ORDINANCE NO. 2024-14

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GONZALES, TEXAS, APPOINTING CRYSTAL CEDILLO, GONZALES COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR, AS THE INDIVIDUAL TO CALCULATE AND PREPARE THE 2024 NO-NEW REVENUE AND VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATES FOR THE CITY OF GONZALES; ESTABLISHING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Texas Tax Code Section 6.22 states that the assessor and collector for a home-rule city are determined by the City's charter and ordinances; and,

WHEREAS, annually the City of Gonzales must appoint the Gonzales County Assessor-Collector as the individual that will calculate and prepare the No-New Revenue and Voter-Approval Tax rates for the City; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Gonzales hereby finds that appointing the Gonzales County Assessor-Collector as the individual to calculate and prepare the No-New Revenue and Voter Approval Tax rates for the City of Gonzales is in the best interest of the City.

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

- Section 1. The City Council of the City of Gonzales, Texas hereby appoints Crystal Cedillo, Gonzales County Assessor-Collector, as the individual to calculate and prepare the 2024 No-New Revenue and Voter-Approval Tax rates for the City of Gonzales in conformance with Texas Tax Code Section 6.
- Section 2. The recitals contained in the preamble hereof are hereby found to be true, and such recitals are hereby made a part of this Ordinance for all purposes and are adopted as a part of the judgment and findings of the City Council.
- Section 3. That this Ordinance shall be cumulative of all provisions of the City of Gonzales, Texas, except where the provisions of this Ordinance are in direct conflict with the provisions of such ordinances, in which event the more restrictive shall apply.
- Section 4. All ordinances or parts thereof, which are in conflict or inconsistent with any provision of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict, and the provisions of this Ordinance shall be and remain controlling as to the matters resolved herein.
- Section 5. This Ordinance shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas and the United States of America.
- Section 6. If any provision of this Ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstance shall be held to be invalid, the remainder of this Ordinance and the application of such provision to other persons and circumstances shall nevertheless be valid, and the City

Council hereby declares that this Ordinance would have been enacted without such invalid provision.

Section 7. It is officially found, determined, and declared that the meeting at which this Ordinance is adopted was open to the public and public notice of the time, place, and subject matter of the public business to be considered at such meeting, including this Ordinance, was given, all as required by Chapter 551, Texas Government Code, as amended.

Section 8. This Ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its final passage, and it is so resolved.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 13th day of June, 2024.

Mayor, S.H. Sucher

ATTEST:

Kristina Vega, City Secretary



Crystal Cedillo, CSTA, PCC, CTOP, PCAC Gonzales County Tax Assessor-Collector

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May 13, 2024

To: City of Gonzales

Re: 2024 No-New Revenue & Voter-Approval Tax Rate Calculations

It will soon be time for the 2024 tax rate calculations.

If you have not done so as of today, please add the following to your next agenda.

 Appoint Crystal Cedillo, Tax Assessor-Collector, as the individual to calculate and prepare the 2024 No-New Revenue and Voter-Approval Tax Rates for the City of Gonzales.

If you should have any questions, please let me know.

Respectfully,

Crystal Cedillo