

Nov. 6 General Election

Early Voting: Oct. 22- Nov. 2 8 a.m.- 5 p.m. Courthouse Annex

Nov. 6 7 a.m.-7 p.m.

Pct. 1, Pct. 2 and Pct. 3 Courthouse Annex; Pct. 4 Ozona Chamber of Commerce

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OHS Cross-Country advances to Regional Meet

SAN ANGELO - The OHS Lions and Lady Lions Cross-Country Teams are headed to regionals.

At the District 7-AA Meet on Oct. 10, the Varsity Lions placed second in the meet and the Lady Lions placed third punching their ticket to the Region I Meet on Monday, Oct. 22, at Mae Simmons Park in Lubbock. The Lady Lions run at 11 a.m. and the Lions run at 11:30 a.m.

"The Lady Lions and Lions are headed back to Lubbock. Ozona is the only school in our district that will be sending both the boys and girls teams to Lubbock. It has been a good season so far and we are excited to have the opportunity to represent our community and district at the regional meet," said Coach John Esparza.

"I enjoy the early mornings with them. Good kids with good attitudes and work ethic. The times keep dropping and we like the direction we are headed," added Coach Jeff Shelton.

VARSITY BOYS RESULTS

Team Totals - 1. Miles; 2. Ozona; 3. Eldorado; 4. Christoval; 5. Forsan.

Individuals - 5. Manuel Torralba, 17 minutes, 54.84 seconds; 6. Manuel Torralba, 17:57.71; 7. Jason



THE OHS LIONS AND LADY LIONS CROSS-COUNTRY TEAMS advanced to the Region I Meet after competing in the District 7-AA Meet on Oct. 10 at San Angelo. Ozona was the only team in District-7AA to have both teams advance. The Region I Meet will be Monday, Oct. 22, at Lubbock.

Lopez, 18:25.61; 10. Bryce Gray, 18:44.80; 12. Adam Hopper, 19:00.34; 16. Raul Ramirez, 19:33.92 and 28. Melvyn Mejia, 22:07.19.

VARSITY GIRLS RESULTS

Team Totals - 1. Christoval; 2. Forsan; 3. Ozona; 4. Eldorado; 5. Miles; 6. Winters.

Individuals - 15. Ysabella Flores, 13:35.24; 19. Kari-

na Marmalejo, 13:50.48; 20. Roslynn Mendez, 13:54.23; 21. Cassidy McCutcheon, 13:56.03; 22. Jacque Medina, 14:00.02; 23. Doris Sanchez, 14:02.13; 31. Norah Rodriguez, 14:27.80.

JV BOYS RESULTS

Individuals - 1. Marco Rodriguez, 11:55.59; 3. Daniel Hernandez, 13:21.12; 4. Kolton Thomp-

son, 13:24.28.

JV GIRLS RESULTS

Team Totals - 1. Christoval; 2. Ozona; 3. Eldorado.

Individuals - 1. Harley Hernandez, 14:26.61; 6. Paige Sanchez, 14:55.01; 7. Esperanza Ramirez, 15:13.17; 9. Alondra Hernandez, 15:27.06; 16. Kamaron Ortiz, 16:53.01.

School superintendent addresses voters' bond election questions

BY MELISSA PERNER
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

Crockett County CCSD Superintendent Raul Chavarria addressed voters and answered questions Monday night during a town hall meeting on the proposed bond election.

The election will appear on the Nov. 6 General Election ballot.

The bond will involve moving money from the school district's maintenance and operations budget, which is subject to recapture by the state's Robin Hood plan, to the district's interest and sinking fund. All the money in the I&S fund remains in Crockett County.

The funding that is being moved is the Qualified School Construction Bond (QSCB) loan that the board

approved in 2011-2012. The \$3.5 million federal loan has been used for roof repairs, ac and heating units, the football field turf, teacher housing and school maintenance.

The district budgets \$231,000 each year for the QSCB loan payment.

By moving the loan to the I&S fund, the district will be able to pay off the loan faster and have more money in their M&O fund to use for salaries, teaching supplies and daily operations, Chavarria said.

To move money from one fund to another, it takes a bond election, Chavarria said. If approved by voters, it would add \$231,000 a year to the maintenance and operations budget, save taxpayers \$446,511 in interest and there is no tax increase to the tax-

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Early voting begins Monday

BY MELISSA PERNER
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

Early voting starts Monday, Oct. 22, in the Nov. 6 General Election.

Early voting will run through Nov. 2. Crockett County Voters can cast their ballots from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. each day at the courthouse annex. Voting is open during the noon lunch hour.

Election Day voting will be from 7 a.m.-7 p.m. Local polls are: Precinct 1 - Crockett County Courthouse Annex; Precinct 2 - Crockett County Senior Center; Precinct 3 - Crockett Coun-

ty Civic Center and Precinct 4 - Ozona Chamber of Commerce Visitor Center.

Local contested races on the Nov. 6 ballot include:

• Crockett County Commissioner, Precinct 2 between G.L. Bunger and Slate Williams.

• Crockett County Commissioner, Precinct 4 between Michael Medina Jr. and Rudy Martinez.

The Crockett County CCSD is also asking voters for a bond election that will move funding from the district's

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VOTE MEET THE CANDIDATES VOTE

Crockett County Commissioner, Precinct 4

Editor's note: The Ozona Stockman is featuring Q&A articles with local candidates in contested Nov. 6 General Election races. This week features the three candidates for Crockett County Commissioner, Precinct 4

WHAT IS YOUR OCCUPATION, EDUCATION AND FAMILY?

I was born and raised in Ozona, Texas. I have lived here all my life for the past 74 years. I went to Ozona High School for many years and then began work for Lilly Construction for over 31 years before working for Chemo Petrolite for 15 years before I finally retired.

I married the love of my life, Adelina "Nina" Martinez, and have been married to her for over 57 wonderful years. We have three sons and daughters, Wilda, Rudy III, and Roger, who have provided us with six grandkids and nine great-grandkids who we love dearly.

I would also like to add that I am running as an Independent Candidate in this election.



RUDY MARTINEZ

WHAT QUALIFIES YOU FOR THE POSITION YOU ARE RUNNING FOR?

I feel I am extremely qualified since I previously held the position of Crockett County Commissioner of Precinct 4 for over 16 years from 1990-2006. I learned many things about the budget and how to deal with all elected officials in order to get things done. This helped

me to represent my constituents and all citizens of Crockett County.

WHAT ARE THREE THINGS YOU WOULD LIKE TO ACCOMPLISH IF ELECTED?

We need to provide services for our county that involve making our streets and roads and properties be well-maintained and kept clean, and helping increase the values of our properties.

I would like to also make sure that our budget works for the people while keeping the yearly budget balanced.

Finally, I would like to see revenue for our county increase without raising taxes.

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WHAT IS YOUR OCCUPATION, EDUCATION AND FAMILY?

I am an honors graduate from Ozona High School, class of 2012.

I have worked in the oil & gas industry for over five years now, and am employed at DCP Midstream.

I am the son of Michael (Sr.) and Grizz Medina. My wife Jennifer is also an OHS graduate, and we married in 2015. We currently have no kids, but would like to in the future.

Since we do not yet have kids of our own we volunteer our time to teach weekly CCE classes at our local church, Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church.

WHAT QUALIFIES YOU FOR THE POSITION YOU ARE RUNNING FOR?

I believe that the qualities it takes to be a good county commissioner can't be measured on paper. The qualities I have that make me a great fit for a county commissioner are dedication, fairness, and approachability. Taking on the role of county commissioner should be a busy job if done correctly. It would certainly take dedication to maintain a strong fire every day and



MICHAEL MEDINA JR.

the desire to serve the community. Fairness may be the most important of the three qualities. I promise to always treat everyone fairly no matter their race, social status, or the size of their pockets... at the end of the day every person's vote is tallied the same. Approachability should be a quality that anyone even considering this type of position should have. I'm an easy guy to talk to and will never turn a deaf ear to anyone. I strongly believe that good ideas and solutions to problems can come from anyone, regardless of their age or role in the community.

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Murr honored as Friend of First Amendment, discusses upcoming legislative session

BY MELISSA PERNER
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

While updating local citizens on the upcoming legislative session, State Rep. Andrew Murr, R-Junction, was praised for his efforts in the last session.

Murr received the Friend of the First Amendment award from the Texas Press Association during his Ozona stop on Oct. 11 at the Ozona Chamber of Commerce. During the 2017 Texas Legislative Session, Murr helped stop bills that would have kept public notices out of newspapers.

"We thank Rep. Murr for all his hard work in helping to block these bills and his support," said Ozona Stockman Editor and Publisher Melissa Perner.

Murr said he was honored to receive the award and thanked Perner and Texas Press Association's Donniss Baggett for all their work.

Addressing a full room of family, friends and local officials, Murr took time to look ahead to topics that are expected to be discussed in the 2019 Texas Legislative Session.

During the end of the 2017 special session, Murr filed a bill to eliminate the Robin Hood school finance plan, where Chapter 41, or "property rich" districts like Ozona, have to send half of their maintenance and operations budget to the state.

When the program started in 1994, there were 35 Chapter 41 districts. In 2019, there will be 217 Chapter 41 districts paying \$2.7 billion to the state.

Also in 1994, 45 percent of school financing came from local property taxes and 45 percent came from the state. In 2016, those numbers changed with the majority of the funding now falling on local property taxpayers (58 percent) and a reduction in state funding (38 percent).

"That's why this is not working," Murr said. "The system doesn't seem to function well and we all struggle to pay for things the school district needs."

Murr's bill would eliminate the Robin Hood plan and paying for schools through property taxes. Instead, the \$23 billion collected from property taxes would be replaced with an increase in state sales and use tax.

Murr said he plans on filing this bill again, if re-elected, in 2019.

"It's a starting point. It's to engage policymakers in Austin and make them think," Murr said.

County Commissioner Frank Tambunga how the Texas Lottery works when it comes to funding education.

Murr said 97 percent of lottery proceeds go toward public education, which is around \$4-\$5 billion annually. The overall statewide cost for public schools is \$46-\$48 billion.

"We don't buy enough lot-



STATE REP. ANDREW MURR, R-JUNCTION, receives the Friend of First Amendment Award from Ozona Stockman Editor and Publisher Melissa Perner (right) during his Oct. 11 visit in Ozona.

tery tickets to offset the cost," Murr said.

Along with school finance, Murr said the biggest topic of the 2019 session will be paying for Hurricane Harvey. The 2017 natural disaster cost an estimated \$125 billion in damages to home, businesses and infrastructure.

The Legislature Budget Board estimates \$1.8 billion was spent as additional funds in 2017, Murr said in his presentation. Around \$1.4 billion in federal funding flowed through the state budget in response to this disaster.

However, this amount does not include dollars for public education, which was also affected with an estimated \$1.4 billion lost in property values for schools.

Murr said policy issues that could come up include discussion on floodplain management authority, which could affect rural counties like Crockett, Sutton and Kimble, a possible state "flood plan," flood containment, emergency response operations and damaged schools.

In his presentation, Murr said expect lawmakers to want to use "rainy day" funds for Harvey legislation.

"That's why it's important to maintain relationships to make sure these people don't forget about our part of the state," Murr said.

Other anticipated issues for the 2019 session are:

- School Safety
- TRS Care for Retired Teachers
- Water
- Eminent Domain Reform
- Improved oversight of quarries, pits and mining
- Rollback rate applications for local government
- Constitutional ban on unfunded mandates
- Transportation

• Combating opioid and substance abuse

Murr sits on the Opioids and Substance Abuse Committee, where this summer they held hearings about the issue.

Other issues that will make an impact:

- Changes in staff for the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and Speaker of the House Texas House Speaker Selection Process
- Legislative Redistricting
- Sports Gambling due to a new U.S. Supreme Court ruling that leaves legalization up to a state-by-state basis.

- Online sales tax
- Elected official residence requirements

Some of the many topics Murr's office will be working on include:

- School finance bill
- Gravel, sand and mining oversight and reclamation
- Bail bond reform
- Arrowhead theft on private property
- Construction zone speed limits
- Tele-psychiatry/tele-counseling for mental health and substance abuse

- Navigable streams and protections of water rights
- Prescribed burn authority and insurance coverage
- Sober living homes
- Drug sales near schools
- Improper teacher-student relationships

Murr said the best thing people can do is develop relationships with their elected officials and their staff members when it comes to getting their voices heard on issues.

Murr's District Director, Kellie Early, can be reached at (830) 257-0432 or visit <https://house.texas.gov/members/membership/?district=53> Murr also has a Facebook page at Representative Andrew Murr.

Holiday Hands Arts & Crafts Fair seeking vendors

The 13th Annual Holiday Hands Christmas Arts & Crafts Fair with be held on Thursday, Dec. 6 at the Crockett County Civic Center.

If you have holiday hands for creating art, crafts, or food items, you are invited to reserve a booth at the Christmas fair.

Indoor 10 x 10 space rental is \$30. Outdoor space is also available.

All rental and ticket proceeds go to support Ozona "Meals on Wheels" program.

For more information or to register, call Corba at (325) 392-3302 or (325) 206-2331.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Oct. 17 - Heather Hale, Mark Gandar, Marilyn Cox, Cheyenne Stroope, Victoria Castro and Erick Martinez

Oct. 18 - Irene Gonzales, Maria Hernandez, Melvyn Mejia and Benny Sanchez

Oct. 19 - Timothy Porras, Austin Martinez, Lisa Castillo and Schraeder Seahorn

Oct. 20 - Jaron Vasquez, Jomie B. Tebbetts Jr., Brenna Adcock, Henry Fay and Patsy Gutierrez

Oct. 21 - Keith Fowler, Thomas DeHoyos, Wesley Bean, Destina Ramos, Devin Lott, Alexis Flores, Keith Fowler and Lionel Martinez

Oct. 22 - Peggy Cook, Wesley Bean and Andie Richardson

Oct. 23 - Jean Reardon, Jack Gillit, Mary Jane Macias, Felix Venegas Jr., Pamela Maresch, Barbara Nicks and Maria Perez

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Wednesday, October 17

- Pride Lunch - Pre-K, First, Third and Fifth Grades at OES
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Prayer Group, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center
- CCCCSD School Board Meeting, 6:30 p.m. at the Administration Building

Thursday, October 18

- Quarterback Club, 6:30 a.m. at the Ozona Hampton Inn
- Quilting, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center
- OMS Pep Rally, 11:05 a.m. at the OMS Gym
- In conjunction with National School Lunch Week, Fifth Grade Parents will be invited to eat lunch with their students.
- Bingo, 2 p.m. at the Senior Center
- OMS vs Forsan, 5 p.m. at Lion Stadium
- JV vs Forsan, 7 p.m. at Lion Stadium

Friday, October 19

- Pre-K Field Trip to Pumpkin Patch
- OES Lion's Den Luncheon
- OHS Pep Rally, 11:05 a.m. at OES
- Lions vs Forsan, 7:30 p.m. at Forsan

Saturday, October 20

- OHS Band at the UIL Regional Marching Contest in San Angelo
- Ozona Heavyweight and Pee Wee Football Teams play at AT&T Stadium in Dallas
- Fourth annual Firefighter's Fire Ball Benefit Dance at the Crockett County Fair Park Convention Center featuring the Art Tigerina Band. Doors open at 8 p.m. Dance 9 p.m.-midnight.

Monday, October 22

- Red Ribbon Week: "Follow Your Dreams," wear PJs to school
- OHS Cross-Country Teams at the Region I Meet in Lubbock
- Bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- OHS Band Practice, 7-9 p.m. at Lion Stadium

Tuesday, October 23

- Red Ribbon Week: "Red-y to be Drug Free!," wear Red
- Crockett County Commissioners' Court meeting, 7:30 a.m. at the courthouse annex
- Exercise with Niki, 10:30 a.m. at the Senior Center
- OHS Band Practice, 7-8 p.m. at OHS Band Hall

Wednesday, October 24

- Red Ribbon Week: "My Future Matters," wear college or career attire
- Progress Reports go out at all Ozona School Campuses
- ASVAB Test for OHS Juniors and Seniors
- Lamb and Goat Validation at the Crockett County Extension Office
- Pride Lunch - Kindergarten, Second and Fourth Grades at OES
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Prayer Group, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center

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Third Place Jordana Perez



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THIRD GRADE: First Place Joe Hernandez
Second Place Rylee Hamm
Third Place Isaac Vega



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SECOND GRADE: First Place Suhana Gandhi,
Second Place Amelia Youngblood
and Third Place Kate Bunger



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FOURTH GRADE: First Place Alyiah Rodrigues
Second Place William Higginbottom
Third Place Grace Upham



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FIFTH GRADE: First Place Luna Hernandez
Second Place Serenity Briggs
Third Place Ella Childress



MELISSA PERNER | THE OZONA STOCKMAN
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF OZONA HOSTED DISCIPLE NOW on Friday, Saturday and Sunday.
 The event featured 35 students in grades sixth-12th with about 20 adults.

First Baptist hosts Disciple Now

The First Baptist Church of Ozona hosted Disciple Now Friday, Saturday and Sunday for students in sixth-12 grades.

The theme of the event was "Fearless: Conquering the Fear that holds you back." The church hosted a total

of 35 students and about 20 adults.

Guest speaker was Coby Duren and band was Wellhouse Music.

"We prayer walked through the entire town. Small groups taught our students to be fearless, defeating temptation

and being fearless to share the love of Christ in the community," said FBC Youth Minister Erik Mendoza.

Overflow Student Ministry meets regularly at 6 p.m. Wednesdays at First Baptist Church of Ozona. All youth are welcome to attend.

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OZONA SENIOR HAPPENINGS

Bridge every Monday, bingo on Thursday

BY BRENDA NEWTON
 SENIOR CENTER DIRECTOR

We played bridge Monday and lacked two people having two tables. I think that when we get it started, it will catch on. This is not a private club. If you would like to learn to play bridge, don't be shy, come on out and learn.

Niki is back. She had to miss again on Tuesday but said she would be back on Tuesday, Oct. 9. Come exercise with her at 10 a.m. Tuesdays.

We had a really good time on Friday playing with our jewelry and visiting. You should come try to fix jewelry at 10 a.m. Friday. If you have broken jewelry or something that you don't like anymore, bring it with you and we can all work together to get it fixed. Come join in!

Please use the new exit on the south side of the center. It is a little hard to see, but it is the crossing that is across from Avenue D. It has been paved so it is really smooth. The exit in front of the center is dangerous because of truck traffic. We do not want any of you to be in an accident leaving this facility. Please pay closer attention to traffic when leaving from town. Remember there is a curve there that blocks vision until it is too late.

I love my quilting ladies. They come at 9:30 a.m. Thursday and have themselves a ball sewing and planning their quilts. They would love to have you come join in the fun.

We will have afternoon bingo each Thursday. Bring your nickels and play as many cards as you can handle at a nickel a card per game. If you bingo for that game, you get all the nickels. We serve cokes and popcorn and have a good time. Then we have blackout bingo for a little prize for the lucky winner.

The center will open at 8:30 a.m. and close at 4:30 p.m.

Bridge 1:30 p.m. Monday
 Exercise with Niki 10:30 a.m. Tuesday
 Mexican Train at 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday
 Prayer Group at 3 p.m. on Wednesday
 Quilting at 9:30 a.m. on Thursday.
 Bingo from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Thursday.
 Jewelry repair 10 a.m. Friday.
 Come on out, the coffee is on.

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 Tuesday: 9 a.m.-8 p.m.
 Wednesday & Thursday: 9 a.m.-6 p.m.
 Friday: 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

School board meeting tonight

The CCCSD School Board will hold their regular meeting at 6:30 p.m. tonight (Oct. 17) at the Administration Building, 797 Avenue D. The meeting is open to the public.

Items on the agenda:
 · Call to order by the President
 · Establish a quorum

Members present/
 Members absent
 · Invocation/Pledges
 · Approval of Agenda for the Oct. 17, 2018 Regular Meeting of the CCCSD Board of Trustees
 · Open forum/public comments

· Recognition of Elementary and Secondary School Administrators, Texas Governor Greg Abbott has proclaimed October 2018 as "Principals Month" in Texas.
 · Reports - Transportation and Maintenance; Principals; Athletic Director; Technology; Band; Cafeteria/Food Service; Superintendent; Financial and Bills; Board Report, Monthly Investment Report and Student Activity Funds.

· Consent Agenda - Approve minutes from the Sept. 19 Regular Meeting.

· Executive/Closed Session - Texas Government Code Chapter 551.074 Personnel Matters: Discuss resignation of Board Member Amy Newton and discussion of selection of replacement board member to fill vacancy; and 551.072 Real Property.

· Possible action from executive/closed session.

· Future business - Next regular meeting 6:30 p.m. Nov. 14 at the Administration Building, 797 Avenue D. They are open to the public.

Texas Senate welcomes Peter Flores as newest member

AUSTIN — Newly elected State Senator Peter "Pete" Flores, R-Pleasanton, took the oath of office Friday, becoming the newest member of the Texas Senate.

Flores won a special election for Senate District 19 in September, and will now represent the largest district in the state, stretching from western Bexar County all the way to Reeves County in West Texas, covering 35,000 miles and includes 400 miles of the international border with Mexico, including Crockett County.

Flores won his seat by crisscrossing the district, putting more than 7,000 miles on his truck in five weeks of campaigning, said Lt. Governor Dan Patrick.

"To win a campaign, you have to have a good candidate and you have to have someone who is willing to work hard," said Patrick. "He was the best candidate, and he worked hard...knocking on doors, introducing himself, meeting voters, many who had never had anyone knock on their door to introduce themselves and ask for their vote."

Patrick pointed to the in-

crease in enthusiasm for the run-off election as proof of his hard work.



PETER FLORES

While run-offs normally see a decrease in turnout, turnout for the SD 19 run-off almost doubled the first round of voting, rising from 26,000 voters to 44,000 in September.

"That is an historic, all time high of a percentage of people turning out for a run-off election [in Texas], and that's attributable to you, Pete," Patrick said.

Flores is a former Texas game warden who rose to the rank of colonel and head of the Law Enforcement Division of the Parks and Wildlife Department, the first Hispanic Texan to hold that post.

Carter Smith, the current executive director of TPWD, offered effusive praise for Flores at Friday's ceremony.

"I first met Pete about a dozen years ago and his reputation as a lawman aptly preceded him," said Smith.

"Plenty affable, plenty likable, he'd give you the shirt off his back if he thought you needed it. He was also no-nonsense, a straight shooter, somebody who was absolutely not confused about what was right and what was wrong."

Flores was gracious in victory, thanking his family and constituents for their support.

In his inaugural speech, Flores identified property tax reform, economic development and support for law enforcement as his top priorities for the upcoming session.

"We're all here for a better Texas, all of us, and with that in mind we'll get there," he told his colleagues. "With me, you're going to have an open mind and you're going to have some one who will listen and who is with you towards the same goal: to be a better Texas."

A graduate of Texas A&M University, Flores grew up in Laredo and settled in Pleasanton in 2012 following his retirement after 27 years as a game warden. He and his wife Elizabeth have two daughters and two grandchildren.

Youth Center Calendar of Events

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WITH THE OLPH YOUTH GROUP FOR SPONSORING THE OCT. 12 5TH QUARTER!



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Warning: OES Students and younger must be accompanied by an adult!

All proceeds benefit the Crockett County Youth Center Scholarship Fund.

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payers of Crockett County, Chavarria said.

The district has \$1.85 million in principle and \$446,511 in interest left on the QSCB loan, which will take the district until 2026 to pay off.

The wording on the ballot will read:

"THE ISSUANCE OF \$1,895,000 OF BONDS FOR THE REFUNDING OF ALL OR ANY PORTION OF THE DISTRICT'S MAINTENANCE TAX NOTES, TAXABLE SERIES 2011 AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

A vote for the bond would allow the district to move the money. A vote against the bond would keep the money where it is in the M&O budget.

The reason for doing this is so the district can have a balanced budget. Right now, the district is \$80,000. Two years ago, the state cut around

\$2-\$3 million funding.

Chavarria told the audience that the school district has made cuts to its budget this year. He said \$570,000 was cut from this year's budget, including athletic budgets, but that the district is still \$80,000 short.

If the bond passes, the district will be "in the black."

Chavarria said the district has met with financial advisors and this was their recommendation due to the county's evaluations going up because of pipelines and wind farms coming in.

Also, because of the county evaluations increasing, that is why taxpayers won't see an increase with this bond.

Chavarria said the board approved to pay off the 2015 \$3 million early at the September board meeting due to the increase in evaluations.

"Evaluations are increasing so we may be able to pay this off sooner," he said. "Our goal, my goal, is to keep taxes low, but to keep the school district able to operate. That's

a fine line there."

Chavarria also said unlike the county the school district doesn't give tax abatements for wind farms, so the district receives tax revenue from those projects.

Suggestions of cutting extra-curricular activities, including football, and teacher housing, were mentioned to help the district save money.

Chavarria said he doesn't want to cut any activities, but that budgets for some of the programs, including athletics, were cut this year.

OHS Ag Teacher Dustin Martin said the teacher housing is what drew him to Ozona.

"When you are a teacher you have to look at housing," Martin said.

Chavarria said the school board, as a whole, looked at the district's budget line by line and agreed on this bond.

"I want to have the trust of our community. This is a win-win situation for our district and our taxpayers," he said.



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MARTINEZ: *from page 1*

WHAT DOES PRECINCT 4 NEED MOST FROM A COUNTY COMMISSIONER?

A responsible and experienced commissioner who will address the needs of the citizens of this county, which includes the citizens of my precinct. For instance, I especially want to improve the quality of

our roads and streets within my precinct.

HOW MUCH OF YOUR TIME DO YOU ANTICIPATE THE JOB OF COUNTY COMMISSIONER WOULD CONSUME?

I would like to think that it will consume most of my time since I am currently retired. I look forward to giving as much as needed to serve the employees of our county and to better serve the citizens

of my precinct and Crockett County.

ANY ADDITIONAL COMMENTS TO VOTERS:

Again, everyone who is registered to vote in this county is eligible to vote in this election. I respectfully request the opportunity to serve as your next Commissioner of Precinct 4.

Feel free to call me at (325) 650-9744 or (325) 392-3366.

MEDINA: *from page 1*

WHAT ARE THREE THINGS YOU WOULD LIKE TO ACCOMPLISH IF ELECTED?

If elected as county commissioner I would first like to implement a system to help keep my constituents informed and up to date on county news and topics being discussed during upcoming commissioners' court meetings. An idea I've come up with to help keep citizens in my precinct informed is a quarterly newsletter type system that would feature future agenda topics and things we would be voting on during upcoming meetings.

Secondly, I would like to find a way to incentivize our county employees to stay longer and work harder. With the proposed raises set to take effect next year I believe that in itself has helped raise moral among county employees. While that is definitely a step in the right direction I still believe more can be done for employees seeking long-term incentives. Some ideas that have been brought to my attention include a restructured retirement and health care program, making adjustments to county policy on employees having to use PTO to get paid holidays off, and implementing "performance based raises."

The third thing I'd like to accomplish would be to gather community input and come up with a way to make Pecan Street, and surrounding streets, as safe as possible after the new one-way exit ramp is constructed and in service

off of I-10. By the time you're reading this that project will already be underway and once it is in service it will be an important task to install whatever measures are necessary to maintain the safety of the children and pedestrians affected by the inevitable increase in traffic.

WHAT DOES PRECINCT 4 NEED MOST FROM A COUNTY COMMISSIONER?

It is no secret that Precinct 4 usually always has the lowest percentage of our citizens vote every election year. However, that doesn't mean that we don't have any opinions on county issues or items being voted on.

A good county commissioner should work tirelessly to always seek the opinions of their constituents. During my campaigning process I've spoken to many families who say they've never even met our county commissioner, much less been asked for their input or feelings toward county matters.

In short, Precinct 4 needs a dedicated county commissioner who is not only creative and eager to solve problems, but someone who will also value the opinions of his/her constituents and work to keep them informed and up to date. Both of which I believe I can do better than my opponent if elected.

HOW MUCH OF YOUR TIME DO YOU ANTICIPATE THE JOB OF COUNTY COMMISSIONER WOULD CONSUME?

I foresee the role of county commissioner being a 24/7 around the clock job. That

doesn't mean it would be impossible to do while still maintaining another full time job, which I do plan to keep.

I can promise that every minute I'm not on company time will be your time. It doesn't matter whether I'm out of town or on a weekend vacation. I will always return your call or message as soon as possible.

Being a county commissioner you never know when something will come up, but I can give my word that I will always remain approachable and reachable to anyone. I understand this may cut in to my "free time", but I can't think of any better way to spend that time than serving my precinct and Crockett County.

ANY ADDITIONAL COMMENTS TO VOTERS:

To all the citizens and voters of Precinct 4, I believe it is time we get our taxpayer money's worth from our county commissioner.

If you're seeking a county commissioner who will dedicate his time and attention to every single one of his constituents, than I'm the candidate for you.

If you're seeking a county commissioner who will treat everyone fairly and not cater to any group, than I'm the candidate for you.

If you're seeking a county commissioner who will always remain approachable by anyone and get the whole precinct involved in current county issues, than I'm the candidate for you.

If elected, I'm looking forward to positive change including a vocal and more informed Precinct 4.

VOTE: *from page 1*

Qualified School Construction Bond loan from the maintenance and operation budget to the interest and sinking budget in order to pay off the loan faster, and not subject the loan payment to recapture under the Robin Hood plan.

If approved by voters, it would add \$231,000 a year to the maintenance and operations budget, save taxpayers \$446,511 in interest and there is no tax increase to the taxpayers of Crockett County, said Superintendent Raul Charvarria.

A vote for the bond would allow the district to move the money. A vote against the bond would keep the money where it is in the M&O budget.

State races include all major offices including governor, lieutenant governor, attorney general, comptroller, land commissioner, agriculture commissioner, railroad commissioner, supreme court justices, court of criminal appeals justices and court of appeals justices.

Locally, there is the race for State Representative, District 53 between incumbent Andrew Murr and Stephanie Lochte Ertel.

Federal races include:
· U.S. Senator's race between incumbent Republican Ted Cruz and Democrat challenger Beto O'Rourke. Also included in that race is Libertarian Neal M. Dikeman.

· U.S. Representative, District 23 between Republican incumbent Will Hurd, Democrat Gina Ortiz Jones and Libertarian Ruben Corvalan.

Sample ballots may be picked up at the county clerk's office in the courthouse annex.

The Texas Secretary of State's Office reminds Texas voters who possess one of the seven approved forms of photo ID that they must present that ID at the polls. Voters

who do not possess and cannot reasonably obtain one of the seven forms of approved photo ID may execute a Reasonable Impediment Declaration form, available to them at each polling location, and provide a supporting form of identification. Additionally, certain voters may qualify for certain exemptions to presenting an acceptable form of photo identification or following the Reasonable Impediment Declaration procedure.

The seven forms of approved photo ID are:

- Texas Driver License issued by the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS);
- Texas Election Identification Certificate issued by DPS;
- Texas Personal Identification Card issued by DPS;
- Texas Handgun License issued by DPS;
- United States Military Identification Card containing the person's photograph;
- United States Citizenship Certificate containing the person's photograph; and
- United States Passport (book or card)

With the exception of the U.S. Citizenship Certificate, which does not expire, the acceptable photo ID must be current or, for voters aged 18-69, have expired no more than four years before being presented for voter qualification at the polling place. A voter 70 years of age or older may use a form of acceptable photo ID listed above that has expired for any length of time if the identification is otherwise valid.

If a voter does not possess one of the forms of acceptable photo identification listed above, and the voter cannot reasonably obtain such identification, the voter may fill out a Reasonable Impediment Declaration form, which will be available at each polling location, and present a copy or original of one of the following supporting forms of identification:

- a government document that shows the voter's name and an address, including the voter's voter registration certificate;
- a current utility bill;
- a bank statement;
- a government check;
- a paycheck;
- a certified domestic (from a U.S. state or territory) birth certificate; or
- a document confirming birth admissible in a court of law which establishes the voter's identity (which may include a foreign birth document)

The address on an acceptable form of photo identification or a supporting form of identification, if applicable, does not have to match the voter's address on the list of registered voters.


If a voter meets these requirements and is otherwise eligible to vote, the voter will be able to cast a regular ballot in the election.

Voters with a disability may apply with the county voter registrar for a permanent exemption to presenting an acceptable form of photo identification or following the Reasonable Impediment Declaration procedure at the polls.

Voters with a religious objection to being photographed or voters who do not present an acceptable form of photo identification or follow the Reasonable Impediment Declaration procedure at the polls because of certain natural disasters may apply for a temporary exemption to presenting an acceptable form of photo identification or following the Reasonable Impediment Declaration procedure.

For more details, voters may contact their county voter registrar.

Voters with questions about how to cast a ballot in upcoming elections can call 1-800-252-VOTE or visit vote.texas.org.



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Lions run out of time against Bulldogs

LION STADIUM - The Ozona Lions (1-5, 0-1) tried to make a comeback in the second half Friday, but time ran out on them. The Lions began district play with a 41-16 loss to #10 State-Ranked Stamford (6-1).

Down 27-0 at the start of the second half, Junior Abraham Rodriguez got the Lions on the board with a touchdown late in the third quarter. Rodriguez had 104 yards rushing as well.

Larzaro Rodriguez rushed for 25 yards and had three catches for 23 yards.

The Lions defense then got a safety.

Followed by Senior Marcus Perez scoring a touchdown in the fourth to bring it 33-16.

Unlike the first half, the Lions defense improved in the second half keeping the Bulldogs to only two touch-

downs. Ozona also scored more points in the second half than Stamford.

Joe Salas had three tackles, a sack and two quarterback pressures.

Abraham Rodriguez and Marcus Perez each had seven tackles. Jacob Childress had five tackles and Aiden Fuentes had four tackles, including one for a loss.

"Stamford showed why they are a top 10 ranked team. They are very explosive and threw the ball well. We came out and played hard in the second half and made some good adjustments. The boys played hard. We had a rough time matching them in scoring and didn't get stops when we had to in order to come away with the win," said Head Coach Kyle Freeman. "We are hoping to be ready and healthier when we

face off against Forsan this week."

Stamford's Kalib Flick suffered a game-ending injury, in the first half, as he was taken off the field on a stretcher by Crockett County EMS personnel and transported by ambulance to San Angelo with what appeared to be a broken arm or broken collarbone. The Stockman has learned he will have surgery later this month.

Ozona will face Forsan next week for their second district matchup. The Buffaloes (2-5) were open Friday night. In their last matchup the Buffaloes defeated Wink 25-24.

Kickoff at 7:30 p.m. at Forsan.



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RIGHT: JACOB CHILDRRESS (#7) AND ABRAHAM RODRIGUEZ tackle a Stamford Bulldog during Friday's game at Lion Stadium. Rodriguez had seven tackles for the Lions and Childress had five.

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THE OMS CROSS-COUNTRY TEAMS competed at the District 7-AA Meet on Oct. 10 in San Angelo.

OMS competes at District Cross-Country

The OMS Cross-Country Teams competed at the District 7-AA Meet on Oct. 10 in San Angelo.

The Seventh Grade Lions and Seventh Grade Lady Lions won the meet, the Eighth Grade Lions placed second and the Eighth Grade Lady Lions placed third.

"For our middle school kiddos it was an amazing season, and we all look forward to the future for our cross-country programs," said Coach John Esparza.

EIGHTH GRADE BOYS -

- 4. Pedro Elizondo, 12:12.64;
- 6. Arturo Guerra, 12:45.82;

- 9. Xavier Perez, 13:00.66;
- 11. Logan Fay, 13:13.57;
- 14. Hermin Villegas, 13:48.41;
- 15. Jadon Martinez, 13:55.72.

SEVENTH GRADE BOYS

- 6. Rigo Treto, 12:27.98;
- 7. Nicholas Ramon, 12:29.30;
- 10. Jacob Guajardo, 12:43.14;
- 11. Austin Magness, 13:01.41;
- 12. Ryan Williams, 13:04.58;
- 14. Matthew Daniels, 13:32.31;
- 15. Chance Criswell, 13:43.65;
- 16. Bernardo Blanco, 13:46.88;
- 17. Chris Ramirez, 13:58.67.

EIGHTH GRADE GIRLS -

- 11. Charli Oglesby, 15:00.82;

- 16. Natalie Rodriguez, 15:58.28;
- 19. Katie Rodriguez, 16:43.43;
- 21. Lillian Dominguez, 16:53.47;
- 25. Destiny Venegas, 17:37.46.

SEVENTH GRADE GIRLS

- 3. Mia Davidson, 14:01.97;
- 7. Audrey Upham, 14:24.55;
- 9. Alondra Garza, 14:38.24;
- 11. Valerie Garza, 14:59.15;
- 16. Raelynn Barrera, 15:19.29;
- 22. Jaylynn Tijerina, 16:04.99;
- 35. Faith Quiroz, 17:33.11;
- 41. Addyson Ortiz, 18:40.49;
- 43. Jadelyn Hunt, 19:11.57;
- 44. Alexis Scroggins, 19:13.80;
- 46. Mia Gutierrez, 20:06.48

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VARSETY LIONS
Friday, Oct. 19
vs. Forsan - 7:30 p.m. - at Forsan

JV LIONS
Thursday, Oct. 18
vs. Forsan - 7 p.m. - at Lion Stadium

OMS LIONS
Thursday, Oct. 18
vs. Forsan - 5 p.m. - at Lion Stadium

CROSS-COUNTRY
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Red Ribbon Week Oct. 22-25



Ozona Schools will celebrate Red Ribbon Week Oct. 22-25.
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Thursday - "My Future is Bright, No Drugs in Sight" Wear Sunglass.
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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF BOND ELECTION

TO THE RESIDENT, QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF CROCKETT COUNTY CONSOLIDATED COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER ONE:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an election will be held in the CROCKETT COUNTY CONSOLIDATED COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER ONE, on the 6th day of November, 2018, in accordance with the following order:

ORDER CALLING A BOND ELECTION TO BE HELD BY CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS ON BEHALF OF THE CROCKETT COUNTY CONSOLIDATED COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER 1 ON NOVEMBER 6, 2018, MAKING PROVISION FOR THE CONDUCT OF THE ELECTION, AND RESOLVING OTHER MATTERS INCIDENT AND RELATED TO SUCH ELECTION

WHEREAS the Commissioners Court of Crockett County, Texas (the Court) finds that it is necessary and advisable to issue bonds on behalf of the Crockett County Consolidated Common School District Number 1 (the "District") to refund certain outstanding obligations payable from a maintenance tax levied by the Court which bonds the Board of Trustees of the District (the "Board") and the Court have determined are necessary and advisable; and

WHEREAS the Court finds that it is necessary and advisable to call and hold the election hereinafter ordered pursuant to the Texas Constitution, Subchapter A, Chapter 45, Texas Education Code, as amended, Chapter 1207, Texas Government Code, as amended, and the Texas Election Code, as amended:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE CROCKETT COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT THAT:

Section 1. The statements contained in the preamble of this Order are true and correct and adopted as findings of fact.

Section 2. An election shall be held in the County on Tuesday, November 6, 2018 (the "Election Day"), a uniform election date, which date is 78 or more days from the date of this Order, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted in accordance with law:

CROCKETT COUNTY – PROPOSITION A

SHALL THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS (THE "COMMISSIONERS COURT") BE AUTHORIZED TO ISSUE AND SELL AT ANY PRICE OR PRICES, BONDS ON BEHALF OF THE CROCKETT COUNTY CONSOLIDATED COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER 1 ("THE DISTRICT") IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,895,000 FOR THE PURPOSE OF REFUNDING ALL OR ANY PORTION OF THE DISTRICT'S MAINTENANCE TAX NOTES, TAXABLE SERIES 2011, PAYABLE FROM A MAINTENANCE TAX LEVIED BY THE COUNTY; WHICH BONDS MAY BE ISSUED IN VARIOUS ISSUES OR SERIES, SHALL MATURE SERIALLY OR OTHERWISE NOT MORE THAN 40 YEARS FROM THEIR DATE, AND SHALL BEAR INTEREST AT SUCH RATE OR RATES, NOT TO EXCEED THE MAXIMUM RATE NOW OR HEREAFTER AUTHORIZED BY LAW, AS SHALL BE DETERMINED BY THE COMMISSIONER'S COURT ON BEHALF OF THE DISTRICT; AND SHALL THE COMMISSIONER'S COURT ON BEHALF OF THE DISTRICT BE AUTHORIZED TO LEVY AND PLEDGE, AND CAUSE TO BE ASSESSED AND COLLECTED, ANNUAL AD VALOREM TAXES ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY IN THE DISTRICT SUFFICIENT, WITHOUT LIMIT AS TO RATE OR AMOUNT, TO PAY THE PRINCIPAL OF AND INTEREST ON SAID BONDS; SAID BONDS TO BE ISSUED AND SAID TAXES TO BE LEVIED, PLEDGED, ASSESSED, AND COLLECTED UNDER THE CONSTITUTION AND LAWS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS INCLUDING THE TEXAS EDUCATION CODE AND CHAPTER 1207 OF THE TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE?

Section 3. The ballots shall conform to the requirements of the Election Code and shall have written or printed thereon the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

CROCKETT COUNTY - PROPOSITION A

FOR) "THE ISSUANCE OF \$1,895,000 OF BONDS FOR THE REFUNDING OF ALL OR ANY PORTION OF THE DISTRICT'S MAINTENANCE TAX NOTES, TAXABLE SERIES 2011 AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

AGAINST)

Section 4.

(a) Pursuant to Section 3.009, Texas Election Code: (i) the proposition language that will appear on the ballot is set forth in Section 3 of this Election Order, (ii) the purposes for which the bonds are to be authorized are set forth in Section 2 of this Election Order, (iii) the principal amount of bonds to be authorized is set forth in Section 2 of this Election Order, (iv) if the issuance of bonds is authorized by voters, taxes sufficient, without limit as to rate or amount, to pay the annual principal of and interest on the bonds and the costs of any credit agreements may be imposed, as set forth in Section 2 of this Election Order, (v) bonds authorized pursuant to this Election Order may be issued to mature over the number of years (not to exceed 40 years from their date of issuance) and bearing interest at the rate or rates as authorized by law and determined by the County Commissioners Court, such interest rate or rates being not more than 6.00%, (vi) as of the beginning of the District's current fiscal year, the aggregate amount of outstanding principal of the District's debt obligations was \$8,904,000.00 and the aggregate amount of outstanding interest on the District's debt obligations was \$1,019,493.13, and (vii) the District's ad valorem debt service tax rate as of the date of adoption of this Election Order is \$1.1140 per \$100 of taxable property.

(b) The statements contained in subsection (a) are provided in accordance with and solely for the purpose of fulfilling the requirements of Section 3.009, Texas Election Code. Such statements (i) are based on information available to the District and the County on the date of adoption of this Election Order, including projections obtained from the District's financial advisor, (ii) necessarily consist of estimates and projections that are subject to change based on facts, circumstances and conditions at the time that bonds approved pursuant to this Election Order are issued and (iii) are not intended to limit the authority of the County to issue bonds in accordance with other terms contained in this Election Order. Accordingly, actual tax rates, interest rates, maturity dates, aggregate outstanding indebtedness and interest on such debt, will only be established and known at the time that bonds are issued. To the extent of any conflict between Section 4 and other terms of this Election Order, such other terms control.

Section 5. Except as otherwise provided herein, the precinct judges and alternate judges for the voting precincts shall be the same precinct judges and alternative judges as determined and utilized by the County on the Election Day. Except as provided herein, the voting precincts for the Election, the boundaries thereof and the polling places therefore are hereby established on Exhibit "A". On Election Day the polling places shall be open from 7:00 o'clock a.m. to 7:00 o'clock p.m.

The Election shall be conducted by election officers, including the presiding judges and alternate presiding judges appointed by the Court at a subsequent meeting, in accordance with the Education Code, the Election Code and the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas and

the United States of America. The presiding judges shall appoint not less than two (2) or more than five (5) qualified election clerks for the conduct of the Election; provided that if the presiding judge actually serves as expected, the alternate presiding judge shall be one of such clerks. The appointment of such clerks shall include a person fluent in the Spanish language to render oral aid in Spanish to any voter desiring such aid at the polls on Election Day.

The main early voting location is designated in Exhibit "B". The individual named as the Early Voting Clerk as designated in Exhibit "B" hereto is hereby appointed as the Early Voting Clerk to conduct such early voting in the election. The Early Voting Clerk shall appoint the Deputy Early Voting Clerks. This office or place shall remain open to permit early voting each day as stated in Exhibit "B". Early voting shall commence as provided on Exhibit "B" and continue through the date set forth on Exhibit "B" all as provided by the provisions of the Texas Election Code.

Section 6. Voting machines will be used in holding and conducting the election on election day; provided, however, that if the use of voting machines is not practicable, then in that event, electronic voting devices may be used in conducting the election on election day; provided, however, in the event the use of such electronic voting devices is not practicable; the election may be conducted on election day by the use of paper ballots (except as otherwise provided in this section). Voting machines or paper ballots may be used for early voting by personal appearance (except as otherwise provided in this section). Pursuant to Section 61.012, as amended, Texas Election Code, the Court shall provide at least one accessible voting system in each polling place used in the election. Such voting system shall comply with Texas and federal laws establishing the requirement for voting systems that permit voters with physical disabilities to cast a secret ballot. Paper ballots may be used for early voting by mail.

Section 7. All resident, qualified voters of the District shall be permitted to vote at the election, and, on the day of the election, such voters shall vote at the designated polling places. The election shall be held and conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Texas Election Code, as amended, except as modified by the provisions of the Texas Education Code, as amended, and as may be required by law. To the extent required by law, all election materials and proceedings shall be printed in both English and Spanish.

Section 8. A substantial copy of this Order shall serve as proper notice of the election. This notice, including a Spanish translation thereof, shall be published at least one time in a newspaper published within the District's territory or, if none is published in the District's territory, in a newspaper of general circulation in the District, and the publication of this notice of election shall occur in such newspaper not more than 30 days and not less than 10 days before the Election Day. Additionally, this notice shall be posted on the bulletin board used for posting notices of County and District meetings not later than 21 days prior to Election Day.

Section 9. This Order, including a Spanish translation thereof, shall be posted: (1) on Election Day and during early voting by personal appearance, in a prominent location at each polling place; (2) not later than the 21st day before Election Day, in three public places in the boundaries of the District; and (3) prominently on the District's and County's Internet sites along with the Notice of Election during the 21 days before Election Day.

Section 10. It is officially determined and declared that the meeting at which this Order is adopted was open to the public and public notice of the time, place, and subject matter of the public business to be considered at such meeting, including this Order, was given, all as required by Chapter 551, as amended, Texas Government Code.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this ___6th___ day of August, 2018.

/s/ Fred Deaton
County Judge
Crockett County, Texas
ATTEST:

/s/ Ninfa Preddy
County Clerk
Crockett County, Texas

EXHIBIT A

November 6, 2018
POLLING LOCATIONS

Election Day Polling Locations open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Precinct	Location
#1	Crockett County Courthouse Annex 909 Ave. D. Ozona, Texas 76943
#2	Senior Center #1 Hwy. 163 N. Ozona, Texas 76943
#3	Civic & Youth Center 107 Medical Dr. Ozona, Texas 76943
#4	Chamber of Commerce Visitor Center 505 15th Street Ozona, Texas 76943

EXHIBIT B

EARLY VOTING POLLING PLACES, DATES, AND TIMES

Early voting begins Monday, October 22, 2018 and ending Friday, November 2, 2018.

Early Voting Clerk:
Ninfa Preddy, Elections Administrator
Crockett County

Early Voting Site:

**Crockett County Courthouse Annex
909 Ave. D
Ozona, Texas 76943**

Date and Time of Early Voting Main Early Voting Site:

Beginning on Monday, October 22, 2018 and ending on Friday, November 2, 2018
Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on October 26, 2018
Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:
Early Voting Clerk: Ninfa Preddy
P.O. Drawer C
Ozona, Texas 76943

Or sent by electronic mail to: ninfa.preddy@co.crockett.tx.us

PUBLIC NOTICE

AVISO DE ELECCIÓN DE BONOS

PARA LOS ELECTORES RESIDENTES CALIFICADOS DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR COMÚN CONSOLIDADO NÚMERO UNO DEL CONDADO DE CROCKETT:

POR MEDIO DEL PRESENTE SE PROPORCIONA EL AVISO de que se realizará una elección en el DISTRITO ESCOLAR COMÚN CONSOLIDADO NÚMERO UNO DEL CONDADO DE CROCKETT, el día 6 de noviembre de 2018, de conformidad con la siguiente orden:

ORDEN QUE CONVOCA A UNA ELECCIÓN DE BONOS QUE SE REALIZARÁ EN EL CONDADO DE CROCKETT, TEXAS, EN NOMBRE DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR COMÚN CONSOLIDADO NÚMERO 1 DEL CONDADO DE CROCKETT, PARA EL 6 DE NOVIEMBRE DE 2018; CON DISPOSICIONES PARA LA REALIZACIÓN DE LA ELECCIÓN; Y RESOLUCIÓN DE OTROS ASUNTOS INCIDENTALES Y RELACIONADOS CON DICHA ELECCIÓN

POR CUANTO, el Tribunal de Comisionados del Condado de Crockett, Texas (el "Tribunal") considera que es necesario y conveniente emitir bonos en nombre del Distrito Escolar Común Consolidado Número 1 del Condado de Crockett (el "Distrito") para pagar ciertas obligaciones pendientes, pagaderas de un impuesto de mantenimiento aplicado por el Tribunal, para las cuales el Consejo de Administración del Distrito (el "Consejo") y el Tribunal han determinado que los bonos son necesarios y convenientes; y

POR CUANTO, el Tribunal considera que es necesario y aconsejable convocar y celebrar la elección que aquí se ordena conforme a la Constitución de Texas, Subcapítulo A, Capítulo 45, el Código de Educación de Texas, y sus enmiendas, Capítulo 1207, el Código del Gobierno de Texas, y sus enmiendas, y el Código Electoral de Texas, y sus enmiendas; y

AHORORA POR TANTO SE ORDENA POR EL TRIBUNAL DE COMISIONADOS DEL CONDADO DE CROCKETT QUE:

Sección 1. Las declaraciones contenidas en el preámbulo de esta Orden son verdaderas y precisas y se adoptan como determinaciones de hecho.

Sección 2. Se llevará a cabo una Elección en el Condado el martes, 6 de noviembre de 2018 (el "Día de Elecciones"), una fecha de elección uniforme, cuya fecha es 78 días o más a partir de la fecha de esta Orden, y en cuya elección se presentará la siguiente propuesta en conformidad con la ley:

CONDADO DE CROCKETT – PROPUESTA A

¿SE AUTORIZA AL TRIBUNAL DE COMISIONADOS DEL CONDADO DE CROCKETT, TEXAS (EL "TRIBUNAL DE COMISIONADOS") PARA EMITIR Y VENDER A CUALQUIER PRECIO O PRECIOS, LOS BONOS EN NOMBRE DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR COMÚN CONSOLIDADO NÚMERO 1 DEL CONDADO DE CROCKETT (EL "DISTRITO"), EN LA CANTIDAD DE \$ 1,895,000 DE BONOS PARA EL REEMBOLSO DE TODA O CUALQUIER PARTE DE LAS NOTAS DE IMPUESTOS DE MANTENIMIENTO DEL DISTRITO, SERIE DE IMPUESTOS 2011, PAGADEROS DEL IMPUESTO DE MANTENIMIENTO A APLICADO POR EL CONDADO; DONDE DICHS BONOS PUEDEN SER EMITIDOS EN VARIAS EMISIONES O SERIES, VENCERÁN EN SERIE O DE OTRA MANERA NO MÁS DE 40 AÑOS DESDE SU FECHA, Y DEVENGARÁN INTERESES A UNA TASA O TASAS, QUE NO EXCEDERÁ LA TASA MÁXIMA DISPUESTA POR LA LEY EN LA ACTUALIDAD O EN LO SUCESIVO, SEGÚN LO DETERMINE EL TRIBUNAL DE COMISIONADOS EN NOMBRE DEL DISTRITO; Y SE AUTORIZA AL TRIBUNAL DE COMISIONADOS EN NOMBRE DEL DISTRITO PARA GRAVAR Y ASIGNAR COMO GARANTÍA, Y HACER QUE SE CALCULEN Y RECAUDEN IMPUESTOS AD VALOREM ANUALES SOBRE TODA PROPIEDAD SUJETA A IMPUESTOS EN EL DISTRITO QUE SEA SUFICIENTE, SIN LÍMITE EN CUANTO A LA TASA O LA CANTIDAD, PARA PAGAR AL CAPITAL Y LOS INTERESES DE DICHS BONOS; DICHS BONOS SE EMITIRÁN Y DICHS IMPUESTOS SE GRAVARÁN, ASIGNARÁN COMO GARANTÍA, SE EVALUARÁN Y SE COBRARÁN SEGÚN LA CONSTITUCIÓN Y LAS LEYES DEL ESTADO DE TEXAS, INCLUYENDO EL CÓDIGO DE EDUCACIÓN DE TEXAS Y EL CAPÍTULO 1207 DEL CÓDIGO DEL GOBIERNO DE TEXAS?

Sección 3. Las boletas electorales deberán cumplir los requisitos del Código Electoral y deberán tener, escrito o impreso, lo siguiente:

BOLETA OFICIAL

CONDADO DE CROCKETT – PROPUESTA A

A FAVOR) "LA EMISIÓN DE \$ 1,895,000 DE BONOS PARA EL REEMBOLSO DE TODA O CUALQUIER PARTE DE LAS NOTAS DE IMPUESTOS DE MANTENIMIENTO DEL DISTRITO, SERIE DE IMPUESTOS 2011, Y LA IMPOSICIÓN DEL IMPUESTO EN EL PAGO DEL MISMO"

EN CONTRA)

Sección 4.

(a) De conformidad con la Sección 3.009 del Código Electoral de Texas: (i) el lenguaje de la propuesta que aparecerá en la boleta se establece en la Sección 3 de esta Orden de Elección, (ii) los fines para los que los bonos están autorizados se establecen en la Sección 2 de esta Orden de Elección, (iii) el monto de capital de los bonos que se van a autorizar se establece en la Sección 2 de esta Orden de Elección, (iv) si la emisión de bonos es autorizada por los votantes, se pueden imponer impuestos suficientes, sin ningún límite en cuanto a la tasa o el importe, para pagar el capital anual y los intereses sobre los bonos y los costos de los contratos de crédito, tal como se establece en la Sección 2 de esta Orden de Elección, (v) los bonos autorizados en virtud de la presente Orden de Elección se pueden emitir con vencimiento en un número de años determinado (que no se excederá de 40 años desde su fecha de emisión) y devengarán intereses a la tasa o tasas según lo autorice la ley y como lo determine el Tribunal de Comisionados del Condado, y esa tasa o tasas de interés no serán superiores a 6.00%, (vi) para el inicio del ejercicio fiscal actual del Distrito, el monto total del capital pendiente de las obligaciones de deuda del Distrito fue de \$8,904,000.00 y el monto total de intereses pendientes sobre las obligaciones de deuda del Distrito fue de \$1,019,493.13, y (vii) la tasa de impuesto ad valorem del Distrito para el servicio de la deuda para la fecha de adopción de esta Orden de Elección es de \$1.1140 por cada \$100 de las propiedades sujetas a impuestos.

(b) Las declaraciones contenidas en la subsección (a) se suministran en virtud de y únicamente con el fin de cumplir con los requisitos de la Sección 3.009 del Código Electoral de Texas. Dichas declaraciones (i) se basan en la información disponible para el Distrito y el Condado en la fecha de adopción de la presente Orden de Elección, incluyendo las proyecciones obtenidas con el asesor financiero del Distrito, (ii) consisten necesariamente en estimaciones y proyecciones que están sujetas a cambios con base en los hechos, las circunstancias y las condiciones en el momento en que se emiten los bonos aprobados en virtud de lo dispuesto en esta Orden de Elección y (iii) no están destinadas a limitar la autoridad del Condado para emitir bonos de conformidad con otros términos contenidos en esta Orden de Elección. Por lo tanto, las tasas reales de impuestos, tasas de interés, fechas de vencimiento, el total de la deuda pendiente y los intereses sobre dicha deuda, solo se establecerán y conocerán en el momento en que se emiten los bonos. En la medida en que exista cualquier conflicto entre la Sección 4 y los demás términos de esta Orden de Elección, prevalecerán esos otros términos.

Sección 5. Salvo que se especifique lo contrario en el presente, los jueces y los jueces suplentes para los recintos de votación serán los mismos jueces y jueces suplentes de los recintos como sean determinados y utilizados por el Condado en el Día de Elecciones. Salvo lo dispuesto en el presente, los recintos de votación para la Elección, los límites de los mismos y los lugares de votación se establecen en el Anexo "A". En el Día de Elecciones, los lugares de votación estarán abiertos de 7:00 a. m. a 7:00 p. m.

Las Elecciones se llevarán a cabo por los funcionarios electorales, incluyendo los jueces presidentes y jueces suplentes designados por el Tribunal en una reunión subsiguiente, de acuerdo con el Código de Educación, el Código Electoral, la Constitución y las leyes del Estado de Texas y de los Estados Unidos de América. Los jueces presidentes designarán a no menos de dos (2) ni más de cinco (5) secretarios electo-

rales calificados para la realización de las Elecciones: siempre que si el juez presidente se desempeña en su cargo como se espera, el juez suplente será uno de esos secretarios. La designación de dichos secretarios deberá incluir una persona con fluidez en el idioma español para prestar ayuda oral en español a cualquier elector que desee dicha asistencia en las urnas electorales en el Día de Elecciones.

El sitio principal para la votación anticipada se designa en el Anexo "B". El individuo nombrado como el Secretario de Votación Anticipada según su designación en el Anexo "B" también queda designado como el Secretario de Votación Anticipada para realizar la votación anticipada en las Elecciones. El Secretario de Votación Anticipada designará a los secretarios adjuntos de votación anticipada. Esta oficina o lugar permanecerán abiertos para permitir la votación anticipada cada día como se establece en el Anexo "B". La votación anticipada comenzará según lo previsto en el Anexo "B" y continuará hasta la fecha establecida en el Anexo "B"; todo conforme a las disposiciones del Código Electoral de Texas.

Sección 6. Las máquinas de votación electrónica se utilizarán para la realización de la Elección en el Día de Elecciones; no obstante, en el caso de que el uso de tales máquinas de votación no sea factible, luego en ese caso, los dispositivos de votación electrónica se pueden utilizar para realizar la Elección en el Día de Elecciones; siempre que en el caso de que el uso de dichos dispositivos de votación electrónica no sea factible, la Elección podrá realizarse en el Día de Elecciones mediante el uso de boletas de papel (salvo que se estipule lo contrario en esta sección). Las máquinas de votación o las boletas de papel se pueden utilizar para la votación anticipada mediante comparecencia personalmente (salvo que se estipule lo contrario en esta sección). En virtud de la Sección 61.012, y sus enmiendas, del Código Electoral de Texas, el Tribunal debe proporcionar al menos un sistema de votación accesible en cada lugar de votación que se utilice en la Elección. Dicho sistema de votación deberá cumplir con las leyes federales y de Texas que establezcan el requisito de que los sistemas de votación permitan a los electores con discapacidades físicas emitir su votación secreta. Las boletas de papel se pueden utilizar para la votación anticipada por correo postal.

Sección 7. Todos los electores residentes y calificados del Distrito podrán votar en la Elección, y en el Día de Elecciones, esos electores emitirán su voto en los lugares de votación designados. La Elección se llevará a cabo de conformidad con las disposiciones del Código Electoral de Texas, y sus enmiendas, excepto según sea modificado por las disposiciones del Código de Educación de Texas, y sus enmiendas, y como pueda ser requerido por la ley. En la medida requerida por la ley, todos los materiales y procedimientos electorales se imprimirán en inglés y español.

Sección 8. Una copia sustancial de esta Orden se suministrará en un aviso adecuado de la Elección. Este aviso, incluyendo su traducción al español, se publicará al menos una vez en un periódico que se publica dentro del territorio del Distrito o, si no se publica ningún periódico en el territorio del Distrito, en un periódico de circulación general en el Distrito, y la publicación del aviso de la Elección deberá realizarse en ese periódico a no más de 30 días y no menos de 10 días antes del Día de Elecciones. Adicionalmente, el aviso será publicado en la cartelera de boletines utilizada para publicar avisos de las reuniones del Condado y del Distrito a más tardar 21 días antes de la Elección.

Sección 9. Esta Orden, incluyendo su traducción al español, se publicará: (1) en el Día de Elecciones y durante la votación anticipada mediante comparecencia personal, en una ubicación destacada en cada lugar de votación; (2) a más tardar el día 21 antes del Día de Elecciones, en tres lugares públicos en los límites del Distrito; y (3) de manera destacada en los sitios de Internet del Distrito y del Condado, junto con el Aviso de la Elección durante los 21 días antes del Día de Elecciones.

Sección 10. Se determina y declara oficialmente que la reunión en la cual se adopta esta Orden estuvo abierta al público, y que se dio el aviso público de la hora, el lugar y el asunto a considerar en dicha reunión, incluida esta Orden, como lo requiere el Capítulo 551, y sus enmiendas, del Código del Gobierno de Texas.

APROBADO, el día ____ 6 ____ de agosto de 2018.

/s/ Fred Deaton
Juez del Condado
Condado de Crockett, Texas
DAN FE:

/s/ Ninfa Preddy
Secretaria del Condado
Condado de Crockett, Texas

(Sello del Condado)

ANEXO A

6 de noviembre de 2018
LUGARES DE VOTACIÓN

Los lugares de votación en el Día de Elecciones estarán abiertos de 7:00 a. m. a 7:00 p. m.

Ubicación del recinto

- #1 Crockett County Courthouse Annex
909 Ave. D.
Ozona, Texas 76943
- #2 Senior Center
#1 Hwy. 163 N.
Ozona, Texas 76943
- #3 Civic & Youth Center
107 Medical Dr.
Ozona, Texas 76943
- #4 Chamber of Commerce Visitor Center
505 15th Street
Ozona, Texas 76943

ANEXO B

LUGARES DE VOTACIÓN, FECHAS Y HORARIOS PARA LAS VOTACIONES ANTICIPADAS
La votación anticipada comienza el lunes, 22 de octubre de 2018 y finaliza el viernes, 2 de noviembre de 2018.
Secretaría de votación anticipada:
Ninfa Preddy, Administradora de Elecciones
Condado de Crockett

Sitio de votación anticipada:

**Crockett County Courthouse Annex
909 Ave. D
Ozona, Texas 76943**

Fechas y horarios para las votaciones anticipadas Sitio principal de votación anticipada:

Comienza el lunes, 22 de octubre de 2018 y finaliza el viernes, 2 de noviembre de 2018
Lunes a viernes, de 8:00 a. m. a 5:00 p. m.

Las solicitudes de boletas por correo postal deben recibirse a más tardar al cierre de operaciones del 26 de octubre de 2018
Las solicitudes de boletas por correo postal deben enviarse por correo a:
Secretaria de votación anticipada: Ninfa Preddy
P.O. Drawer C
Ozona, Texas 76943

O por correo electrónico a: ninfa.preddy@co.crockett.tx.us

