

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT ELECTION
SOUTH TEXAS COLLEGE BOND AND MAINTENANCE TAX ELECTION
CITY OF SAN JUAN - GENERAL AND SPECIAL ELECTION
HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS - NOVEMBER 5, 2013
OFFICIAL BALLOT

VOTE FOR ONE IN EACH PROPOSITION

PROPOSITION 1

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for an exemption from ad valorem taxation of all or part of the market value of the residence homestead of the surviving spouse of a member of the armed services of the United States who is killed in action."



FOR



AGAINST

PROPOSITION 2

"The constitutional amendment eliminating an obsolete requirement for a State Medical Education Board and a State Medical Education Fund, neither of which is operational."



FOR



AGAINST

PROPOSITION 3

"The constitutional amendment to authorize a political subdivision of this state to extend the number of days that aircraft parts that are exempt from ad valorem taxation due to their location in this state for a temporary period may be located in this state for purposes of qualifying for the tax exemption."



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PROPOSITION 4

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for an exemption from ad valorem taxation of part of the market value of the residence homestead of a partially disabled veteran or the surviving spouse of a partially disabled veteran if the residence homestead was donated to the disabled veteran by a charitable organization."

FOR

AGAINST

PROPOSITION 5

"The constitutional amendment to authorize the making of a reverse mortgage loan for the purchase of homestead property and to amend lender disclosures and other requirements in connection with a reverse mortgage loan."

FOR

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PROPOSITION 6

"The constitutional amendment providing for the creation of the State Water Implementation Fund for Texas and the State Water Implementation Revenue Fund for Texas to assist in the financing of priority projects in the state water plan to ensure the availability of adequate water resources."

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PROPOSITION 7

"The constitutional amendment authorizing a home-rule municipality to provide in its charter the procedure to fill a vacancy on its governing body for which the unexpired term is 12 months or less."

FOR

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PROPOSITION 8

"The constitutional amendment repealing Section 7, Article IX, Texas Constitution, which relates to the creation of a hospital district in Hidalgo County."

FOR

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PROPOSITION 9

"The constitutional amendment relating to expanding the types of sanctions that may be assessed against a judge or justice following a formal proceeding instituted by the State Commission on Judicial Conduct."

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SOUTH TEXAS COLLEGE

PROPOSITION NO. 1

THE ISSUANCE OF \$159,028,940 IN BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF?

FOR

AGAINST

PROPOSITION NO. 2

LEVY, ASSESSMENT, AND COLLECTION OF AN ADDITIONAL 3 CENTS ANNUAL AD VALOREM TAX ON EACH ONE HUNDRED DOLLAR (\$100.00) VALUATION, AT A RATE NOT TO EXCEED 14 CENTS ON EACH ONE HUNDRED DOLLAR (\$100.00) VALUATION OF TAXABLE PROPERTY IN THE COLLEGE DISTRICT FOR THE FURTHER OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF SOUTH TEXAS COLLEGE?

FOR

AGAINST

CITY OF SAN JUAN

AMENDMENT NO. 1

AMENDING ARTICLE II CITY COMMISSION, SECTION 2.01 COMPOSITION, ELIGIBILITY, ELECTION AND TERMS, SUBSECTION (C.) ELECTION AND TERMS to read as follows: "All members of the Commission shall be elected in accordance with Article X of this Charter and shall hold office for four (4) years and until their successors shall have been duly elected and qualified. This amendment shall commence on the elections to be held in 2015 for places four (4) and five (5) and elections to be held in 2017 for places one (1), two (2), and three (3) and thereafter, until herein amended. The terms of the members of the City Commission shall begin the first Tuesday following their election."

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AMENDMENT NO. 2

AMENDING ARTICLE II CITY COMMISSION, SECTION 2.01 COMPOSITION, ELIGIBILITY, ELECTION AND TERMS by adding subsection (D.) titled TERM LIMITS and to read as follows: "The Commission members shall be prohibited from serving in their respective elective positions for more than three (3) consecutive terms. This shall become effective on the first opposed or unopposed election of the Commission member following its passage."



FOR



AGAINST

AMENDMENT NO. 3

ARTICLE V FINANCIAL PROCEDURE, SECTION 5.01 FISCAL YEAR to amend the first sentence to read as follows: "The fiscal year of the City shall begin on the first day of October and shall end on the last day of September of the next following calendar year."



FOR



AGAINST

AMENDMENT NO. 4

ARTICLE V FINANCIAL PROCEDURE, SECTION 5.12 PURCHASE PROCEDURE by amending the third and fourth sentence to read as follows: "The City Commission may, by ordinance, convey upon the City Manager, general authority to contract for expenditures without further approval of the City Commission in accordance with the City's adopted Procurement Manual. All Contracts for expenditures shall be let to the lowest and best responsible bidder after there has been an opportunity for competitive bidding as provided for by law or ordinance; provided that the City Commission or the City Manager in such cases as he is authorized to contract for the City, shall have the right to reject any and all bids."



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AMENDMENT NO. 5

AMENDING ARTICLE X NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS, SECTION 10.02 ANNUAL ELECTIONS by amending the election date and notice provision by specifically deleting the first sentence and amending the second sentence to read as follows: "Each election shall be held and notice shall be given in accordance with the general laws of the State of Texas as now existing, or as hereinafter amended, for the holding of municipal elections, at such places as the City Commission may direct."



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AMENDMENT NO. 6

ARTICLE X NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS, SECTION 10.03 SPECIAL ELECTIONS by amending the first sentence to read as follows: "The City Commission may at any time, by resolution or ordinance call a special election to be held within the City for the purpose of voting upon any proposition to be decided by the electors of the City, and of which notice shall be given and the election officers and supervisors appointed as provided for by the general laws of the State of Texas as now existing, or as hereinafter amended, relating to special municipal elections."



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AMENDMENT NO. 7

AMENDING ARTICLE X NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS, SECTION 10.06 ELECTION BY MAJORITY VOTE AND RUN-OFF ELECTION, specifically the notice provision, by deleting the last sentence and amending the second sentence to read as follows: "Said run-off election shall be held on the fourth (4th) Saturday following the regular election and notice shall be given in accordance with the general laws of the State of Texas as now existing, or as hereinafter amended, for the holding of municipal elections; and in such run-off election the two candidates who received, in the preceding election, the highest number of votes for each place to which no one was elected, shall be voted on again by the qualified voters, and the candidate who received the majority of the votes cast for each such office in the run-off election shall be elected to such office."



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AMENDMENT NO. 8

ARTICLE X NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS, SECTION 10.07 HOW CANDIDATES FILE FOR PLACE ON BALLOT by amending the first sentence of the first paragraph to read as follows: "Any qualified person who desires to become a candidate for election to a place on the City Commission shall file with the City Secretary an application in accordance with the general laws of the State of Texas as now existing, or as hereinafter amended, for the holding of municipal elections, for his name to appear on the ballot."



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Summary Ballot Instructions

Press the candidate name or contest title to return to a contest.

Vote button will light up when you may cast your ballot.

VOTE FOR ONE IN EACH PROPOSITION

PROPOSITION 1

No selection made.

PROPOSITION 2

No selection made.

PROPOSITION 3

No selection made.

PROPOSITION 4

No selection made.

PROPOSITION 5

No selection made.

PROPOSITION 6

No selection made.



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PROPOSITION 7

No selection made.

PROPOSITION 8

No selection made.

PROPOSITION 9

No selection made.

SOUTH TEXAS COLLEGE

PROPOSITION NO. 1

No selection made.

PROPOSITION NO. 2

No selection made.



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AMENDMENT NO. 2

No selection made.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

No selection made.

AMENDMENT NO. 4

No selection made.

AMENDMENT NO. 5

No selection made.

AMENDMENT NO. 6

No selection made.



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AMENDMENT NO. 7

No selection made.

AMENDMENT NO. 8

No selection made.

SAMPLE BALLOT
BOLETA DE MUESTRA



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