



JOINT ELECTION AGREEMENTS WITH KISD AND CTC

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Background and Discussion

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- ❑ The City of Killeen, KISD and CTC will hold elections on May 4th
- ❑ School districts are required to hold joint elections with city or county (EC 11.0581)
- ❑ State law requires a joint election agreement laying out each entity's responsibility and costs
- ❑ Separate agreements for early voting and election day

Benefits

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- ❑ Voter convenience – voters cast ballots for all elections at one location; and
- ❑ Reduces the election costs for each entity

Fiscal Impact

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- Election expenses initially paid by the city
- KISD and CTC will reimburse the city for one-third of shared election costs
- Should KISD or CTC not hold an election, costs would be split evenly between the remaining entities
- Election cost is approximately \$68,000

Recommendation

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- Staff recommends City Council approve the Early Voting and Election Day joint election agreements with KISD and CTC and authorize the City Manager, or designee, to enter into the agreements.