

ORDINANCE NO. 2017-07-17-2

GENERAL ELECTION ORDINANCE

The City Council of the City of Camilla hereby ordains that pursuant to the Charter of the City of Camilla, as amended, and the Georgia Elections Code, as amended through the regular 2017 session of the Georgia General Assembly, the General Election for City Council District 1 – Council Post 2, District 1 – Council Post 3, District 2 – Council Post 2, and District 2 – Council Post 3, as provided by O.C.G.A. § 21-2-1, et seq., to fill terms expiring on December 31, 2017, shall be held under the following terms and conditions:

1. Said election shall be held on November 7, 2017.
2. The hours of the election shall be between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m.
3. The election shall be held pursuant to the provisions of the Laws of the State of Georgia as enacted and amended. Provided further, the Charter of the City of Camilla and amendments thereto shall be in force and effect where same were not repealed or modified by the Laws of the State of Georgia.
4. For the purposes of this election Brenda Cross is designated as the Election Superintendent of the municipality. Poll officials shall be named and designated by the governing authority of the City of Camilla, and the names thereof shall be entered in the Minutes of the City of Camilla prior to the holding of this election. Cheryl Ford is also designated as the Absentee Ballot Clerks.
5. Paper ballots shall be used for the conduct of this election.
6. The polling place for District 1 shall be the Northside Recreation Center located at 400 Pecan Drive and the polling place for District 2 shall be City Hall located at 30 East Broad Street, Camilla, Georgia.
7. Each candidate for District 1 – Council Post 2, District 1 – Council Post 3, District 2 – Council Post 2, and District 2 – Council Post 3 shall file a notice of candidacy in the office of the City Clerk at Camilla City Hall, 30 East Broad Street, Camilla, Georgia. Qualifying begins on August 21, 2017 at 8:30 AM and will continue day to day until the close of qualifying on August 25, 2017 at 4:30 PM.
8. The qualifying fee for candidates of City Council District 1 – Council Post 2, District 1 – Council Post 3, District 2 – Council Post 2, and District 2 – Council Post 3 shall be \$72.00.

9. Pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 21-2-216, any person who is a resident of the City of Camilla and a qualified elector of the City of Camilla shall be eligible to vote in this election. The registrar shall cease taking applications for registration from persons desiring to vote in this election on the close of the registrar's business on October 10, 2017, as provided in O.C.G.A. § 21-2-224.
10. Pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 21-2-132(d)(3), the public notice attached hereto as "Exhibit A" shall be published in *The Camilla Enterprise* once during the week of August 7 2017.
11. Pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 21-2-9(b), the public notice attached hereto as "Exhibit B" shall be published in *The Camilla Enterprise* once during the week of October 2, 2017.

SO ORDAINED, this 17th day of JULY, 2017.



CITY OF CAMILLA

By: [Signature]
Mayor, Rufus Davis

Attest: [Signature]
Clerk, Cheryl Ford

“EXHIBIT A”

CITY OF CAMILLA

GENERAL ELECTION

**CITY COUNCIL DISTRICT 1 – COUNCIL POST 2, DISTRICT 1 – COUNCIL POST 3,
DISTRICT 2 – COUNCIL POST 2, AND DISTRICT 2 – COUNCIL POST 3**

November 7, 2017

Qualification opens at 8:30 a.m. on Monday, August 21, 2017, and closes at 4:30 p.m. on Friday, August 25, 2017. The qualifying fee for a position on the City Council shall be \$72.00.

Candidates may qualify in the office of the City Clerk at Camilla City Hall, 30 East Broad Street, Camilla, Georgia. Advance voting will be held on October 16, 2017 and will end on November 3, 2017.

This notice is given pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 21-2-132(d)(3).

NOTICE OF ELECTION

The General Election for the City of Camilla shall be held on Tuesday, November 7, 2017, between the hours of 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. The polling place for District 1 shall be the Northside Recreation Center located at 400 Pecan Drive. The polling place for District 2 shall be at City Hall, located at 30 East Broad Street, Camilla, Georgia. The election shall be for positions on the City Council for District 1 – Council Post 2, District 1 – Council Post 3, District 2 – Council Post 2, and District 2 – Council Post 3.

All persons who are not registered to vote and who desire to register to vote in the General Election may register to vote through the close of business on October 10, 2017. Advance voting will be held on October 16, 2017 and will end on November 3, 2017.

This notice is given pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 21-2-9(b).