

NOTICE OF GOVERNING BOARD MEMBERS ELECTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY given that an election will be held in the Southern Kern Unified School District on November 3, 2020, for the purpose of electing **three** Governing Board Members.

Candidates must be 18 years of age and a registered voter residing within the District.

Declarations of Candidacy for eligible candidates desiring to file may be obtained from the Elections Division, 1115 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, or by email request to candidatefiling@kerncounty.com commencing on July 13, 2020, and shall be filed with the Elections Division no later than 5:00 p.m. August 7, 2020.

Candidates wishing to submit a Candidate's Statement, of no more than 200 words for printing and distribution to the voters must, submit such Statement for filing at the same time the Declaration of Candidacy is filed. The statement must be prepared on a form supplied by the Elections Office.

Each candidate for nonpartisan elective office may prepare a Candidate's Statement pursuant to Section 13307 of the Elections Code. Such statements may include the name, age, and occupation of the candidate's education and qualifications expressed by the candidate.

Each paid statement shall be included in the Sample Ballot which is mailed to each voter. Each candidate filing a statement will be required to pay in advance their pro rata share in the amount of \$617.00 as a condition of having their statement included in the Sample Ballot.

In the event there are no nominees or an insufficient number of nominees for each office and a petition for election is not timely filed, an appointment to such office shall be made pursuant to Elections Code Section 10515.

If candidates have any questions, please call Kern County Auditor-Controller-County Clerk office at **(661) 868-3590 or 1-800-452-8683**.