

**Ordinance appointing Jacqueline Del Llano Chapa as Presiding Judge, Mike Alaniz as Division 1 Judge, Julianna Siracusa Rivera as Division 2 Judge, David Walsh as Division 3 Judge, William Gregory “Bill” Bonilla as Division 4 Judge, and George Picha as Division 5 Judge of the Municipal Court; appointing Christopher E. Matt as part-time judge #1, Douglas K. DeFratus as part-time judge #2, William Holt Feemster as part-time judge #3, Mariana Garza as part-time judge #4, Mario A. Olivarez as part-time judge #5, Kali Guttman as part-time judge #6, Robert Reyna as part-time judge #7, and Michael White as part-time judge #8 of the Municipal Court; determining salary; providing a two year term of office; and declaring an effective date.**

**WHEREAS**, the City Council shall by ordinance appoint its municipal judges pursuant to Texas Government Code §30.00006, City Charter Art. II, Sec.26, and Corpus Christi Code Sec. 29-4;

**WHEREAS**, the City Council finds the following appointees meet the qualifications for Municipal Court judge pursuant to Corpus Christi Code and State law.

**WHEREAS**, this Ordinance does not constitute an employment contract, and appointees are not employees but are public officers authorized by law to independently exercise functions subject to revision and correction only according to the standing laws of this state.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS, THAT:**

**SECTION 1.** Jacqueline Del Llano Chapa is appointed as Presiding Judge of the Municipal Court of Record in the City of Corpus Christi, Texas, to serve full-time.

**SECTION 2.** Mike Alaniz is appointed as full time Municipal Judge of Division 1, Julianna Siracusa Rivera is appointed as full time Municipal Judge of Division 2, David Walsh is appointed is appointed as full time Municipal Judge of Division 3, William Gregory “Bill” Bonilla is appointed as full time Municipal Judge of Division 4, and George Picha is appointed as full time Municipal Judge of Division 5 for the Municipal Court of Record in the City of Corpus Christi, Texas.

**SECTION 3.** The presiding judge shall receive the fixed salary of \$158,324.47. The Full-time judges of Divisions 1,2,3,4, and 5 shall each receive the fixed salary of \$131,070.18.

**SECTION 4.** Christopher E. Matt is appointed as part-time judge #1, Douglas K. DeFratus is appointed as part-time judge #2, William Holt Feemster is appointed as part-time judge #3, Mariana Garza is appointed as part-time judge #4, Mario A. Olivarez is appointed as part-time judge #5, Kali Guttman is appointed as part-time judge #6, Robert Reyna is appointed as part-time judge #7, and Michael White is appointed as part-time judge #8.

**SECTION 5.** Part-time judges shall receive an hourly rate of \$49.69 per hour.

**SECTION 6.** Each judge shall hold office for a definite term of two years upon appointment by ordinance, unless sooner removed. Terms begin March 28, 2023, and end March 28, 2025.

**SECTION 7.** This ordinance constitutes an action by the City Council not to reappoint any and all judges not appointed herein per Texas Government Code §29.005.

**SECTION 8.** This ordinance takes effect immediately upon passage on second reading.

That the foregoing ordinance was read for the first time and passed to its second reading on this the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2023, by the following vote:

Paulette Guajardo	_____	Jim Klein	_____
Roland Barrera	_____	Mike Pusley	_____
Sylvia Campos	_____	Everett Roy	_____
Gil Hernandez	_____	Dan Suckley	_____
Michael Hunter	_____		

That the foregoing ordinance was read for the second time and passed finally on this the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2023, by the following vote:

Paulette Guajardo	_____	Jim Klein	_____
Roland Barrera	_____	Mike Pusley	_____
Sylvia Campos	_____	Everett Roy	_____
Gil Hernandez	_____	Dan Suckley	_____
Michael Hunter	_____		

PASSED AND APPROVED on this the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2023.

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Rebecca Huerta  
City Secretary

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Paulette Guajardo  
Mayor