

ORDINANCE NO. 2004-493

AN ORDINANCE SETTING THE QUALIFYING FEE FOR CANDIDATES FOR THE POSITION OF MAYOR AND COUNCIL MEMBERS FOR THE CITY OF BAYOU LA BATRE, SETTING THE OPENING AND CLOSING QUALIFYING DATES, PROVIDING FOR THE ELECTION OF THE COUNCIL MEMBERS TO BE AT LARGE

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF BAYOU LA BATRE, ALABAMA AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1:

QUALIFYING FEES

All candidates for the office of Council member and Mayor will be required to deposit with the City Clerk of the City of Bayou La Batre a qualifying fee of \$50.00.

SECTION 2:

TIME FOR FILING NOTICE OF CANDIDACY

Any person desiring to qualify for the office of Council Member or Mayor may not do so until the opening date of qualifying which is hereby fixed as July 6, 2004 and that the final date that any person may qualify for the office of Council Member or Mayor is hereby fixed and determined to be July 20, 2004 at 5:00 p.m.

SECTION 3:

WAIVER OF QUALIFYING FEE

Any person desiring to qualify for the office of Council member or Mayor, may, upon proper proof of indigence, be declared a pauper and after such proof being submitted to and approved by the city council, the qualifying fee for such person as set forth above shall be waived.

SECTION 4:

COUNCIL MEMBERS TO RUN AT LARGE

All Council members shall run at large for the position for which each candidate qualifies.

SECTION 5:

SALARIES

The salary of the Mayor and the salary of each Council Member shall remain at the same monthly rate of \$600.00 per month and \$300.00 per month, respectively, as it was previously established by Ordinance Number 378 as effective on February 27, 1996.

SECTION 6

REPEALED

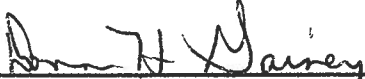
The enactment of this ordinance specifically repeals Ordinance Number 00-427 which was effective March 28, 2000.

DONE this 8th day of June, 2004.



STAN WRIGHT, Mayor

ATTEST:



DONNA H. GAINNEY, City Clerk
City of Bayou La Batre