

A RESOLUTION **2014-07-22-0028R**

ACKNOWLEDGING THE TEMPORARY VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 7 DUE TO THE ACTIVATION INTO MILITARY SERVICE OF COUNCILMAN CRIS MEDINA; AND INITIATING PROCEDURES TO SELECT A TEMPORARY ACTING COUNCIL MEMBER.

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WHEREAS, on July 17, 2014, Council Member Cris Medina, District 7 representative on the City Council, notified the City Clerk of his pending entry into military service in the armed forces of the United States on August 4, 2014, and that he will be on active duty for longer than thirty days; and

WHEREAS, this event will cause a temporary vacancy in the office of City Council District 7; and

WHEREAS, the Texas Constitution authorizes the City Council to fill a temporary vacancy in a council office due to military service; and

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 2010-05-06-0375 establishes procedures for the appointment of temporary replacement Council Members in the event of a vacancy due to military service; **NOW THEREFORE:**

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. The City Council acknowledges the pending temporary absence of Council Member Cris Medina, District 7, due to military service.

SECTION 2. The City Council directs the City Clerk to immediately post notice on the City website and publish, as soon as possible, advertisements in the local newspaper, inviting qualified residents of the district to submit applications, letters of interest, resumes, and disclosure statements to the City Clerk.

SECTION 3. The City Clerk is authorized to begin accepting applications, letters of interest, resumes and disclosure statements on Monday, July 28, 2014.

SECTION 4. The deadline to submit applications, letters of interest, resumes, and disclosure statements to the City Clerk is 5:00 p.m., Wednesday, August 8, 2014.

SECTION 5. The City Council will interview qualified applicants of interest at the Council's "B" Session on Wednesday, August 13, 2014, and select up to three applicants to be interviewed at the Council's "A" Session on Thursday, August 14, 2014.

SECTION 6. The City Council will vote on the applicants for District 7 at the Council's "A" Session on Thursday, August 14, 2014. The successful applicant for appointment will be sworn in and take office at that meeting.

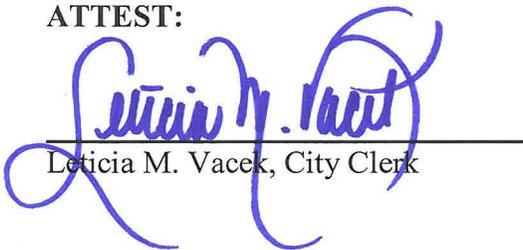
SECTION 7. This Resolution is effective immediately upon the receipt of eight affirmative votes; otherwise, it is effective ten days after passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED on this the 22nd day of July, 2014.



M A Y O R
Ivy Taylor

ATTEST:



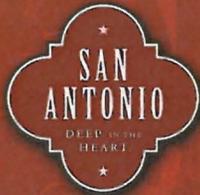
Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Robert F. Greenblum, City Attorney

Agenda Item:	6						
Date:	07/22/2014						
Time:	12:31:26 PM						
Vote Type:	Motion to Approve						
Description:	A Resolution acknowledging a temporary vacancy in City Council District 7 and initiating procedures to select a temporary replacement Councilmember. [Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk]						
Result:	Passed						
Voter	Group	Not Present	Yea	Nay	Abstain	Motion	Second
Ivy Taylor	Mayor		x				
Diego Bernal	District 1		x				
	District 2	x					
Rebecca Viagran	District 3		x				x
Rey Saldaña	District 4		x				
Shirley Gonzales	District 5		x				
Ray Lopez	District 6		x				
Cris Medina	District 7		x			x	
Ron Nirenberg	District 8	x					
Joe Krier	District 9		x				
Michael Gallagher	District 10		x				



**Resolution Acknowledging
A Temporary Vacancy in
City Council District 7**

Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

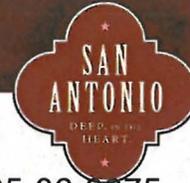
**Items # 6
July 22, 2014**

Background



- On Thursday, July 17, 2014, Councilmember Medina submitted a Letter notifying the Mayor and Council of his Temporary Military Assignment with the U.S. Air Force.
- The term of said Temporary Assignment is from Monday, August 4 to Friday, October 10, 2014.

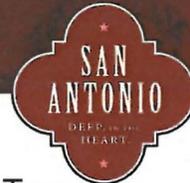
Notification Process



- In accordance with Ordinance 2010-05-06-0375, the notification process is as follows:
 - The City Clerk posts Notice of Temporary Vacancy in District 7 On-Line by close of business on Wednesday, July 23, 2014.
 - The City Clerk publishes Notice of Temporary Vacancy in District 7 in the Express-News and La Prensa on Sunday, July 27, 2014.

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Application Period



- The Application Period for the Temporary Vacancy in District 7 is from Monday, July 28 through 5 pm on Friday, August 8, 2014 (10 business days).
- Applicants shall complete an Application and submit Letters of Interest, a Resume, and Personal Financial Statement/Financial Disclosure Report Addendum.
- The City Clerk will review Applications and forward same to the Mayor and City Council.

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Review and Appointment Process



- On Wednesday, August 13, 2014 during the “B” Session; the Mayor and City Council will select up to 3 Applicants to interview for the Temporary Vacancy in District 7.
- On Thursday, August 14, 2014 during the Regular City Council Meeting, the Mayor and City Council will Vote on a Temporary Replacement for District 7.
- The Appointee will be immediately sworn-in by the City Clerk.