



Agenda Item Report

Legislative Board: City Council
Date: January 20, 2026
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ITEM TITLE: Deliberation and possible action to consider an Ordinance on the first and final reading and to adopt said Ordinance amending the established boundaries of Single Member District A and Single Member District B for the purpose of incorporating newly annexed areas into said district, and all other necessary actions; and providing for an effective date (City Clerk Alicia Ramirez) [PUBLIC TESTIMONY]

1. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The City Council adopted an ordinance incorporating newly annexed areas in Single-Member District (SMD) A and B.

Regarding property in SMD B, the Public Hearings were held and the Ordinances adopted on first and final reading on March 25, 2025. The area annexed includes:

1) Dacy Lane and Suffield Lane: approximately 1.57 acres located east of IH 35, herein Exhibit 1

Regarding property in SMD A, the Public Hearings were held and the Ordinances adopted on first and final reading on November 18, 2025. The area annexed includes:

2) West Oak: approximately 42.311 29.116 acres located on FM 1626, herein Exhibit 2.

2. BACKGROUND/HISTORY

In November 2017, Buda citizens voted to amend the City Charter to require three councilmember positions to transition to single-member districts. The City Attorney provided an orientation and timeline presentation to the City Council outlining who the City will carry out the duty established by the City Charter in December 2017, which included the action proposed in this item to occur at this time to timely complete the obligation.

On January 18, 2018, the City Council adopted Resolution #2018-R-02 establishing the transitioning councilmember positions, in which the even Councilmember Places were selected.

On June 5, 2018, the City Council adopted Ordinance #2018-08 establishing district boundary lines for city council elections. Pursuant to Article II, when additional territory is annexed by ordinance, it is necessary to incorporate such areas into a single-member district within the City of Buda in order to ensure future new residents of the right to vote.

3. ANALYSIS

The annex areas are located contiguous only to District Area A and District Area B making it the logical choice for assignment. The annexed areas are not currently inhabited, so the population estimates are not affected.

4. FINANCIAL IMPACT

None.

5. STRATEGIC PLAN/GOALS

BALANCED AND INTENTIONAL GROWTH

6. STRATEGIC PLAN OBJECTIVES

Not applicable.

7. PROS AND CONS

Not applicable.

8. ALTERNATIVES

Not applicable.

9. REQUESTED ACTION / SUGGESTED MOTION / RECOMMENDATION

Staff seeks Council's directive to adopt or reject the Ordinance to amend the boundaries of Single Member District A and Single Member District B.

Attachments:

[Ordinance - SMD A and B Adding Newly Annexed Areas_Dacy Lane_West Oak.pdf](#)

[Exhibit A Single_Member_Districts_2026.pdf](#)

[Exhibit B Census Block Report Update 20260108.pdf](#)