

WESLACO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

STATE OF TEXAS	§	ORDER AND NOTICE
	§	OF
COUNTY OF HIDALGO	§	GENERAL ELECTION

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees (the "Board") of the Weslaco Independent School District ("WISD") has the authority to call a General Election on November 8, 2022, for four (4) trustees to serve for a term of four (4) years in positions where the terms of the existing trustees in Places Four (4), Five (5), Six (6) and Seven (7) are expiring in November 2022; and

WHEREAS, the Board is required and authorized to approve early voting locations, dates and times; and

WHEREAS, the Board is required and authorized to approve election day polling places; and

WHEREAS, the Board also has the authority pursuant to Chapter 271, Texas Election Code, to enter into joint election agreements with other governing entities, which are political subdivisions also holding a general election on the same date; and

WHEREAS, the Board also has the authority pursuant to Chapter 31, Texas Election Code, to enter into a contract for election services with Hidalgo County.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE WESLACO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT THAT:

Section 1. Call of Elections, Date, Eligible Electors, and Hours. A General Election shall be held on Tuesday, November 8, 2022, which is eighty-five (85) or more days from the date of the adoption of this order (the "Order") within the entire territory of WISD for trustee positions Place Four, Place Five, Place Six, and Place Seven expiring in November 2022. All residents, qualified electors of WISD shall be entitled to vote for candidates for the trustee positions at issue. The Board hereby finds that holding the General Election ("Election") on such date, which is a uniform election date, is in the public interest. The hours during which the polling places are to be open at the Election shall be from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Section 2. Conduct of Election, Joint Election Agreement, Election Services Contract and Appointment of Election Officers. The Election shall be conducted by election officers, in accordance with the Texas Education Code, Texas Election Code, the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas and the United States of America. A paper ballot shall be utilized for the early voting by mail process of the Election. An electronic voting system, as defined and described in Title 8 of the Texas Election Code, will be utilized for early voting by personal appearance and on election day.

Pursuant to Chapter 271 of the Texas Election Code, the Board orders that the Election be conducted under the terms and conditions of the Agreement to Conduct Joint Elections between other participating subdivisions holding elections on November 8, 2022. Chapter 271 provides that the authorities of two or more political subdivisions that have ordered elections for the same day in all or part of the same territory may enter into an agreement to hold the elections jointly in election precincts that can be served by common polling places, and the Board is expressly authorizing this action. This agreement will be approved by the Board at a subsequent meeting.

Pursuant to Chapter 31 of the Texas Election Code, the Board orders that the District enter into an Election Services Contract with the Hidalgo County Election Administrator for performing election services for early voting and election day. The contract is being developed by the Hidalgo County Election Administrator and will be approved by the Board at a subsequent meeting.

The Board approves the appointment of persons designated by the County Election Administrator to serve as the Presiding Election Judge and Alternate Presiding Election Judge for each respective voting precinct for the Election.

Section 3. Voting Precincts. Except as otherwise provided herein, the presently existing boundaries and territory of the respective Hidalgo County Election Precincts that are wholly or partially within the territorial boundaries of WISD are hereby designated as the voting precincts of WISD for the Election. The precinct numbers for WISD's election precincts shall be the corresponding Hidalgo County Election Precinct Number for each precinct. The Weslaco Independent School District consists of the following voting precincts, and any other determined by the Hidalgo County Elections Department:

Precinct 2	Precinct 21	Precinct 22	Precinct 40	Precinct 41
Precinct 42	Precinct 46	Precinct 57	Precinct 58	Precinct 70
Precinct 71	Precinct 110	Precinct 111	Precinct 112	Precinct 113
Precinct 114	Precinct 121	Precinct 132	Precinct 179	Precinct 186
Precinct 190	Precinct 191	Precinct 196	Precinct 202	Precinct 250

Section 4. Election Day Polling Places. The following locations shall be designated as polling places on Tuesday, November 8, 2022, from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., for the following precincts (unless decided otherwise by the County of Hidalgo, which has authority to designate any location within Hidalgo County as a polling location). See attachment.

Section 5. Early Voting. The Board appoints Yvonne Ramon, the Hidalgo County Elections Administrator, as WISD's Joint and Regular Early Voting Clerk. Early voting by personal appearance shall be conducted at the dates, times, and locations as follows:

Early Voting Polling Place:

Weslaco Business Visitor and Events Center, 275 S. Kansas, Weslaco, Texas
Elsa Municipal Court, 216 E. 4th Street, Elsa, Texas
Mercedes Civic Center, 520 E. 2nd Street, Mercedes, Texas
Sgt. Rodriguez Community Center, 320 W. Santa Rosa Ave., Edcouch, Texas

And

Each Voting and Polling location in Hidalgo County, Texas at which County-Wide Voting is administered by the Hidalgo County Elections Department.

Dates and Times: **Open on Monday, October 24, 2022 through Friday, October 28, 2022 between 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.**

Open Saturday, October 29, 2022 between 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Open Sunday, October 30, 2022 between 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Open on Monday, October 31, 2022 through Friday, November 4, 2022 between 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Early Voting Ballot Board

The Board hereby approves the appointment of the presiding judge of the early voting ballot board as designated by Ms. Yvonne Ramon to count and return early voting ballots in accordance with the Election Code. The presiding judge shall appoint two or more election clerks, and such judge and clerks shall constitute the early voting ballot board and shall perform the duties set forth for such board in the Election Code.

Early Voting by Mail

Ballot applications shall be addressed to WISD's Regular Early Voting Clerk at the address indicated immediately below.

Early Voting Clerk, Election Department
P.O. Box 659
Edinburg, Texas 78540

Section 6. Appointment of Custodian of Records. To the extent not otherwise provided for in the Election Services Agreement, the Board appoints Rosemary Rodriguez, an employee of WISD, as the Custodian of Records ("Custodian") to perform the duties related to the conduct and maintenance of records of the Election as required under the Texas Election Code during the period beginning the fiftieth (50th) day before and ending not earlier than the fortieth (40th) day after the day of the Election. In particular, the Custodian shall provide applications for candidates, accept applications from candidates for a place on the ballot, determine the order in which names will appear on the ballot for the trustee positions, and accept and maintain records regarding campaign expenditures that may be filed with the district.

The Custodian shall maintain an office open for election duties for at least three hours each day, during regular office hours, on regular business days during the period designated in this section. The Custodian shall post notice of the location and hours of her office as required by the Texas Election Code. The Custodian shall maintain in her office the documents, records, and other items relating to the election and shall be the person designated to receive documents on behalf of WISD that are required by the Texas Election Code.

Section 7. Appointment of Agent. The Secretary to the Board has appointed Abel Aguilar as the Secretary's agent ("Agent") to perform the duties of secretary related to the conduct and maintenance of records of the Election as required under the Texas Election Code, Section 31.123 during the period beginning the fiftieth (50th) day before election day and ending not earlier than the fortieth (40th) day after the day of the election. Mr. Abel Aguilar is authorized to designate staff in the District to perform any or all of the various responsibilities of the Board's Agent.

The Agent shall maintain an office open for election duties for at least three hours each day, during regular office hours, on regular business days during the period designated in this section. The Agent shall maintain the documents, records and other items relating to the election and shall be the Agent designated to receive documents on behalf of the District that are required by the Texas Election Code.

The Agent shall post notice of the location and hours of the office as required by the Texas Election Code.

Section 8. Delivery of Voted Ballots; Counting. In accordance with the requirements of the Texas Election Code, after the close of voting on Election Day, the presiding election judges for each respective precinct shall deliver the ballot boxes for their respective precinct to the Central Counting Station. The early voting ballot board, at a time and in the manner permitted under the Texas Election Code, shall deliver the early voting ballots to the Central Counting Station.

Section 9. Canvassing of Returns: Declaring Results. The Election Officer, Yvonne Ramon, the Hidalgo County Elections Administrator, as WISD's designated election officer under the Election Contract, shall make a written return of the Elections results to WISD in accordance with the Election Code. The Board shall canvass the returns and declare the results of the Election.

Pursuant to §11.057(b) of the Texas Education Code, the candidates receiving the highest number of votes shall fill the positions of the terms which are expiring.

Section 10. Notice of Election. Notice of the Election, stating in substance the contents of this Order, shall be published one time in the English and Spanish languages, in a newspaper published within WISD's territory at least 10 days and no more than 30 days before the Election and as otherwise may be required by the Texas Election Code. Notice of the Election shall also be posted on the bulletin board used by the Board to post notices of the Board's meetings no later than the 21st day before the Election.

Section 11. Election Information to be provided in Spanish. The Custodian of Records appointed by the Board shall be responsible for the preparation of notices, instructions, orders, ballots, and other written material pertaining to the Election and shall cause each such document to be translated into and furnished to voters in both the English language and the Spanish language in order to aid and assist voters speaking Spanish as a primary or an alternative language to properly participate in the election process. In addition, the Custodian is hereby authorized and directed to make available to the voters having the need of an individual capable of acting as a translator and speaking both English and Spanish languages who will assist Spanish speaking voters in understanding and participating in the election process.

Section 12. Training of Election Officials. Pursuant to the Election Code, a public school of instruction for all election officers shall be held as arranged or contracted by the Election Officer.

Section 13. Authorization to Execute. The President of the Board is authorized to execute and the Secretary of the Board is authorized to attest this Order on behalf of the Board; and the President of the Board is authorized to do all other things legal and necessary in connection with the holding and consummation of the Election.

Section 14. Effective Date. This Order is effective immediately upon its passage and approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 4 day of October, 2022.



WESLACO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

BY: Armando Cuellar
Armando Cuellar, President
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

ATTEST:

BY: Jesse Trevino
Jesse Trevino, Secretary
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Eloy Sepulveda
Eloy Sepulveda
GENERAL COUNSEL

**NOVEMBER 8, 2022 GENERAL ELECTION AND
LOCAL ENTITIES ELECTIONS
COUNTYWIDE ELECTION DAY POLLING LOCATIONS**

*(8 de Noviembre del 2022 Elección General y Elecciones de Entidades Locales
Casillas Electorales de todo el Condado durante el Día de Elección)*

***On Election Day, eligible voters can cast their ballot at
any polling location.***

(Durante el Día de Elección, los votantes podrán emitir su voto en cualquier casilla electoral.)

POLLS OPEN 7:00 A.M. TO 7:00 P.M.

(Las casillas electorales abren a las 7:00 a.m. a las 7:00 p.m.)

City/Ciudad	Building/Edificio	Address/Dirección	Location/Ubicación
1. ALAMO	Alamo Community Center	1429 S. Tower Rd.	Meeting Room 1 & 2 <i>(Sala de reuniones 1 y 2)</i>
2. ALAMO	Farias Elementary School	1100 W Acacia Ave.	Gymnasium <i>(Gimnasio)</i>
3. ALAMO	Guerra Elementary School	807 TX-495	Library <i>(Biblioteca)</i>
4. ALAMO	Santos Livas Elementary School	733 N Alamo Rd.	Room 131 <i>(Habitación 131)</i>
5. ALAMO	Sgt. Fernando de la Rosa Library	416 N. Tower Rd.	Meeting Room <i>(Sala de Reuniones)</i>
6. ALTON	Alton Recreation Center	349 Dawes Ave.	Gymnasium <i>(Gimnasio)</i>
7. DONNA	Amigos Del Valle	1408 Silver Ave.	Main Area <i>(Área Principal)</i>
8. DONNA	Donna Recreation Center	370 Miller Ave.	Back Room <i>(Habitación Trasera)</i>
9. DONNA	W.A. Todd Middle School	400 N. Salinas Blvd.	Gymnasium <i>(Gimnasio)</i>
10. EDCOUCH	Sgt. Rodriguez Community Center	320 W. Santa Rosa Ave.	Meeting Room <i>(Sala de Reuniones)</i>
11. EDINBURG	Avila Elementary School	9205 N. Alamo Rd.	Library <i>(Biblioteca)</i>
12. EDINBURG	B.L. Garza Middle School	1202 N. MonMack Rd.	Health Room <i>(Sala de Salud)</i>
13. EDINBURG	Cano Gonzalez Elementary School	1701 S Raul Longoria Rd.	Teacher's Lounge <i>(Sala de Maestros)</i>
14. EDINBURG	Canterbury Elementary School	2821 W. Canton Rd.	Hallway <i>(Vestibulo)</i>
15. MCALLEN	Cayetano Cavazos Elementary School	1501 W. Freddy Gonzalez	Teacher's Lounge <i>(Sala de Maestros)</i>
16. EDINBURG	Dr. Esparza Elementary School	2510 Cesar Chavez Rd.	Gymnasium <i>(Gimnasio)</i>
17. EDINBURG	Economedes High School	1414 N Alamo Rd.	Performing Arts Center <i>(Centro de Artes Escénicas)</i>
18. EDINBURG	Edinburg High School	2600 E. Wisconsin Rd.	Performing Arts Center <i>(Centro de Artes Escénicas)</i>
19. EDINBURG	Edinburg North High School	3101 North Closner Blvd.	Performing Arts Center <i>(Centro de Artes Escénicas)</i>
20. EDINBURG	Edinburg Parks & Recreation Wellness Center	315 E. Palm Dr.	Game Room <i>(Sala de Juego)</i>
21. EDINBURG	Elections Annex Building	317 N. Closner Blvd "Rear"	Annex Room <i>(Habitación Anexo)</i>
22. EDINBURG	Guerra Elementary School	10010 N. Via Fernandez	Library <i>(Biblioteca)</i>
23. EDINBURG	Jefferson Elementary School	904 S 12th Ave.	Gymnasium <i>(Gimnasio)</i>
24. EDINBURG	Linn-San Manuel Fire Department	21661 TX 186	Meeting Room <i>(Sala de Reuniones)</i>
25. EDINBURG	Magee Elementary	3420 W. Rogers Rd.	Gymnasium <i>(Gimnasio)</i>
26. EDINBURG	Monte Cristo Elementary	4010 N. Doolittle Rd.	Front Entrance <i>(Entrada Frontal)</i>
27. EDINBURG	San Carlos Endowment Center	107 N. Sunflower Rd.	Conference Room <i>(Sala de Conferencias)</i>
28. EDINBURG	South Middle School	601 W Freddy Gonzalez Dr.	West Entrance <i>(Entrada Oeste)</i>
29. EDINBURG	UTRGV	1201 W. University Dr.	STAC Lounge <i>(Salón STAC)</i>
30. ELSA	Elsa Municipal Court	216 E. 4th St.	Court Chambers <i>(Salas de la Corte)</i>
31. GRANJENO	Granjeno City Hall	6603 S. FM 494	Conference Room <i>(Sala de Conferencias)</i>
32. HARGILL	Hargill Elementary School	13394 4th St.	Gymnasium <i>(Gimnasio)</i>
33. HIDALGO	Hidalgo City Hall	704 E. Ramón Ayala Dr.	Commissioners Chambers <i>(Sala de Comisionados)</i>
34. LA JOYA	La Joya Youth Center	604 Salomon Chapa Dr.	Gymnasium <i>(Gimnasio)</i>
35. LA VILLA	Multi-Purpose Building	500 E. 9th St.	Classroom <i>(Sala de Clase)</i>
36. MCALLEN	Boys and Girls Club Roney Center	4501 N. 34 th St.	Gymnasium <i>(Gimnasio)</i>
37. MCALLEN	Crockett Elementary	2112 N. Main St.	EOC Training Room <i>(Sala de Formación EOC)</i>
38. MCALLEN	Fireman's Pumphouse	201 N. 1st St.	Main Entrance <i>(Entrada Principal)</i>
39. MCALLEN	Fossum Middle School	7800 N. Ware Rd.	Front Entrance <i>(Entrada Frontal)</i>
40. MCALLEN	Gonzalez Elementary School	201 E. Martin Ave.	Front Entrance <i>(Entrada Frontal)</i>
41. MCALLEN	Lark Community Center	2601 Lark Ave.	Exercise Room <i>(Sala de Ejercicios)</i>
42. MCALLEN	Las Palmas Community Center	1925 N. 25th St.	Mesquite Room <i>(Habitación Mezquite)</i>
43. MCALLEN	McAllen Convention Center	700 Convention Center Blvd.	Room 101 A <i>(Sala 101 A)</i>
44. MCALLEN	McAllen Incubator	601 N. Main St.	Atrium <i>(Atrio)</i>
45. MCALLEN	McAllen Public Library	4001 N. 23rd St.	Meeting Room A <i>(Sala de Reuniones A)</i>
46. MCALLEN	Milam Elementary School	3800 N. Main St.	South Entrance <i>(Entrada Sur)</i>
47. MCALLEN	Palm View Community Center	3401 Jordan Ave.	Exercise Room <i>(Sala de Ejercicios)</i>

48. MCALLEN	Rayburn Elementary School	7000 N. Main St.	Library (<i>Biblioteca</i>)
49. MCALLEN	STC Cooper Center	3200 Pecan Blvd.	Lobby (<i>Vestíbulo</i>)
50. MCALLEN	STC Nursing Campus Building B	1901 S McColl Rd.	Community Room (<i>Sala de la Comunidad</i>)
51. MCALLEN	STC Technology Campus	3700 W. Military Hwy	Atrium (<i>Atrio</i>)
52. MCCOOK	Immaculate Conception Parish Hall	28212 S. FM 2058	Parish Hall (<i>Salón Parroquial</i>)
53. MERCEDES	Boys and Girls Club of Mercedes	701 Mathis St.	Main Entrance (<i>Entrada Principal</i>)
54. MERCEDES	Mercedes Civic Center	520 E. 2nd St.	Main Entrance (<i>Entrada Principal</i>)
55. MERCEDES	Zachary Taylor Elementary School	900 N. Missouri	Gymnasium (<i>Gimnasio</i>)
56. MISSION	Bannworth Gym	1822 N. Shary Rd.	Gymnasium (<i>Gimnasio</i>)
57. MISSION	Mission Fire Department	415 W. Tom Landry	Training Room (<i>Habitación de Entrenamiento</i>)
58. MISSION	Mission Parks and Recreation Center	721 Bryan Rd.	Back Gymnasium (<i>Gimnasio Atras</i>)
59. MISSION	O'Grady Elementary School	810 W. Griffin Parkway	Library (<i>Biblioteca</i>)
60. MISSION	Salinas Elementary School	10820 N. Conway	Teacher's Lounge (<i>Sala de Maestros</i>)
61. MISSION	Upper Valley Art League	921 E. 12th St.	Main Entrance (<i>Entrada Principal</i>)
62. MISSION	Veterans Memorial High School	700 E. 2 Mile Rd.	Commons Area (<i>Área Común</i>)
63. MONTE ALTO	Monte Alto Elementary School	25149 1st St.	Gymnasium (<i>Gimnasio</i>)
64. PALMHURST	Rafael Cantu Junior High School	5101 N. Stewart Rd.	Library (<i>Biblioteca</i>)
65. PALMVIEW	Pct. 3 The Mansion	2401 W. Moorefield Rd.	Back Entrance (<i>Entrada Trasera</i>)
66. PALMVIEW	Palmview Recreation Center	406 W Veterans Blvd.	Gymnasium (<i>Gimnasio</i>)
67. PHARR	Buckner Elementary School	1001 N. Fir	Cafeteria (<i>Cafeteria</i>)
68. PHARR	Development and Research Center	850 W. Dicker Rd.	Conference Center (<i>Centro de Conferencias</i>)
69. PHARR	Jose Pepe Salinas Center	1011 W. Kelly Ave.	Small Hall (<i>Salón Pequeño</i>)
70. PHARR	Liberty Middle School	1212 S. Fir	Cafeteria (<i>Cafeteria</i>)
71. PHARR	Napper Elementary School	903 N. Flag St.	Cafeteria (<i>Cafeteria</i>)
72. PHARR	Pharr Memorial Library	121 E Cherokee Ave.	Entrada Norte (<i>Entrada Norte</i>)
73. PHARR	PSJA North Early College High School	500 E. Earling Rd.	Fine Arts Auditorium (<i>Auditorio de Bellas Artes</i>)
74. PHARR	STC Regional Center for Public Safety Excellence	3901 S Cage Blvd.	Classroom 1.113 A and Classroom 1.113 B (<i>Sala de Clase 1.113 A and Sala de Clase 1.113 B</i>)
75. PHARR	Valley View ISD Staff Development Center	9701 S. Jackson Rd.	North Entrance (<i>Entrada Norte</i>)
76. PROGRESO	Progreso Family Community Center	510 N. FM 1015	Main Entrance (<i>Entrada Principal</i>)
77. SAN JUAN	Doedyns Elementary School	1401 N. Raul Longoria	Cafeteria (<i>Cafeteria</i>)
78. SAN JUAN	San Juan Fire Station 2	2301 N. Raul Longoria Rd.	Meeting Room (<i>Sala de Reuniones</i>)
79. SAN JUAN	San Juan Memorial Library	1010 S. Standard Ave.	Multi-Purpose Room (<i>Sala Multipropósito</i>)
80. SAN JUAN	Sorensen Elementary	701 E. Sam Houston	Library (<i>Biblioteca</i>)
81. SULLIVAN	Sullivan City WIC Clinic	371 W Expy. 83	Lobby (<i>Vestíbulo</i>)
82. WESLACO	Business Visitor and Event Center	275 S. Kansas	Conference Room A & B (<i>Sala de Conferencias A y B</i>)
83. WESLACO	Central Middle School	503 E 6th St.	Gymnasium (<i>Gimnasio</i>)
84. WESLACO	Commissioner Pct. 1 Office	1902 Joe Stephens Ave.	Conference Room (<i>Sala de Conferencias</i>)
85. WESLACO	PFC Mario Ybarra Elementary School	1800 Mile 10 N.	Classroom 106 (<i>Sala de Clase 106</i>)
86. WESLACO	STC Mid-Valley Campus	400 N. Border Ave.	Conference Room (<i>Sala de Conferencias</i>)

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