

**RESOLUTION NO. 2016-26**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COPPERAS COVE, TEXAS, ACCEPTING A LOCAL OPTION ELECTION; PROVIDING A REPEALING CLAUSE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, A Petition for Local Option Election was presented to the City Secretary on May 31, 2016 and the City Secretary has verified that the petition bears the actual signatures of a number of qualified voters of the political subdivision equal to at least 35 percent of the registered voters in the City of Copperas Cove who voted in the most recent gubernatorial election for the ballot issue that permits voting for or against “The Legal Sale of all Alcoholic Beverages including Mixed Beverages” ; and

**WHEREAS**, the Petitions for Local Option Election is presented by the City Secretary to the City Council of the City of Copperas Cove, Texas to order a special election For/Against “The Legal Sale of Alcoholic Beverages Including Mixed Beverages”.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF COPPERAS COVE, TEXAS, THAT:**

**SECTION 1. CITY SECRETARY’S FINDINGS ACCEPTED.** The City Secretary findings, as set out in the communication dated July 7, 2016, and attached hereto, are hereby accepted.

**SECTION 2: PETITION ACCEPTED.** The Petitions for Local Option Election is presented by the City Secretary to the City Council, is hereby accepted.

**SECTION 3:** That should any word, sentence, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase or section of this resolution be adjudged or held to be void or unconstitutional, the same shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of said resolution, which shall remain in full force and effect.

**PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED** on this 7th day of July 2016, at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Copperas Cove, Texas which meeting was held in compliance with the Open Meetings Act, *Tex. Gov’t. Code, §551.001, et.seq.* at which meeting a quorum was present and voting.

**CITY OF COPPERAS COVE, TEXAS**

*Frank Seffrood*  
Frank Seffrood, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

*Mariele Altott*  
Mariele Altott, City Secretary

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

*P. P. R. & A.*  
Denton, Navarro, Rocha, Bernal, Hyde & Zech

