An Ordinance of the City of Plano, Texas, ratifying the appointments of the Associate Judges of the Plano Municipal Court of Record, and providing a publication clause, and an effective date.

WHEREAS, Section 4.04, Article 4, General Administration, of the Home Rule Charter for the City of Plano, Texas established the municipal court for the trial of misdemeanor offenses; and

WHEREAS, Section 13-3, Chapter 13, Municipal Court, Plano Code of Ordinances, provides for the selection and appointment of the judges of the Municipal Court of Record; and

WHEREAS, Section 30.00006, Chapter 30, Municipal Courts of Record, Texas Government Code, provides that the Municipal Court judges must be appointed by ordinance; and

WHEREAS, Associate Judges of the Plano Municipal Court were appointed by Resolution No. 2020-4-1(R) on April 13, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it is in the best interest of the City of Plano to ratify the appointments of the Associate Judges by ordinance to be consistent with state law.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PLANO, TEXAS, THAT:

Section I. The City Council hereby ratifies the appointments of the Associate Judges of the Plano Municipal Court of Record and ratifies the compensation for the individuals:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>POSITION</u>	<u>COMPENSATION</u>
Gwen Baumann	Associate Judge	Contract
Efren Ordonez	Associate Judge	Contract
Aaron Kaufman	Associate Judge	Contract
Esther Grossman	Associate Judge	Contract

Section II. The terms of the Associate Judges will expire on April 13, 2024.

Section III. This Ordinance and the appointments shall become effective immediately upon its passage and publication as required by law.

DULY PASSED AND APPROVED this 25th day of July, 2022.

ATTEST:	John B. Muns, MAYOR
Lisa C. Henderson, CITY SECRETARY	
APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
Paige Mims, CITY ATTORNEY	