RESOLUTION NO. 21-07

A RESOLUTION CALLING FOR A SPECIAL ELECTION FOR THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF OREGON CITY TO SELECT A NEW MAYOR

WHEREAS, on November 10, 2020 an election was held in Oregon City to recall Dan Holladay from the office of Mayor; and

WHEREAS, on November 30, 2020 the City received the canvass of votes cast for the Recall Election and there were sufficient valid votes to recall Dan Holladay from the office of Mayor, leaving a vacancy; and

WHEREAS, the Oregon City Charter, Chapter III, Section 9 states in part, "Notwithstanding section 32 of this charter, if at any time after January 2, 1991, the office of Mayor shall become vacant before the normal expiration of that term, a special election shall be held at the next available date to fill that office for the unexpired term...;" and

WHEREAS, the Oregon City Charter, Chapter VI, Section 25 requires the Commission to provide the time, manner, and means for holding a special election; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission is now calling for a Special Election to fill the vacancy of the Mayor position; and

WHEREAS, the City Recorder, as the City's Elections Officer, has filed with the Clackamas County Elections Division five (5) qualified electors to be placed on the ballot for the position of Mayor.

NOW, THEREFORE, OREGON CITY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. A Special City Election is called in and for the City, to be held Tuesday, March 9, 2021. The Clackamas County Clerk shall conduct the election pursuant to state law.

Section 2. Pursuant to Section 25 of the City Charter, the City Recorder shall give at least ten days' notice of the election called by this resolution in a newspaper of general circulation in the City. The notice shall state the purpose of the election is to elect a new Mayor, and the time and place of the election.

Section 1. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption by the City Commission.

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Effective Date: January 20, 2021

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