

ORDINANCE NO.

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE APPOINTMENT OF SHANNON BENNETT AS CITY SECRETARY OF THE CITY OF DEER PARK, TEXAS; PROVIDING FOR COMPENSATION; REPEALING ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DEER PARK:

1. That **SHANNON BENNETT**, having been appointed by the City Manager, be, and she is hereby approved as the City Secretary of the City of Deer Park, Texas.

2. The compensation for said City Secretary shall be that as set out under pay range E-81 of the City's Compensation Plan.

3. All Ordinances and parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

4. It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this Ordinance was adopted was open to the public and that public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given, all as required by Chapter 551 of the Government Code of the State of Texas.

5. The City Council finds that this Ordinance relates to the immediate preservation of the public peace, safety and welfare, in that it is necessary for the protection of the citizens of this City, and the property located therein, that provision be made for the employment of the Emergency Services Director herein appointed, so that he may be retained in service to assure adequate health and protection for the City and to carry out the business of the Department without interruption, thereby creating an emergency, for which the Charter requirement providing for the reading of Ordinances on three several days should be dispensed with, and this Ordinance should be passed finally on its introduction; and, accordingly, such requirement is dispensed with, and this Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage and approval by the Mayor.

In accordance with Article VIII, Section 1 of the City Charter, this Ordinance was introduced before the City Council of the City of Deer Park, Texas, **passed, approved and adopted** on this the 21st day of March, 2017 **by a vote of** _____ **“Ayes” and** _____ **“Noes”**.

MAYOR, City of Deer Park

ATTEST:

City Secretary

APPROVED:

City Attorney