



Town of Soso

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Secretary of State
P. O. Box 136
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To: The Secretary of State of Mississippi

Due to the resignation of Alderman David Jeremy Phipps on January 31, 2022, the Mayor and the Board of Alderman of the Town of Soso declared a vacancy for the office of Alderman and ordered a special election for the position of Alderman. The date of the Special Election was set for March 8, 2022. The qualifying deadline for candidates was February 16, 2022, at 5 PM. Only one candidate qualified for the position of Alderman. In the March 1, 2022, meeting of the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen a motion was made by Alderman Byron Craft to dispense with the Special Election and appoint the only qualified candidate, Dana A. Powell to the position of Alderman. The motion was seconded by Alderman Mitch Barlow. The motion was carried with all Aldermen voting Yea. Mayor Ralph Cahill was in complete agreement of this appointment.

The new alderman and his address:

Dana A. Powell
294 Duck Hill Road
Soso, MS 39480

Dana A. Powell will replace Alderman David Jeremy Phipps.

Sincerely,

Jeanne Sherman
Town Clerk

RESOLUTION AND ORDER FOR AN ELECTION

A VACANCY HAVING OCCURRED ON THE Board of Aldermen of the Town of Soso, Mississippi, due to the resignation of Alderman Jeremy Phipps, said resignation being effective January 31, 2022,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

Pursuant to Mississippi Code Annotated 1972 Section 23-15-857, on the 8th day of March, 2022, a special election will be held in the Town of Soso, Mississippi, for the purpose of electing an Alderman to fill the vacancy left as a result of the resignation of the duly elected and acting member of the Board of Alderman of the Town of Soso, Mississippi.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT;

Each candidate for the said office is required by law to qualify by 5:00 PM, Wednesday, February 15, 2022. Each candidate shall qualify by Petition filed with the Town Clerk, which Petition shall be signed by not less than fifteen (15) qualified electors of the said Town. No qualifying fee shall be required of any candidate.

If no candidate of said Town in said election receives a majority of the votes cast therein, the two candidates receiving the highest number of votes shall have their name placed on the ballot for a run-off election to be held two (2) weeks, thereafter.

SO RESOLVED, ORDERED AND DIRECTED by the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Soso, Mississippi on this the 1st day of February, 2022.



Mayor Ralph Cahill

ATTEST:



Clerk Jeanne Sherman