions:

¹ This Voter Information Document is provided in accordance with Section 1251.052 of the Texas Government Code. It is provided solely in satisfaction of the statutory requirements. The information contained in this Voter Information Document is based on certain assumptions, and actual results may vary from such assumptions. The Voter Information Document is not intended to, and does not, create a contract with the voters.

² The City has assumed the bonds will bear interest at an estimated rate of 5.25% based on current market conditions and the amortization schedule described in the Assumptions Utilized in Calculating the Estimated Tax Impact. The interest payable on the bonds may differ based on market rates at the time the bonds are issued.

³ The information contained in this table reflects the City’s outstanding debt obligations as of August 11, 2025, the date the City Council approved an ordinance calling the election.

⁴ The City treats a portion of its outstanding debt as self-supporting from sources other than ad valorem taxes, including water and sewer revenues. Pursuant to Section 1251.051 of the Texas Government Code, the principal and interest amounts included in this table do not include public securities that are treated by the City as self-supporting.

Discussion Draft (8.06.2025) – Subject to Completion and Amendment

(1) The City has assumed the issuance from time to time of separate series of bonds for the purposes identified in Proposition A. For the purposes of these projections, it has been assumed that the bonds issued under Proposition A would be amortized as shown in the following schedule. The following is an estimated pro-forma amortization schedule based on these assumptions. It shows the City's currently outstanding bonds and bonds authorized under Proposition A:

Fiscal Year Ending (9/30)	Current Debt Service Requirements	Proposition A - Estimated Debt Service Requirements		Total Estimated Debt Service Requirements*
		Principal*	Interest*	
2026	\$2,165,238.63	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,165,238.63
2027	\$2,171,537.06	\$85,000.00	\$24,037.50	\$2,280,574.56
2028	\$2,169,488.40	\$205,000.00	\$19,875.00	\$2,394,363.40
2029	\$2,165,985.91	\$295,000.00	\$7,375.00	\$2,468,360.91
2030	\$1,700,521.86	\$85,000.00	\$752,002.08	\$2,537,523.94
2031	\$1,697,391.01	\$50,000.00	\$840,250.00	\$2,587,641.01
2032	\$1,698,038.08	\$100,000.00	\$836,500.00	\$2,634,538.08
2033	\$1,349,361.67	\$500,000.00	\$821,500.00	\$2,670,861.67
2034	\$1,348,936.67	\$535,000.00	\$795,625.00	\$2,679,561.67
2035	\$1,347,086.64	\$560,000.00	\$768,250.00	\$2,675,336.64
2036	\$1,240,275.00	\$590,000.00	\$739,500.00	\$2,569,775.00
2037	\$1,231,450.00	\$620,000.00	\$709,250.00	\$2,560,700.00
2038	\$1,233,025.00	\$645,000.00	\$677,625.00	\$2,555,650.00
2039	\$1,233,550.00	\$670,000.00	\$644,750.00	\$2,548,300.00
2040	\$1,232,950.00	\$700,000.00	\$610,500.00	\$2,543,450.00
2041	\$1,231,400.00	\$730,000.00	\$574,750.00	\$2,536,150.00
2042	\$1,238,625.00	\$755,000.00	\$537,625.00	\$2,531,250.00
2043	\$1,239,262.50	\$790,000.00	\$499,000.00	\$2,528,262.50
2044	\$1,243,403.13	\$820,000.00	\$458,750.00	\$2,522,153.13
2045	\$1,245,693.75	\$855,000.00	\$416,875.00	\$2,517,568.75
2046	\$1,240,637.50	\$900,000.00	\$373,000.00	\$2,513,637.50
2047	\$734,562.50	\$1,460,000.00	\$314,000.00	\$2,508,562.50
2048	\$734,062.50	\$1,535,000.00	\$239,125.00	\$2,508,187.50
2049	\$392,600.00	\$1,955,000.00	\$151,875.00	\$2,499,475.00
2050	\$387,600.00	\$2,060,000.00	\$51,500.00	\$2,499,100.00
Total	\$33,672,682.80	\$17,500,000.00	\$11,863,539.58	\$63,036,222.38

* Preliminary, subject to change.

(2) The City has assumed the bonds would bear interest at an estimated rate of 5.25%.

(3) The City has assumed growth in the taxable assessed value within the City of 5.00% for FYE 2026, 2027, and 2028, 3.00% for FYE 2029 and 2030, and 2.00% thereafter for the purposes of this analysis. The City has assumed a tax collection percentage of 97%.

(4) In calculating the tax impact on a residence homestead, the City has not applied any homestead exemptions to the assessed valuation, resulting in a taxable assessed valuation of \$100,000 on a residence homestead with an appraised value of \$100,000. A homeowner may qualify for exemptions not considered in calculating the tax impact, such as homestead exemptions and exemptions for the elderly and disabled.



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA FORM

Meeting Date: August 18, 2025

Prepared by: Kierra Nance

Department: City Clerk

Agenda Item: 5.III.

Reviewed by: _____

AGENDA ITEM DESCRIPTION:

Entering into a Contract with the Galveston County Clerk and Galveston County Election Officer for a General Obligation Bond on November 4, 2025 - *City Clerk*

STAFF BRIEFING:

In order to ensure that this contract is presented to Galveston County Commissioners for approval in a timely manner, the City Clerk submitted the request to conduct election on July 30, 2025.

HISTORY:

FISCAL IMPACT:

- This amount will depend on how many entities will be having an election, after the filing period ends
- Some may be able to cancel their elections
- The cost is split between the County and the entities that will be holding their elections

Contract for Election Services

Local Entity Countywide Vote Center Elections

This Contract is made and entered into this ____ day of _____, 20____ by and between Hon. Dwight D. Sullivan, County Clerk and County Election Officer for Galveston County (herein known as "Galveston County") and Kierra K. Nance on behalf of City of La Marque ("Entity").

This Contract is being entered into pursuant to Texas Election Code, Chapter 31, Subchapter D for the purpose of ensuring that Galveston County and the Entity understand the tasks each is to perform in connection with the following election and any subsequent runoff election, to-wit:

Purpose of Election: Issuing a General Obligation Bond for a Public Safety Building

November 4, 2025
Election Date

TBD BY TEXAS SOS
Runoff Election Date

Early Voting will be held on **October 20- 24, 2025** from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., **October 25, 2025** from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., **October 26, 2025** from 1 p.m. to 7 p.m. and **October 27th – October 31st, 2025** from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. On Election Day, the polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

- 1. Duties and Services of Galveston County.** Galveston County shall be responsible for performing the following duties and furnishing the following services and equipment in connection with the election and any subsequent runoff election.
 - 1.1. Program, or arrange to have programmed, the ballot.
 - 1.2. Arrange to have published the legal notices of the first test of the electronic tabulating equipment as provided in Texas Election Code §127.096 and conduct all required tests of the electronic tabulating equipment under Texas Election Code §§127.096-127.098 and §§129.021-129.023. The first test shall be conducted at least five days prior to the election where possible. In addition, it will be performed during normal business hours and open to the public.
 - 1.3. Provide all election services, as required by law, for all portions of Galveston County.
 - 1.4. Provide technical and equipment support for the electronic poll pads, voting machines and equipment being provided to the Entity. In the event there is an equipment failure Galveston County shall try to remedy the problem over the phone. If unable to do so, will dispatch to locations within Galveston County the appropriate technical support personnel and equipment to correct the failure.
 - 1.5. On behalf of the Entity, obtain Official Voter Registration lists from the Voter Registrar to be used during Early Voting and on Election Day.

[See Section 2.3 below]

- 1.6. Provide Ballot by Mail services for the Entity.
- 1.7. Hire Judges, Alternate Judges, and clerks to serve as election workers at the various polling locations. Workers will be paid in accordance with Section 5 of this contract and will be required to complete election training (at the discretion of the Elections Division) as a prerequisite for serving. Workers will be paid for attending training.
- 1.8. Select the countywide vote center polling locations in coordination and assistance with the Entity and with the approval of Galveston County Commissioners' Court. Entity will be required to provide voting locations as may be needed within their jurisdiction. Polling locations must be in compliance with Chapter 43 of the Texas Election Code.
- 1.9. Provide the Entity ****and where possible the candidates running for office***, a sample ballot for them to proof and approve or provide corrections.
[See sections 2.6 and 2.7 for related information]

****The Entity will be responsible for providing Galveston County with the email and contact information for each candidate who will be on the ballot.***
- 1.10 As required by §67.017(b) and the Secretary of State's Office, Galveston County will provide all reports needed to the Entity so they can submit precinct-by-precinct reports no later than the 30th day after Election Day.

For additional Duties of Galveston County see section **(5) Fee Schedule of Galveston County** below.

2. *Duties and Services of the Entity.* The Entity will be responsible for performing the duties and services set forth in this section and will consummate this contract **on or before July 31, 2025**. Contracts submitted after this date will require a \$500 fee, which ***will be non-refundable regardless of whether the Entity cancels its election.***

- 2.1. Prepare and submit any required submissions to the U.S. Department of Justice under the Federal Voting Rights Act of 1965 for its election and runoff election.
- 2.2. Publish notices of the election in accordance with Section 4.003(a) of the Texas Election Code.
- 2.3. Provide Galveston County with the Entity's requirements for Official Voter Registration lists for early voting and Election Day.
- 2.4. In accordance with Texas Election Code §4.008 as amended, deliver written notice of the election to Galveston County.
- 2.5 It is understood that the Entity may need to modify its election order after **August 22, 2025**, to reflect the actual early voting and Election Day polling locations once the final determination has been made as to which entities will actually be holding an election.

If the Entity wishes to select additional polling locations within its footprint, it will submit a list and the contact information for each facility to Galveston County by **July 31, 2025**. Regardless of who selects the polling locations the Entity shall comply with Texas Election Code §43.062, and shall notify prospective voters of the new location by placing a notice at the old polling location and a notice at the new polling location.

[See Section 1.7 for additional information on the selection of countywide polling places]

- 2.5. Provide to Galveston County the language for any ballot propositions, the names of election contests, the names of candidates, as they are to appear on the ballot, a copy of a sample ballot, ballot draw information and a completed "Requirements to Program the Ballot" form. These materials will be provided in an electronic form to Galveston County by **no later than August 25, 2025**. All language on the ballot must be provided in both English and Spanish in a MS Word format. Any other languages required by law, must also be provided in a MS Word format as well (e.g., Harris County, Chinese and Vietnamese). In addition, the Entity will collect and provide to Galveston County the names, addresses, phone numbers and email addresses of all the candidates who are to appear on its ballot. This information will be used to send candidates copies of the ballot proofs for their review. ***[See Section 1.8]***
- 2.6. Return to Galveston County, by **September 11, 2025 12 p.m.**, confirmation that the sample ballots Galveston County has prepared and provided to the Entity are satisfactory or provide changes that need to be made. Galveston County intends to conduct the L&A test on the Entity's ballot no later than **September 16, 2025 at 9a.m.**

The Entity shall have a representative present during the testing who will sign an affidavit signifying the ballot proofs are accurate and acceptable to the Entity. If unable to attend, a representative may send a signed electronic response approving the ballot. ***[See Section 1.8 for related information on ballot proofing]***

- 2.7. Galveston County will be conducting elections for numerous Entities on the same day. The parties understand that each election has its own challenges and requirements and that failure to provide the information outlined in Section 2 of this contract by the dates specified will place an undue burden on Galveston County that may hinder the ability to provide the services to the Entity in a timely and accurate manner. **Should the Entity miss the deadlines, and/or fail to notify the County of any special circumstances (e.g., adding portions of another county to their election, additional languages required, or unopposed candidates on the ballot) there may be additional charges incurred, up to \$1,000.00 and additional labor and material costs, to be determined by the Chief Deputy of Elections. Should Galveston County be unable to provide the services in a timely and accurate manner the Entity, to the extent allowed under the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas, shall hold Galveston County and employees harmless from any election errors and corresponding liability and/or damages that may result, including but not limited to the costs incurred related to an election contest and/or the need to conduct a subsequent election.**
- 2.8. Unless otherwise stipulated, Galveston County will transport or have the Presiding Election Judges transport on its behalf, the voting machines and equipment to and from the Entity's early voting and Election Day voting locations.

- 2.9. Monitor, with the assistance of Galveston County, the overall conduct of its election in Entity's jurisdiction including the observation of the tabulating of the results.
- 2.10. Entity to pay a **\$125** fee per early voting and Election Day polling locations within its jurisdiction for additional support staff to provide the Entity and its Judges election support services throughout the term of this contract.
- 3. Cancellation of Contract:** Except for contracts consummated after **July 31, 2025**, the Entity may cancel this contract without incurring any expenses by notifying Galveston County of its intention to cancel by no later than two (2) business days after its candidates' filing deadline of **August 22, 2025**. The Entity will be obligated to pay Galveston County a **\$500** fee if cancelled after this grace period.
- 4. Special Provision: Bilingual Poll Worker Requirements.** Galveston County is permanently committed to:
- a) Provide in Spanish "any registration or voting notices, forms, instructions, assistance, or other materials or information relating to the electoral process, including ballots," that they provide in English as required by Section 4(f)(4) of the Voting Rights Act, 43 U.S.C. 1973b(f)(4); and
 - b) Ensure that poll workers provide and receive adequate training regarding (1) the use of providing provisional ballots under Section 302(a) of HAVA; and (2) the display of all HAVA-required signs under Section 302(b) of HAVA.
- 5. Fee Schedule of Galveston County:** Galveston County agrees to perform these services at the following rates:
- a) Provide to the Election Judges all necessary election supplies, which are to be returned to Galveston County after the polls close on Election Night.
Cost: \$100 per kit
 - b) Arrange for staff to receive the supplies and equipment being returned by the Election Judges on Election Night.
Cost: Overtime for staff and part time workers hired to provide this service will be evenly split between the entities contracting with Galveston County.
 - c) Provide all necessary voting machines and equipment for use at early voting and Election Day locations.
Cost: \$465 per Verity Duo, \$506 per Verity Controller, \$577 per Verity Duo with access, \$610 per Verity Scanner and \$150 per Verity Duo Go.
 - d) Transport the voting machines and equipment to and from the voting locations.
Cost: \$200 delivery per location
 - e) Program the ballot and conduct the Logic and Accuracy Testing of the counting equipment.
Cost determined by the number of contests on the ballot: \$1500 for up to 5, \$2530 for up to 10, \$3,300 for up to 20, \$4,180 for up to 40 and \$5280 for up to 75, and \$6720 for up to 100 contests.
 - f) Provide a central counting station, supplies, equipment and the tabulating and supervisory personnel needed to tabulate. Prepare the unofficial tabulation results and unofficial/official canvass report.

Cost: \$1000 for use of the equipment plus overtime for county employees doing the tabulation if applicable.

- g) Assist the Entity in the general overall supervision of the election and any subsequent runoff election.

Cost: Included in the 10% election fee

- h) Conduct early voting and Election Day Voting training.

Cost: \$75 per person per class

- i) Two or more electronic **poll pads** will be deployed (at the discretion of the Elections Division) to each polling location.

Cost \$100 per poll pad

- j) Galveston County will partner with the Entities to determine the polling locations within their jurisdictions.

- k) Hire judges, alternate judges, and clerks that are trained by Galveston County and are registered voters from within one of the jurisdictions holding an election.

Cost: Total amount reimbursable by the Entity.

- l) Elections Mobile App: Entities contracting elections with Galveston County will have their election information included on the Elections Mobile App.

Cost: up to \$500.

- m) The cost for all printed ballots (ballots by mail, sample ballots and test ballots) is **\$.50** per sheet.

- n) Ballots by Mail: Galveston County will provide ballot by mail processing services to the Entity. **The cost for this service is \$4.00 per ballot (\$4.50, if a multi-page ballot).**

- o) The Entity may have an observer present during the tabulation of the votes. The name and contact information of the observer must be provided to and approved by the Presiding Judge of the Central Count Station on the form prescribed by the Texas Secretary of State upon arrival at the location.

6. Compensation, Billing, and Payment. In accordance with Section 31.100(d) of the Texas Election Code, the Entity will pay Galveston County the greater of Seventy-Five (\$75.00) Dollars or ten percent (10%) of the total amount of this contract for general supervision of the election. Pursuant to Texas Election Code §31.098, Galveston County may contract with third persons for election services and supplies agreed to herein and the Entity hereby agrees to pay for these third-party costs when invoiced by Galveston County.

Galveston County will invoice the Entity for services rendered under this contract. The Entity will make payment to Galveston County in accordance with the terms and provisions of what is commonly referred to as the Texas Prompt Payment Act.

7. Voting System. The Hart Intercivic Verity Duo equipment as approved by the Texas Secretary of State will be the voting system used in providing services under this contract.

8. Authorized Representatives. Galveston County's authorized representative for all purposes of this contract is its Chief Deputy Clerk for Elections.

The Entity's authorized representative for all purposes of this contract is:

Kierra K. Nance
Name

409-257-6206
Phone #

9. General Provisions. As specified in Texas Election Code §31.096 this contract may not change:

- a) The authority with whom applications of candidates for a place on a ballot are filed;
- b) The authority with whom documents are filed under Texas Election Code §251.001 et. seq.; or
- c) The political subdivision's requirement to maintain office hours under section 31.122.

As set forth in Texas Election Code §31.099 not later than the 10th day after the date this contract is executed Galveston County shall file a copy of this contract with the County Treasurer and the County Auditor.

10. WAIVER OF DAMAGES. The parties acknowledge that the Hart Intercivic Verity Duo System and the programming of paper ballots is highly technical and that it is conceivable that despite the efforts of Galveston County it might fail during an election or might contain errors. The Entity agrees that should the electronic voting system fail, it will not make any claim against Galveston County or any of their full or part-time employees, independent contractors or agents for damages of any kind, including but not limited to any and all costs relating to an election contest and/or costs and damages incurred for having to conduct a second election caused as a result of such failure or error.

The Entity acknowledges that holding multiple simultaneous elections presents logistical problems and other problems over and above a single election. Galveston County and its employees and agents will attempt to help ensure that these simultaneous elections are conducted without error or mishap, but on occasion, errors or mishaps do occur. Accordingly, the Entity agrees that should an error or mishap occur that it will not make any claim against Galveston County, or their full or part-time employees, independent contractors or agents for damages of any kind including but not limited to any and all costs relating to an election contest and/or costs and damages incurred by the Entity for having to conduct a second election, as a result of such error or mishap.

If legal action is filed against the Entity involving its election and if Galveston County is named as a party to this legal action and the complaint is based solely on allegations made against the Entity, the Entity shall be solely responsible for all costs and defense of that suit. In addition, the Entity shall be required to provide adequate legal counsel for Galveston County and, upon notice to the Entity, Galveston County shall be entitled to settle such claim or legal action upon terms it deems most advantageous to itself.

For purposes of implementing this contract, Galveston County and the Entity designate the following individuals to submit and/or receive information or notices to Galveston County or the Entity:

Galveston County:

Dwight D. Sullivan, County Clerk
Attention: Wendi Fragoso, Chief Deputy of Elections
Galveston County Records and Election Center
10000 Emmett F. Lowry Expressway, Suite 1152
Texas City, TX 77591

P.O. Box 17253
Galveston, Texas 77552-7253
409-770-5108
Email: Wendi.Fragoso@co.galveston.tx.us

Entity:

Kierra K. Nance

City of La Marque

1111 Bayou

Phone: 409-938-9259

La Marque, TX 77568

Email: cityclerk@cityoflamarque.org

This contract will be submitted to the Galveston County Commissioners' Court to be placed on the Consent Agenda as a Receive and File Item.

11. Galveston County Title VI Assurance Clause. Galveston County is committed to ensuring that no person, on the ground of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, age, disability or Veteran status, shall be subjected to discrimination, excluded from participation, or denied the benefits of, its programs and activities.

In accordance with this policy Galveston County requires its service providers and contractors to agree that during the performance of this contract the service provider or contractor for itself, its assignees and successors will abide by the following:

Compliance with Non-Discrimination Laws and Regulations. During the performance of this contract, contractor, for itself, its assignees and successors in interest (hereinafter referred to as "contractor") agrees as follows:

- 1) **Compliance with Regulations.** The contractor shall comply with the Regulations relative to nondiscrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the Department of Transportation (hereinafter, DOT) Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 21, as they may be amended from time to time (hereinafter referred to as the Regulations), which are incorporated herein by reference and made a part of this contract.
- 2) **Nondiscrimination.** The contractor, with regard to the work performed by it during the contract, shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, age, disability or Veteran status in the selection and retention

of subcontractors, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment. The contractor shall not participate either directly or indirectly in the discrimination prohibited by Section 21.5 of the Regulations, including employment practices when the contract covers a program set forth in Appendix B of the Regulations.

- 3) **Solicitations for Subcontractors, Including Procurement of Materials and Equipment.** In all solicitations either by competitive bidding or negotiation made by the contractor for work to be performed under a subcontract, including procurement of materials or leases of equipment, each potential subcontractor or supplier shall be notified by the contractor of the contractor's obligations under this contract and the Regulations relative to nondiscrimination on the grounds of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, age, disability or Veteran status.
- 4) **Information and Reports.** The contractor shall provide all information and reports required by the Regulations or directives issued pursuant thereto, and shall permit access to its books, records, accounts, other sources of information and its facilities as may be determined by Galveston County or the Texas Department of Transportation to be pertinent to ascertain compliance with such Regulations, orders and instructions. Where any information required of a contractor is in the exclusive possession of another who fails or refuses to furnish this information the contractor shall so certify to Galveston County or the Texas Department of Transportation as appropriate, and shall set forth what efforts it has made to obtain the information.
- 5) **Sanctions for Noncompliance.** In the event of the contractor's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination provisions of this contract, Galveston County shall impose such contract sanctions as it or the Texas Department of Transportation may determine to be appropriate, including, but not limited to:
 - a) withholding of payments to the contractor under the contract until the contractor complies, and/or
 - b) cancellation, termination, or suspension of the contract, in whole or in part.
- 6) **Incorporation of Provisions.** The contractor shall include the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (6) in every subcontract, including procurement of materials and leases of equipment, unless exempt by the Regulations, or directives issued pursuant thereto. The contractor shall take such action with respect to any subcontract or procurement as Galveston County or the Texas Department of Transportation may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for non-compliance: Provided, however, that, in the event a contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or supplier as a result of such direction, the contractor may request Galveston County to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of Galveston County, and, in addition, the contractor may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

Executed this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Galveston County:

Dwight D. Sullivan
County Clerk

Entity:

Name: Kierra K. Nance
(Please Print)



(Signature)

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|---|------------------------------------|
| ☐ City Manager | ☐ Mayor |
| ☐ Superintendent | ☐ President |
| ☒ City Secretary | ☐ Other |
| ☐ Chair County Executive Committee | |

Received and Filed:
Galveston County

Hon. Mark Henry
County Judge
Attest:

Dwight D. Sullivan
County Clerk

Date: _____

Date Copy of Agreement Furnished
to County Treasurer: _____

Date Copy of Agreement Furnished
to County Auditor: _____



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA FORM

Meeting Date: August 18, 2025

Prepared by: Kierra Nance

Department: City Clerk

Agenda Item: 6.I.

Reviewed by: _____

AGENDA ITEM DESCRIPTION:

Proposing a Tax Rate for Fiscal Year 2025-2026 -*City Clerk*

STAFF BRIEFING:

"I move that the property tax rate be *increased/decreased* by the adoption of a tax rate of _____ which is effectively a _____ percent *increase/decrease* in the tax rate."

This is a voice vote item.

HISTORY:

FISCAL IMPACT: