CITY OF OVILLA ORDINANCE NO. 2021-16

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF OVILLA, TEXAS APPOINTING A SUBSTITUTE JUDGE OF THE MUNICIPAL COURT OF RECORD; PROVIDING THAT THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE CUMULATIVE OF ALL ORDINANCES; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Ovilla is a Type A general law municipality located in Ellis and Dallas Counties, created in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 6 of the Local Government Code and operating pursuant to the enabling legislation of the State of Texas; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 30 of the Texas Government Code relating to municipal courts of record provides that the City Council may appoint substitute judges to serve as judge of the municipal court of record when the appointed judge is unavailable or unable to serve; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that there is a need for the appointment of a substitute judge, and has determined that **Henry Campbell** is duly qualified to so serve, and wishes to appoint same as a substitute judge, effective July 19, 2021;

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

SECTION 1.

APPOINTMENT OF MUNICIPAL JUDGE

In accordance with state law and the ordinances of the City of Ovilla, Texas as amended, <u>Henry Campbell</u> is hereby appointed to serve as a substitute judge of the municipal court of record of the City, effective July 19, 2021, said substitute to serve for a term of office of two-years; the same term of office as the presiding judge, or until resignation or removal.

SECTION 2. PROVISIONS CUMULATIVE

This ordinance shall be cumulative of all provisions of ordinances and of the Code of Ordinances of the City, as amended, except where the provisions of this ordinance are in direct conflict with the provisions of such ordinances and such Code, in which event the conflicting provisions of such ordinances and such Code are hereby repealed.

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SECTION 3.

SEVERABILTIY

It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council that the phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs, and sections of this ordinance are severable, and if any phrase, clause sentence, paragraph or section of this ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional by the valid judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality shall not affect any of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs and sections of this ordinance, since the same would have been enacted by the City Council without the incorporation in this ordinance of any such unconstitutional phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED ON THIS 19th DAY OF July 2021.

Richard Dormier, Mayor

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Effective Date: