

**RESOLUTION NO. 4114**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COALINGA APPOINTING  
UNOPPOSED COUNCILMEMBER FOR DISTRICT #5**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Coalinga has scheduled a General Municipal Election on November 8, 2022, to elect one (1) City Councilmembers; and

**WHEREAS**, at the close of the nomination period on August 17, 2022 there was only one candidate nominated for the office to be elected at the General Election to fill the vacancy for District #5 of the City Council of the City of Coalinga; and

**WHEREAS**, on August 19, 2022, the City Clerk submitted a written certification providing there are not more candidates nominated than offices to be elected for the office of City of Coalinga Councilmember, District #5, at the General Municipal Election; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 10229 of the Election Code allows one of the following courses of action to be taken by the City Council:

1. Appoint to the office the person who has been nominated;
2. Appoint to the office any eligible voter if no one has been nominated;
3. Hold the election if either no one or only one person has been nominated; and

**WHEREAS**, a notice was published on August 19, 2022 in a newspaper of general circulation pursuant to state law with the City Clerk's certification; and

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that pursuant to Section 10229 of the Election Code the following action is being taken:

Lonnie A. Hedgecock, being the only candidate for the office for which he is nominated, being appointed to the office and considered to be the same as being elected to the City Council with a term of four years.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that person appointed, shall qualify and take office and serve exactly as if elected at a municipal election for the office.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the City Council of the City of Coalinga at a special meeting held on this **24th of August, 2022**, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

**APPROVED:**

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Ron Ramsey, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

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Shannon Jensen, City Clerk