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CITY OF WACO SEEKS TO FILL VACANT DISTRICT V COUNCIL SEAT

WACO, TEXAS (May 15, 2024) — The City of Waco is seeking applications to fill the vacant District V City Council seat following the recent election of former District V Councilmember, Jim Holmes, to the position of mayor. The application filing period for interested candidates will be from Wednesday, May 15 through 5 p.m. on Friday, May 31.

Eligible applicants must be a United States citizen, be 21 years of age or older, and have resided in the State of Texas and the City of Waco for 12 months and in District V for at least six months.

The remaining members of City Council will interview the applicants on Thursday, June 6 at the Bosque Theater, Waco Convention Center, 100 Washington Ave. City Council will select the applicant by majority vote to fill the vacant District V seat for the unexpired term until the next City of Waco general election in May 2025. The selected applicant will be appointed and sworn in at a City Council meeting on Tuesday, June 25.

Applications and a full list of qualifications are available online at waco-texas.com/councilvacancy or at the City Secretary's Office located at Waco City Hall, 300 Austin Ave. Interested candidates should schedule an appointment with the City Secretary's Office to pick up or submit an application in person. To schedule an appointment, please contact the City Secretary's Office at (254) 750-5750. Notarized applications can also be scanned and emailed to citysecretary@wacotx.gov.

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