#### **ORDINANCE NO. 2025-014**

AN ORDINANCE CALLING A BOND ELECTION TO BE HELD IN THE CITY OF SAN ANGELO, TEXAS; MAKING PROVISION FOR THE CONDUCT OF THE ELECTION; AND RESOLVING OTHER MATTERS RELATED TO THAT ELECTION

WHEREAS, the City Council (the *Council*) of the CITY OF SAN ANGELO, TEXAS (the *City*), located in Tom Green County, Texas (the *County*), finds that a special election (the *Election*) should be held to determine whether the City will be authorized to issue general obligation bonds in the amount and for the public purposes identified in this ordinance (the *Ordinance*); and

WHEREAS, the City will contract with the County, by and through its elections administrator (the *Administrator*) to conduct all aspects of the Election for all registered voters of the City; and

WHEREAS, the Election may be held jointly with other political subdivisions (collectively, the *Participants*) pursuant to a joint election agreement according to the Texas Election Code, as amended (the *Code*); and

WHEREAS, the Council hereby finds that the actions described above are in the best interests of the residents of the City; now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANGELO, TEXAS THAT:

SECTION 1. Election Ordered; Purpose; Amount. The Election will be held in the CITY OF SAN ANGELO, TEXAS on May 3, 2025 (*Election Day*), which is a uniform election date under the Code and is not less than 78 days nor more than 90 days from the date of the adoption of this Ordinance, for the purpose of submitting the following legal question to the qualified voters of the City:

### City of San Angelo Measure A

Should the City Council of the City of San Angelo, Texas be authorized to issue and sell one or more series of general obligation bonds of the City in the aggregate principal amount of not more than \$41,660,000 for the purpose of providing funds for promoting economic development throughout the City by designing, acquiring, constructing, purchasing, renovating, improving, upgrading, updating, enlarging, demolishing, and equipping the City's Coliseum located on the San Angelo Fairgrounds at 50 East 43rd Street, with any surplus proceeds remaining for improving other fairground facilities, and the purchase of land, easements, rights-of-way, and other real property interests necessary therefor or incidental thereto, and through funding the City's programs for economic development, including making loans and grants of bond proceeds and otherwise providing assistance for private commercial, retail, and mixed-use development in

relation to the Coliseum and completing related landscaping, with the bonds to mature, bear interest, and be issued and sold as permitted by law, and will the City Council be authorized to levy and pledge, and cause to be assessed and collected, annual ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in the City sufficient, within the limits provided by law, to pay the annual interest and provide a sinking fund to pay the bonds at maturity?

<u>SECTION 2.</u> <u>Ballots.</u> The official ballots will permit voters to vote "FOR" or "AGAINST" the measure above with the following ballot language:

### City of San Angelo Proposition A

The issuance of bonds in the amount of \$41,660,000 for promoting economic development by renovating the City's Coliseum and Fairgrounds and the levy of taxes sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds.

### SECTION 3. Polling Details.

- A. One or more City election precincts are established for Election Day from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. with one or more corresponding polling places as identified on Exhibit A to this Ordinance. As permitted by the Code, polling places may be changed without further Council action; any changes will not affect this Ordinance or subsequent notice of election.
- B. Exhibit A also includes the places, dates, and hours for early voting in person. As permitted by the Code, these details may be changed without further Council action; any changes will not affect this Ordinance or subsequent notice of election. Applications for voting by mail should be received no later than the close of business on April 22, 2025. Applications should be sent to the Early Voting Clerk named below. If an application for ballot by mail is faxed or emailed (or if a federal postcard application is faxed), the applicant must also mail the original.
- <u>SECTION 4.</u> <u>Election Officials.</u> To the extent required by the Code or other applicable law, the appointment of election officials at polling locations will include a person fluent in the Spanish language.
- A. The Administrator will appoint Presiding Judges, Alternate Presiding Judges, and Election Clerks.
- B. The Early Voting Clerk is: Vona Hudson; mailing and physical address: 113 W. Beauregard Ave., San Angelo, TX 76903;; phone: (325) 659-6541; fax: (325) 657-9226; and email: elections@co.tom-green.tx.us. The Early Voting Clerk will appoint the Deputy Early Voting Clerks.
- C. The Administrator is authorized to establish an Early Voting Ballot Board and to designate the Presiding Judge of the Early Voting Ballot Board and, if needed, the members of Signature Verification Committee.

- D. The Administrator is authorized to use a Central Counting Station (the *Station*) if needed. The Administrator or the Administrator's designee is appointed as the Manager of the Station with the authority to appoint the Tabulation Supervisor, the Programmer, and any Clerks.
- <u>SECTION 5.</u> <u>Qualified Voters.</u> The City's qualified voters (as defined by the Code) will be entitled to vote in the Election at the dates, times, and places reflected on Exhibit A.
- <u>SECTION 6.</u> <u>Legal Compliance.</u> The Election and notice of Election will be held and conducted according to the Code and other applicable law. To the extent required by law, materials relating to the Election will be printed in English, Spanish, and any other required language.
- <u>SECTION 7.</u> <u>Debt Obligations.</u> The following information is calculated based on bond market conditions as of the date of the adoption of this Ordinance; is further explained in one or more voter information documents attached to this Ordinance as exhibits; and is not intended to serve as a cap or other restriction should the bonds be authorized at the Election.
- A. The aggregate amount of the outstanding principal of the City's debt totaled \$182,935,000 (including maintenance tax debt, if any).
- B. The aggregate amount of the interest owed on the City's debt obligations, through respective maturity, totaled \$62,519,072.
- C. The City levied an ad valorem debt service tax rate for its outstanding debt obligations of \$0.129400 per \$100 of taxable assessed valuation.
- D. The maturity date of the proposed bonds will not exceed the maximum number of years authorized by law.
- E. The maximum interest rate for any series of bonds authorized at the Election is 6.00% (expressed as a net effective interest rate).
- <u>SECTION 8.</u> <u>Contracting Authority.</u> The Council authorizes the Mayor, the City Manager, or their designees to negotiate and enter into one or more joint election agreements, election services contracts, or similar contracts with the County, acting by and through the Administrator, and any Participants if desired or if required to comply with applicable law.
- SECTION 9. Modifications. The Council acknowledges that information required to complete the Exhibits to this Ordinance may not be available when the Election is ordered, and the Council therefore authorizes the City Clerk, the City Manager, or their designees to correct, modify, or change the Exhibits to the extent permitted by applicable law. Additionally, the Council authorizes these individuals to make technical modifications to this Ordinance that are necessary for compliance with applicable law or to carry out the intent of the Council as evidenced in this Ordinance.

- SECTION 10. Findings. The recitals contained in the preamble of this Ordinance are found to be true.
- SECTION 11. Conflicts. All Ordinances and resolutions, or parts thereof, which are in conflict or inconsistent with any provision of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict, and the provisions of this Ordinance will be and remain controlling as to the matters ordered herein.
- <u>SECTION 12.</u> <u>Controlling Law.</u> This Ordinance will be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas and the United States of America.
- SECTION 13. Open Meetings. It is officially found, determined, and declared that the meeting at which this Ordinance is adopted was open to the public and public notice of the time, place, and subject matter of the public business to be considered at such meeting, including this Ordinance, was given, all as required by Chapter 551, as amended, Texas Government Code.
- <u>SECTION 14.</u> <u>Severability.</u> If any provision of this Ordinance or the application of this Ordinance to any person or circumstance is held invalid, then the remainder of this Ordinance remains effective.
- SECTION 15. Effective Date. Pursuant to Section 1201.028, as amended, Texas Government Code, this Ordinance is effective immediately upon adoption, notwithstanding any provision in the City's Home Rule Charter to the contrary concerning a multiple reading requirement for the adoption of ordinances.

# PASSED AND APPROVED on February 4, 2025.

CITY OF SAN ANGELO, TEXAS

Brenda Gunter

Mayor

ATTEST:

**Heather Stastny** 

City Clerk

(CITY SEAL)

[Signature Page to Ordinance Calling a Bond Election]

### Exhibit A

# May 3, 2025 General Election Hours and Polling Places Horario y Lugares de Votacion durante la Elección General del 3 de mayo de 2025

# Early Voting/Votación Adelantadas

Main Branch: Edd B. and Frances Frink Keyes Building, 113 W. Beauregard Ave., Election Office

Dates and Hours / Fechas y Horas:

4/22 – 25 8 am – 5 pm 4/28 – 29 7 am – 7 pm

## Election Day Polling Places / Lugares de votación el dia de la elección

Dates and Hours / Fechas y Horas:

May 3, 2025/ del 3 de mayo de 20254, 7 am to 7 pm

Angelo Bible Church	3506 Sherwood Way
Belmore Baptist Church	1214 South Bell
Calvary Baptist Church	2401 Armstrong St.
Christoval Community Center	20022 Main, Christoval,
Concho Valley Transit District (Bus Depot)	506 N. Chadbourne
SAF First Assembly of God	1442 Edmund Blvd.
Grape Creek ISD	8207 N US Hwy 87
Keating Paint and Body	5050 N. Chadbourne
Paulann Baptist Church	2531 Smith Blvd.
Oak Grove Senior Apartments	4359 Oak Grove Blvd.
Southgate Church of Christ	528 Country Club Road
Southside Recreation Center	2750 Ben Ficklin Rd.
St. Ambrose Catholic Church	8602 Loop 570
MHMR Services of the Concho Valley, Admin. Bldg.	1501 W. Beauregard
Veribest Baptist Church	50 FM 2334,
Wesley United Trinity Methodist Church	301 West 18 <sup>th St.</sup>
TXDOT	4502 Knickerbocker Rd. Bldg. E
Westlake Ace Hardware Attn: Jared	1801 Knickerbocker Rd.

# Exhibit B (Anexo B)

## **VOTER INFORMATION DOCUMENT (DOCUMENTO DE INFORMATIVO PARA LOS VOTANTES)**

City of San Angelo, Texas Proposition A: (Propuesta A del la Ciudad de San Angelo, Texas:)

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□ For	The issuance of bonds in the	La emisión de bonos por un monto de \$4	11,660,000	
(a favor)	amount of \$41,660,000 for the	para promover el desarrollo económico		
	City's Coliseum and the levy of taxes	renovación del Coliseo y del Recinto Feri		
□ Against	sufficient to pay the principal of and	y la imposición de impuestos suficientes	para pagar el	
(en contra)	interest on the bonds.	capital y los intereses de los bonos.		
principal of debt	principal of debt obligations to be authorized (capital de obligaciones de deuda que se autorizará)		\$41,660,000	
estimated interest for the debt obligations to be authorized presuming an interest rate of 6.00% (interés estimado para las obligaciones de deuda que se autorizarán asumiendo una tasa de		\$38,283,418		
interés del 6.00%)				
estimated combined principal and interest required to pay on time and in full the debt		\$79,943,418		
obligations to be authorized amortized over 25 years (capital e intereses consolidados estimados				
necesarios para pagar a tiempo y en su totalidad las obligaciones de deuda que se autorizarán amortizar durante 25 años)				
as of the date the	e election was ordered, principal of all ou	utstanding debt obligations (a partir de	\$182,935,000	
la fecha en que se ordenó la elección, el capital de todas las obligaciones de deuda pendientes)				
as of the date the election was ordered, the estimated interest on all outstanding debt			\$62,519,072	
obligations (a partir de la fecha en que se ordenó la elección, el interés estimado de todas las				
obligaciones de deuda pendientes)				
as of the date the election was ordered, the ad valorem debt service tax rate per \$100 of taxable			\$0.129400	
assessed valuation (a partir de la fecha en que se ordenó la elección, la tasa impositiva ad				
valorem de servicio de la deuda por cada \$100 de valuación tasada gravable)				
	ned principal and interest required to pa	-	\$245,454,072	
debt obligations amortized over 23 years (capital e intereses consolidados estimados necesarios				
para pagar a tiempo y en su totalidad las obligaciones de deuda pendientes amortizadas durante				
23 años)				
estimated maxim	um annual increase in the amount of tax	xes on a residence homestead with an	\$33.96	
appraised value of \$100,000 to repay the debt obligations to be authorized, if approved				
(aumento anual máximo estimado de la cantidad de impuestos sobre una residencia principal con				
un valor estimado de \$100,000 para saldar las obligaciones de deuda que se autorizarán, si se				
aprueba). This figure assumes application of a homestead exemption of 20%. (Esta cifra asume la				
aplicación de una exención de vivienda familiar de 20%.) As noted above, this figure makes				
conservative assumptions about the amortization period of the debt obligations and the				
estimated interest rate. (Como se señaló anteriormente, esta cifra hace suposiciones				
conservadoras sobre el período de amortización de las obligaciones de deuda y la tasa de interés				
estimada.) Estimated future appraised values in the City are not expected to change next year (2026). (No se espera que los valores tasados futuros estimados en la Ciudad cambien.) Estimated				
future appraised values in the City are assumed to increase by 3% each year for the subsequent				
5 years and then 1% increase thereafter. (Se supone que los valores tasados futuros estimados				
en la Ciudad aumentarán un 3% cada año durante los 5 años siguientes y luego un 1% a partir de				
entonces.)				
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