

NOTICE OF ELECTION

NOTICE BY THE PLACER COUNTY REGISTRAR OF VOTERS OF OFFICES FOR WHICH CANDIDATES ARE TO BE NOMINATED OR ELECTED AT THE GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER ELECTION AND NOTICE OF BALLOT MEASURE TO BE DECIDED. NOTICE OF TIME IN WHICH ARGUMENTS AND REBUTTAL ARGUMENTS FOR OR AGAINST A MEASURE MAY BE FILED. NOTICE OF CANDIDATE FILING DATES. NOTICE OF VOTE BY MAIL BALLOTS ISSUED. NOTICE OF LAST DAY TO REGISTER. NOTICE OF DATES FOR SIGNATURE VERIFICATION. NOTICE OF DROP BOXES AVAILABLE FOR THIS ALL-MAIL BALLOT ELECTION. NOTICE OF DATES FOR VOTE BY MAIL BALLOT PROCESSING. NOTICE OF CENTRAL COUNTING LOCATION. NOTICE OF THE SELECTION OF PRECINCTS FOR THE MANUAL TALLY OF BALLOTS AND OF THE MANUAL TALLY OF BALLOTS TO BE CONDUCTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH STATE LAW.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by Ryan Ronco, Placer County Clerk-Recorder-Registrar of Voters, in accordance with the provisions of the Election Laws of the State of California, that on Tuesday, November 2, 2021 there will be an All-Mail Ballot Election to be held in the McKinney Water District and the Northstar Community Service District.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that at the Governing Board Member Election, two (2) candidates will be elected to the governing board of the McKinney Water District for four (4) year terms.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that official Nomination Petitions and Declarations of Candidacy for eligible candidates desiring to file for the above elective offices may be obtained from the Placer County Elections Office, 2956 Richardson Drive, Auburn, CA 95603, Monday through Friday from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM, excluding holidays. Completed Declarations of Candidacy shall be returned to the Placer County Elections Office by the end of the filing period.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that filing is open Monday, July 12, 2021 and will close Wednesday, August 6, 2021, after which time no Declarations of Candidacy may be accepted for filing. If an incumbent does not file his or her Declaration of Candidacy on or before August 6, 2021, the period for all non-incumbents to obtain and return Declarations of Candidacy will be extended to August 11, 2021. Office hours will be the same as above.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that consolidated with the Special District Election the following measure shall be put to a vote of the qualified voters in the Northstar Community Service District:

Measure U – Northstar Community Service District

"To improve local wildfire prevention by removing dry brush, dead trees, and fire hazards, improving evacuation routes, adding firebreaks to prevent the spread of wildfire, and providing homeowners with easy, inexpensive green waste disposal options, shall the Northstar Community Services District measure levying up to \$219 per year for 10 years be approved, providing \$450,000 annually in locally-controlled funding to the Northstar Fire Department for fire protection, with annual adjustments, exemptions for low-income residents, and citizen oversight?"

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that direct arguments for or against said measures shall be submitted to the Placer County Elections Office. Said arguments shall not exceed 300 words in length and may be received or withdrawn prior to and including August 6, 2021 at 5:00 PM. The Placer County Registrar of Voters shall cause (if submitted) one argument for and/or one

argument against said measure to be printed and shall cause to be enclosed a copy thereof in each county voter information guide. If multiple arguments are submitted either for or against a measure, the Placer County Registrar of Voters shall choose and print one argument in accordance with applicable law or procedure.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that, for individuals interested in submitting arguments for or against said measure, the physical address for the Placer County Elections Office is 2956 Richardson Drive, Auburn. The mailing address for the Placer County Elections Office is PO Box 5278, Auburn, CA 95604.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that when the Placer County Registrar of Voters has selected the direct arguments for and against said measure, the Placer County Registrar of Voters shall send copies of the argument in favor of said measure to the authors of the argument against and copies of the argument against to the authors of the argument in favor. The authors may prepare and submit rebuttal arguments not to exceed 250 words. The rebuttal arguments must be filed with the Placer County Registrar of Voters not later than 10 days after the final date for filing direct arguments. The final date for rebuttal arguments is August 16, 2021 at 5:00 PM.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that California Elections Code Section 9600 governs the form of said arguments and/or rebuttals. Arguments and/or rebuttals submitted to the Placer County Elections Office must follow this form. Authors of said arguments/rebuttals may call the Elections Office at 530-886-5650 for more information and a copy of this Elections Code Section.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the last day to register to vote for the Special District Election is October 18, 2021.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the election will be conducted by mail ballot only. Placer County Elections staff will be available to accept voted ballots and issue replacement ballots at the Placer County Elections Office, 2956 Richardson Drive, Auburn, from October 4, 2021 through November 2, 2021 during regular office hours as posted. Staff will also be available to accept voted ballots and issue replacement ballots at the Placer County Elections Office, November 2, 2021 from 7:00 AM to 8:00 PM.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that all ballots will begin to be mailed on October 4, 2021. The last day for the Elections Office to mail a requested ballot is October 26, 2021.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that there is a 24/7 ballot drop box available outside the Placer County Elections Office, 2956 Richardson Drive, Auburn. The drop box is accessible beginning October 4, 2021 until 8:00 p.m. on November 2, 2021.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the central counting locations is at the Placer County Elections Office, 2956 Richardson Drive, Auburn, CA 95603.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that per Elections Code 15101 and 15104, the Registrar of Voters hereby notifies all interested organizations that the verifying of signatures on vote by mail ballots cast for the All-Mail Ballot Election will commence on October 4, 2021, or at any time thereafter in the County Elections Office. On October 12, 2021 or at any time thereafter, the opening and processing of vote by mail ballots will commence. This process will begin during regular business hours, 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM, and will continue until all election results are tabulated and the election is certified. Any member of the County Grand Jury, and any other interested organization, shall be permitted to observe the processing of ballot return envelopes through the

opening, counting and disposition of the ballots.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the opening and processing of the vote by mail ballots for said election will take place at the Placer County Elections Office starting October 4, 2020 and continue through Election Night, November 2, 2021.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the canvass will commence on or before 8:00 AM on November 3, 2021 at the Placer County Elections Office.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN in accordance with provisions of the election laws of the State of California, that on November 3, 2021 at 10:00 AM, Elections Office will randomly select precincts for a manual tally of one percent (1%) of the precincts casting ballots at the November 2, 2021 Special District Election.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that this random selection of precincts is open to the public.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that on November 4, 2021 at 9:00 AM, the Placer County Elections Office will begin a manual tally of one percent (1%) of the precincts casting ballots at the November 2, 2021 Special District Election.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that this manual tally is open to the public and shall continue daily (Saturdays, Sundays and holidays excluded unless otherwise decided by the County Registrar of Voters) until completed.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that for directions or information regarding the manual tally, interested persons may call the Placer County Elections Office at 530-886-5650 or toll-free in California at 1-800-824-8683.

Ryan Ronco
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