

**NEW DEAL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES
JOINT ELECTION RESOLUTION**

WHEREAS, Chapter 31, Subchapter D, of the Texas Election Code authorizes the governing body of a political subdivision to contract with the County's election officer for election services in an election ordered by the political subdivision; and

WHEREAS, Texas Education Code §11.0581 requires that the District conduct its trustee election on the same date as the election for members of the governing body of a municipality located in the school district and jointly with that municipality;

WHEREAS, Chapter 271 of the Texas Election Code provides for joint elections when an election is required upon the same day by two or more political subdivisions occupying all or a part of the same territory; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees (the "Board") of New Deal Independent School District (the "District") adopted an order on January 16, 2020, calling for a general election for the election of two trustee positions to be held within the District on May 2, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, pursuant to the authority vested in the Governor of the State (the "Governor") by Section 418.014 of the Texas Government Code, the Governor certified that the novel coronavirus posed an imminent threat of disaster and declared a state of disaster for all counties in the State; and

WHEREAS, on March 18, 2020, pursuant to the authority vested in the Governor by the Constitution and the Laws of the State, the Governor issued a proclamation (the "Proclamation") to: (i) suspend Sections 41.0052(a) and (b) of the Texas Election Code, and Section 49.103 of the Texas Water Code to the extent necessary to allow political subdivisions that would otherwise hold elections on May 2, 2020, to move their general and special elections for 2020 to the next uniform election date of November 3, 2020, without otherwise adjusting the term of office for the directors; and (ii) suspend Sections 31.093 and 42.0621 (c) of the Texas Election Code to the extent necessary to require all county election officers, if requested by an affected political subdivision, to enter into a contract to furnish election services with any political subdivision who postponed its election to November 3, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Governor further found in his Proclamation that pursuant to Section 3.004 of the Texas Election Code, a political subdivision had the authority to make the decision to postpone its May 2, 2020, election until November 3, 2020; and

WHEREAS, in light of the Governor's March 13, 2020, declaration of disaster, the Proclamation, and the Governor's March 19, 2020, Executive Order, the Board, on April 16, 2020, found and determined that it was necessary and in the best interest of the District and its citizens to postpone its general trustee election to November 3, 2020, (the "Postponed Election").

WHEREAS, the New Deal Independent School District desires to contract with the Lubbock County election officer for election services for its Postponed Election, and for any other special or bond elections that may be called by the District during the term of the contract; and

WHEREAS, several other political subdivisions within Lubbock County also are conducting elections on the same day and are also contracting with the Lubbock County election official for election services; and

WHEREAS, the New Deal Independent School District desires to conduct a joint election on November 3, 2020, with all such governmental units as are eligible and desire to conduct a joint election with Lubbock County as may be expressed by order, resolution or other official action of said governmental units including, but not limited to, Lubbock County, Village of Buffalo Springs, Town of Ransom Canyon, City of Slaton, City of Idalou, City of Abernathy, City of New Deal, City of Wolfforth, City of Shallowater, City of Lubbock, any water districts and/or hospital districts sharing geographical boundaries, Shallowater ISD, Frenship ISD, Lubbock ISD, Idalou ISD, Roosevelt ISD, Slaton ISD, Lubbock-Cooper ISD and Abernathy ISD; and

WHEREAS, on January 16, 2020, the Board of Trustees of the New Deal ISD authorized the Board President to execute a Contract for Election Services with Lubbock County, Texas, for all Joint Elections in Calendar Year 2020;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE NEW DEAL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT:

THAT the said Contract for Election Services shall be deemed a joint election agreement authorized by this Resolution with those governmental units within Lubbock County that are conducting an election on November 3, 2020, and that desire and are eligible to conduct a joint election with New Deal ISD through their contracts with Lubbock County; and

THAT the New Deal ISD Board of Trustees hereby appoints Dorothy Kennedy as the early voting clerk for the election; and

THAT the Superintendent is hereby authorized and directed to make any necessary changes to the Election Order exhibits or otherwise to take any and all actions as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this Resolution.

Passed by vote and approved this 4th day of August, 2020.


Board President

ATTEST:


Superintendent

**NEW DEAL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
RESOLUTION TO ADOPT USE OF HART
INTERCIVIC VERITY 2.4 VOTING EQUIPMENT**

WHEREAS, NEW DEAL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT contracts with the County of Lubbock to conduct its elections.

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court of Lubbock County on December 22, 2016, heard information from County officials, regarding an upgrade to the County's aging voting system; and

WHEREAS, on December 22, 2016, the Lubbock County Commissioners Court voted to purchase Hart Voting Systems Intercivic Verity Voting 2.0 system from Hart Intercivic; and

WHEREAS, on August 10, 2020, the Hart Verity Voting 2.0 system from Hart Intercivic will be upgraded to the Hart Verity Voting 2.4 system from Hart Intercivic; and


WHEREAS, Lubbock County Office of Elections will utilize the Hart Intercivic Verity Voting 2.4 system to conduct elections on behalf of New Deal Independent School District; and

WHEREAS, the Hart Intercivic Verity Voting 2.4 system has been certified by both the Texas Secretary of State and the United States Election Assistance Commission; and

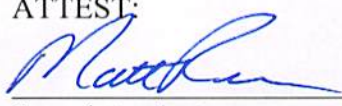
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the New Deal Independent School District, the body responsible for contracting to have elections conducted on behalf of the New Deal Independent School District, **ADOPTS** the Hart Intercivic Verity Voting System 2.4 for use in elections in Lubbock County; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the New Deal Independent School District, adopts the Hart Intercivic Verity Voting System 2.4 to be used at all early voting by mail paper ballots, early voting paper Limited Ballots, all early voting locations for early voting in person and election-day polling locations for in person voting in Lubbock County.

Duly adopted by vote of the New Deal Independent School District on the 4th day of August, 2020.



Board President

ATTEST:


Superintendent

**AMENDED NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION
(MODIFICACIÓN DEL AVISO DE CONVOCATORIA DE ELECCIONES GENERALES)**

To the Registered Voters of New Deal Independent School District, Lubbock County, Texas:
(A los electores inscritos en el Distrito Escolar Independiente de New Deal, condado de Lubbock, Texas:)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on Tuesday, November 3, 2020, for voting in a general election to elect two at-large School Board Trustee positions. This election was originally ordered on January 16, 2020, for the May 2, 2020, uniform election date but was postponed to November 3, 2020, by action of the Board of Trustees on April 16, 2020.

(Mediante el presente documento se comunica que los centros electorales mencionados se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el sábado, 3 de noviembre de 2020, para votar en las elecciones generales para elegir a dos (2) administradores del Consejo sin zona asignada. Las elecciones se convocaron inicialmente el 17 de enero del 2020 para el 2 de mayo del 2020, la fecha uniforme para las elecciones, pero las mismas se aplazaron hasta el 3 de noviembre del 2020, por medidas adoptadas por el Consejo de Administración el día 16 de abril del 2020.)

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES ARE AS INDICATED ON EXHIBIT B
(UBICACIÓN DE LOS CENTROS ELECTORALES SEGÚN SE INDICA EN EL ANEXO B)

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted as listed in Exhibit A
(La votación por adelantado en persona se llevará a cabo según se indica en el Anexo A)

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed or emailed to:
(Las solicitudes para la votación por correo deberán enviarse por correo o por correo electrónico a:)

Dorothy Kennedy, EA
(Name of Early Voting Clerk)
(Nombre de la secretaria para la votación adelantada)

P.O. Box 10536
(Address) (Dirección)

Lubbock, TX 79408
(City) (Ciudad) (Zip Code) (Código postal)

votelubbock@lubbockcounty.gov
(E-mail address) (Dirección de correo electrónico)

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on Friday, October 23rd, 2020.
(Las solicitudes para la votación por correo deberán recibirse antes del cierre del horario de oficinas del lunes, día 23 de octubre de 2020).

Issued this ____ day of August, 2020
(Se emitió hoy, el día ____ de agosto, 2020)

Member (Miembro)

Jandra Gowers
Presiding Officer (Presidente de la mesa electoral)

Member (Miembro)

Eddie Rami
Member (Miembro)

Bruce Punter
Member (Miembro)

R. Wolf
Member (Miembro)

Perry Hoony
Member (Miembro)

Spence McLawne
Member (Miembro)

AMENDED ORDER OF GENERAL ELECTION
(MODIFICACIÓN DE LA ORDEN DE CONVOCATORIA DE ELECCIONES GENERALES)

The election for the New Deal Independent School District, County of Lubbock, Texas, ordered on January 16, 2020, to be held on May 2, 2020, is amended to be held on **Tuesday, November 3rd, 2020** for the purpose of:

(Las elecciones generales del Distrito Escolar Independiente de New Deal, condado de Lubbock, Texas, que se convocaron inicialmente el día 16 de enero para celebrarse el día 2 de mayo del 2020 queda modificada y las mismas se llevarán a cabo el **martes, día 3 de noviembre, 2020**, con el fin de:)

Electing two (2) at large School Board Trustees
(Elegir a dos (2) administradores del Consejo sin zona asignada)

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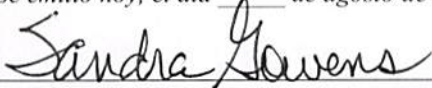
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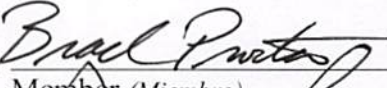
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Issued this 4th day of August, 2020
(Se emitió hoy, el día de agosto de 2020)

Presiding Officer (Presidente de la mesa electoral)

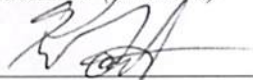
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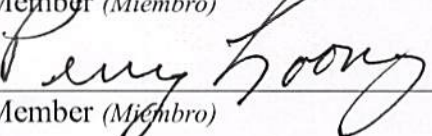
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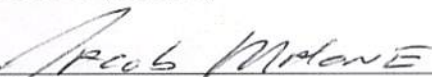
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