

**RESOLUTION AND ORDER OF ELECTION  
BOARD OF EDUCATION  
FORT WORTH INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**

On this the 24<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2023, the Board of Education for the Fort Worth Independent School District convened in regular session with a quorum of its members present, and among other proceedings had by said Board were the following;

**WHEREAS** on December 9, 2008, the Board of Education adopted a single member district plan which provided for nine single member districts; and

**WHEREAS**, a school Board member, from Single Member Districts Two, Three, Five and Six, is to be elected in 2023 to serve a term of four (4) years or until their successor has been duly elected and qualified pursuant to the provisions of the Texas Education Code and Texas Election Code.

**BE IT, RESOLVED AND HEREBY ORDERED**, that the Board of Education of the Fort Worth Independent School District, in accordance with the local and special laws of the Legislature of the State of Texas, the applicable general state laws and local policies and any federal court orders pertaining to the election of school trustees, does hereby adopt the following **ORDER OF ELECTION**.

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**BE IT ORDERED** by the Board of Education of the Fort Worth Independent School District that on May 6, 2023, there shall be a general election for the purpose of electing four (4) members, to the Board of Education. One member shall be elected from Single Member District Two to serve a four (4) year term, or until a successor has been duly elected and qualified. One member shall be elected from Single Member District Three to serve a four (4) year term, or until a successor has been duly elected and qualified. One member shall be elected from Single Member District Five to serve a four (4) year term, or until a successor has been duly elected and qualified. One member shall be elected from Single Member District Six to serve a four (4) year term, or until a successor has been duly elected and qualified; and

**BE IT FURTHER ORDERED** that the member to be elected from Single Member District Two shall be elected by the qualified voters of Single Member District Two. The member to be elected from Single Member District Three shall be elected by the qualified voters of Single Member District Three. The member to be elected from Single Member District Five shall be elected by the qualified voters of Single Member District Five. The

member to be elected from Single Member District Six shall be elected by the qualified voters of Single Member District Six; and

**BE IT FURTHER ORDERED** that all candidates seeking election as a board member must reside within the single member district boundaries for the single member district position they seek. Pursuant to state law, each candidate must reside in the specific single member district for six (6) months preceding the final day to file for such office. The final day to file is February 17, 2023; and

**BE IT FURTHER ORDERED** that every candidate must designate that he or she is a candidate for a specific single member district on his or her application to become a candidate. Such application shall be filed with the Election's Officer, or her designee, not later than 5:00 p.m. on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2023; and

**BE IT FURTHER ORDERED** that on the first Saturday in May 2023, being the 6<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2023, the election shall be held from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on said day. If no candidate receives a majority of the votes cast for the office for which he or she is a candidate, a runoff election shall be held on (day to be determined by Tarrant County Elections). Only the names of the two candidates who received the highest number of votes for the office for which a runoff is required shall be placed on the ballot for such runoff election; and

**BE IT FURTHER ORDERED** that notice of said election shall be given by publishing the Election Order in a newspaper in the City of Fort Worth, and by posting notice of this **ORDER OF ELECTION** prior to March 1, 2023 on the bulletin board used for posting notices of meetings of the Fort Worth Independent School District. Notice has been posted, prior to May 6, 2022, so as to give notice of the opportunity to submit applications to be placed on the ballot as a candidate. Notice shall be published between the dates of April 6, 2023 and April 26, 2023 in accordance with Section 4.003, Texas Election Code; and

**BE IT FURTHER ORDERED** that Heider Garcia is hereby appointed Early Voting Clerk. His mailing address is P.O. Box 961011, Fort Worth, Texas, 76161-0011 and his street address is 2700 Premier Street, Fort Worth, Texas, 76111-0011. The web address is <https://www.tarrantcounty.com/en/elections.html?linklocation=supermenu&linkname=Elections>,

**BE IT, FURTHER RESOLVED, AND ORDERED** that the Board of Education of the Fort Worth Independent School District shall identify at a future regular meeting, the early voting hours and locations and the election day polling locations for this election.

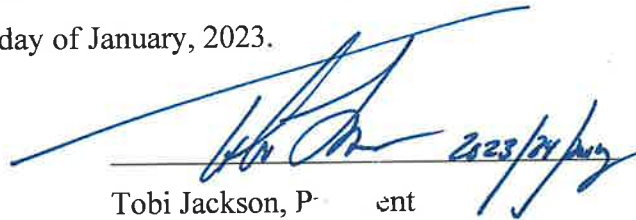
Each polling site will be located within the school district and will serve as the precinct and polling place for those voters in the Tarrant County election precinct(s) which are assigned to that polling place listed for the **May 6, 2023**, Fort Worth Independent School District Board member election and any run off, if necessary.

The above Resolution and Order being read, motion was made by Michael Ryan, and seconded by Quinton Phillips that this Resolution and Order above and foregoing be passed, approved and adopted.

FOR: 9


AGAINST: 0

The above Resolution and Order was voted on and adopted at a regular meeting that the Board of Education held on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2023.

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Tobi Jackson, President  
Board of Education  
Fort Worth Independent School District

ATTEST:

  
Carin "CJ" Evans, Secretary  
Board of Education  
Fort Worth Independent School District