



City of Heath

NOTICE OF DRAWING FOR PLACE ON MAY 7, 2016 GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT

Notice is hereby given of a drawing to determine the order in which the names of candidates are to be printed on the ballot for the City of Heath, Texas General Election to be held on Saturday, May 7, 2016. The drawing will be conducted at 9:00 a.m. on Thursday, February 25, 2016, at Heath City Hall, 200 Laurence Drive, Heath, Texas 75032.

Notice posted this 22th day of February 2016 at 8:00 a.m.



Norma Duncan, City Secretary

Sec. 52.094. NAMES OF CANDIDATES. (a) Except as otherwise provided by law, for an election at which the names of more than one candidate for the same office are to appear on the ballot in an independent column or are to appear on a general or special election ballot that does not contain a party nominee, the order of the candidates' names shall be determined by a drawing.

(b) The authority responsible for having the official ballot prepared for the election shall conduct the drawing.

(c) The authority conducting the drawing shall post in the authority's office a notice of the date, hour, and place of the drawing. The notice must remain posted continuously for 72 hours immediately preceding the scheduled time of the drawing, except that for a runoff election or an election held to resolve a tie vote, the notice must remain posted for 24 hours immediately preceding the scheduled time of the drawing.

(d) For an election held at county expense or a city election, on receipt of a candidate's written request accompanied by a stamped, self-addressed envelope, the authority conducting the drawing shall mail written notice of the date, hour, and place of the drawing to the candidate. For an election held by any other political subdivision, the authority conducting the drawing shall mail written notice of the date, hour, and place of the drawing to each candidate, at the address stated on the candidate's application for a place on the ballot, not later than the fourth day before the date of the drawing.

(e) Each candidate affected by a drawing is entitled to be present or have a representative present at the drawing.

Acts 1985, 69th Leg., ch. 211, Sec. 1, eff. Jan. 1, 1986. Amended by Acts 1997, 75th Leg., ch. 864, Sec. 52, eff. Sept. 1, 1997.