## CITY OF PENITAS

## COUNTY OF HIDALGO, TX

## **ORDINANCE 98-02**

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF PENITAS CALLING FOR THE MOVING OF MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS FROM JANUARY TO MAY. PROVIDING FOR A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION AND EFFECTIVE DATE:

**WHEREAS**, the City of Penitas is a General Law City operating under the General Statues of the State of Texas;

WHEREAS, the Texas Legislature in its infinite wisdom has decided to provide that all municipal election shall be held either during May or November commencing January 1, 1998; and

WHEREAS, the City of Penitas desires to comply with House Bill No. 298.

NOW THEREFORE, be it ORDAINED by the City of Penitas, Texas, that:

- 1. The Board of Alderman find that all requirements of law have been met in passing of this ordinance;
- 2. Henceforth, all municipal election shall be held on the 1st Saturday in May commencing in 1998;
- 3. Should any section, paragraph, sentence, clause, phrase or word of this ordinance be declared unconstitutional or invalid for any reason, the remainder of this ordinance shall not be affected thereby and remain in full force and effect.
- 4. The City Secretary is hereby authorizing and directed to cause publication of the descriptive caption of this ordinance as an alternative method of publication provided by law.

PASSED and APPROVED on this the <u>21</u> day of <u>0ctober</u>, 1997. EFFECTIVE 30 days after adoption.

CITY OF PENITAS

MAYOR SERVANDO RAMIREZ

ATTESTED BY:

Mulda Leva NEREYIDA V. PENA CITY SECRETARY

