

BOARD OF TRUSTEES ELECTIONS

It is important that the candidate be sincerely and honestly interested in serving the whole District for the best interests of all children. The Board of Trustees considers it important its members be nonpartisan in dealing with school matters. The Board shall not subordinate the education of our children and youth to any partisan principle, group interest, or personal ambition.

Any person is eligible to be a Board member, without further qualifications, if he/she is 18 years of age or older, a citizen of the state, a resident of the school District, a registered voter, and not legally disqualified from holding civil office. (Education Code 35107)

A District employee elected to the Board shall resign his/her position before being sworn in or shall have his/her employment automatically terminated upon being sworn into office. (Education Code 35107)

Board of Trustees election procedures shall be conducted in accordance with the California Education Code and Elections Code.

Elections shall be held in even-numbered years on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November.

The candidate must actually be a registered voter in the District at the time of his/her candidacy and shall be a resident of the Trustee area he/she chooses to represent. The Trustee areas are as follows:

1. Trustee Area I – Beginning at the southeast edge of Census Block 060590421081000 at the San Clemente Pier, then proceeding in along the edge of that Census Block and the inland extension of the Pier to Avenida Victoria, then following Avenida Victoria northwesterly, then northeasterly as it becomes Avenida Del Mar, and proceeding northeasterly along Avenida Del Mar to North El Camino Real, and proceeding northwesterly along North El Camino Real to Calle Cabrillo, and proceeding northeasterly along Calle Cabrillo to Ave De La Estrella, and proceeding northwesterly along Ave De La Estrella to East Ave Palizada, and proceeding northeasterly along East Avenida Palizada to Interstate 5, and proceeding northwesterly along Interstate 5 to Avenida Vaquero, and proceeding northeasterly and northwesterly along Avenida Vaquero to the intersection of Avenida Vaquero and Camino De Los Mares, and proceeding northerly along Camino De Los Mares to the hillside on the northeastern border of Census Block 060590422052000, and proceeding northwesterly along that Census Block border to the San Juan Capistrano - San Clemente city border, and proceeding northerly along the San Juan Capistrano city border to the intersection of the hilltop dirt road and Camino Las Ramblas, and proceeding westerly along unmarked hilltop roads forming the northern border of Census Blocks 060590422031020 and 060590422035004 to the intersection of Forster Canyon Road and La Novia Avenue, and proceeding northerly along Forster Canyon Road to San Juan Creek Road, and proceeding westerly along San Juan Creek Road to Interstate 5, and proceeding northeasterly along Interstate 5 to the San Juan River, and following the river northeasterly approximately 2,255 feet to the unnamed stream forming the southwest border of Census Block 060590423122035, and proceeding northwesterly along this stream to the Ortega Highway

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off-ramp from Interstate 5, and proceeding northerly along the off-ramp to the Ortega Highway (State Route-74), and proceeding westerly along State Route-74 to Del Obispo Street, and proceeding southerly and westerly along Del Obispo Street to Alipaz Street, and proceeding southerly along Alipaz Street to Via Madrigal, and proceeding southerly along Via Madrigal to Camino Del Avion, and proceeding westerly along Camino Del Avion to the Dana Point - Laguna Niguel city border, and proceeding westerly along the city border to Golden Lantern Street, and proceeding southerly along Stonehill Drive, and proceeding westerly along Stonehill Drive to Niguel Road, and proceeding southwestly along Niguel Road to State Route-1, and proceeding northerly along State Route-1 to the District border, and proceeding southerly along the District border to the point of beginning.

2. Trustee Area II – Beginning at the intersection of Flagpole Hill and Camino Las Ramblas, and proceeding westerly along unmarked roads for 7,000 feet to the intersection of Forster Canyon Road and La Novia Avenue, and proceeding northerly along Forster Canyon Road to San Juan Creek Road, and proceeding westerly along San Juan Creek Road to Interstate 5, and proceeding northeasterly along Interstate 5 to San Juan Creek, and following the creek northeasterly to the northern border of the City of San Juan Capistrano, and proceeding northwestly along the border of the City of San Juan Capistrano to the Mission Viejo - San Juan Capistrano city border, and proceeding northerly along the Mission Viejo city border to the Mission Viejo - Rancho Santa Margarita city border, and proceeding northeasterly and southerly along the Rancho Santa Margarita city border to Oso Parkway, and proceeding easterly along Oso Parkway to Tesoro Creek Road, and proceeding southerly along Tesoro Creek Road to the entrance to the Tesoro High School parking lot at the northern border of Census Block 060590320565010, and proceeding southwestly and easterly along the western borders of Census Blocks 060590320565010 and 060590320565009 around the western side of Tesoro High School, and proceeding southerly along the Canada Chiquita Channel to the southern border of Census Block 060590320565017 as it curves along the through the unpopulated hills to Burma Road, and proceeding easterly along Burma Road to the western border of the General Thomas F Riley Wilderness Park, and proceeding northerly along the western border of the General Thomas F Riley Wilderness Park to Westridge Trail, and proceeding northeasterly along Westridge Trail to the Rancho Santa Margarita city border, and proceeding northerly, northeasterly, southeasterly, and northerly along the Rancho Santa Margarita city border to the District border, and proceeding along the District border southeasterly to the intersection of the District border and the southern border of Census Block 060590320233076 1,660 feet north of Talega Road, and proceeding westerly 2.7 miles along the southern borders of Census Blocks 060590320233076, 060590320233075, and 060590320233074, and proceeding northerly 2,528 feet along the western border of Census Block 060590320233074, and proceeding westerly along the southern borders of Census Blocks 060590320233074, 060590320233073, 060590320233019, 060590320233020, and 060590320233021 to Cristianitos Road and the Donna O'Neill Land Conservancy, and proceeding northwestly, northerly, northwestly, southwestly, and southerly along the border of the Donna O'Neill Land Conservancy to the San Clemente city border, and proceeding westerly and southwestly along the San Clemente city border to the point of beginning.

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3. Trustee Area III – Beginning at the southeast edge of Census Block 060590421081000 at the San Clemente Pier, then proceeding in along the edge of that Census Block and the inland extension of the Pier to Avenida Victoria, then following Avenida Victoria northwesterly, then northeasterly as it becomes Avenida Del Mar, and proceeding northeasterly along Avenida Del Mar to North El Camino Real, and proceeding northwesterly along North El Camino Real to Calle Cabrillo, and proceeding northeasterly along Calle Cabrillo to Avenida De La Estrella, and proceeding northwesterly along Avenida De La Estrella to East Avenida Palizada, and proceeding northeasterly along East Avenida Palizada to Interstate 5, and proceeding northwesterly along Interstate 5 to Avenida Vaquero, and proceeding northeasterly and northwesterly along Avenida Vaquero to the intersection of Avenida Vaquero and Camino De Los Mares, and proceeding northerly along Camino De Los Mares to the hillside on the northeastern border of Census Block 060590422052000, and proceeding northwesterly along that Census Block border to the San Juan Capistrano - San Clemente city border, and proceeding northerly and easterly along the San Juan Capistrano city border to the Donna O'Neill Land Conservancy, and proceeding northerly, northeasterly and southeasterly along the northern border of the Conservancy to Christianitos Road, and proceeding easterly, southerly, and easterly along the southern border of Census Blocks 060590320233021, 060590320233020, 060590320233019, and 060590320233073, the western border of Census Block 060590320233074, and the southern border of Census Blocks 060590320233074, 060590320233075, and 060590320233076 to the District border, and proceeding southerly, southwesterly, southerly, and northwesterly along the District border to the point of beginning.
4. Trustee Area IV – Beginning at the intersection of the District border and State Route 1 and proceeding southerly along State Route-1 to Niguel Road, and proceeding northeasterly along Niguel Road to Stonehill Drive, and proceeding southeasterly and easterly along Stonehill Drive to Golden Lantern Street, and proceeding northerly along Golden Lantern Street to Camino Del Avion, and proceeding easterly along Camino Del Avion to the Laguna Niguel - San Juan Capistrano city border, and proceeding northerly along the Laguna Niguel city border to Camino Las Padres, and proceeding westerly along Camino Los Padres to Golden Lantern Street, and proceeding northerly along Golden Lantern Street to Adelanto Drive, and proceeding westerly along Adelanto Drive to Crown Valley Parkway, and proceeding southwesterly along Crown Valley Parkway to La Paz Road, and proceeding northwesterly along La Paz Road to Aliso Creek Road, and proceeding westerly along Aliso Creek Road to the Aliso Viejo-Laguna Niguel city border, and proceeding southerly, southwesterly, westerly, and southerly along the Laguna Niguel city border to the intersection of the Laguna Niguel city border and the southern border of Census Block 060590423251002, and proceeding westerly and northerly along the southern and western borders of Census Blocks 060590423251002, including Aliso Creek as the western border of the Census Block, and proceeding northerly along Aliso Creek 642 feet, and proceeding southwesterly along the southern borders of Census Blocks 060590626322009 and 060590626322006 to the District border, and proceeding southerly along the District border to the beginning point.

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5. Trustee Area V – Beginning at the intersection of La Paz Road and Yosemite Road, and proceeding northwesterly along La Paz Road to Aliso Creek Road, and proceeding westerly along Aliso Creek Road to the Aliso Viejo - Laguna Niguel city border, and proceeding southerly, southwesterly, westerly, and southerly along the Laguna Niguel city border to the intersection of the Laguna Niguel city border and the southern border of Census Block 060590423251002, and proceeding westerly and northerly along the southern and western borders of Census Blocks 060590423251002, including Aliso Creek as the western border of the Census Block, and proceeding northerly along Aliso Creek 642 feet, and proceeding southwesterly along the southern borders of Census Blocks 060590626322009 and 060590626322006 to the District border, and proceeding northerly, easterly, southerly, easterly, and southeasterly along the District border to Moulton Parkway, and proceeding southwesterly along Moulton Parkway to Aliso Creek Road, and proceeding southwesterly along Aliso Creek Road to Yosemite Road, and proceeding easterly and southwesterly along Yosemite Road to the point of beginning.

6. Trustee Area VI – Beginning at the intersection of the District border and Moulton Parkway on the northern border of Laguna Niguel, and proceeding southwesterly along Moulton Parkway to Aliso Creek Road, and proceeding southwesterly along Aliso Creek Road to Yosemite Road, and proceeding easterly and southwesterly along Yosemite Road to La Paz Road, and proceeding southeasterly along La Paz Road to Crown Valley Parkway, and proceeding northeasterly along Crown Valley Parkway to Adelanto Drive, and proceeding easterly along Adelanto Drive to Golden Lantern Street, and proceeding southerly along Golden Lantern Street to Camino Los Padres, and proceeding easterly along Camino Los Padres to the San Juan Capistrano-Laguna Niguel city border, and proceeding southeasterly along the city border to Camino Del Avion, and proceeding easterly along Camino Del Avion to Alipaz Street, and proceeding northerly and northeasterly along Alipaz Street to Del Obispo Street, and proceeding easterly and northerly along Del Obispo Street to State Route- 74, and proceeding easterly along State Route-74 to the Ortega Highway off ramp of Interstate 5, and proceeding southerly along the off ramp to the former location of an unnamed stream that is now the northwesterly extension of the parcel border between 27136 Paseo Espada on the northeast side and 27129 Calle Arroyo on the southeast side that forms the northeast border of Census Block 060590423122040, and proceeding southeasterly along the parcel border and unnamed stream to the San Juan River, and proceeding northeasterly along the San Juan River to the San Juan Capistrano city border, and proceeding northwesterly along the city border to the San Juan Capistrano - Mission Viejo city border, and proceeding northerly along the Mission Viejo city border to the easterly extension of Camden, and proceeding northwesterly along the extension of Camden and Camden to Felipe Road, and proceeding southwesterly along Felipe Road to Marguerite Parkway, and proceeding northerly along Marguerite Parkway to the District border, and proceeding southwesterly, southerly, southwesterly, and northwesterly along the District border to the point of beginning.

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7. Trustee Area VII – Beginning at the City of Mission Viejo's eastern border at the extension of Camden, and proceeding northwesterly along the extension and Camden to Felipe Rd, and proceeding southwesterly along Felipe Road to Marguerite Parkway, and proceeding northerly along Marguerite Parkway to the District border, and proceeding northerly and easterly along the District border most eastern point of the City of Rancho Santa Margarita, and proceeding southerly, northwesterly, southwesterly, and southerly to Westridge Trail, and proceeding southerly along Westridge Trail to the western border of the General Thomas F Riley Wilderness Park, and proceeding southerly along the western border of the General Thomas F Riley Wilderness Park to Burma Road, and proceeding westerly along Burma Road to the southern border of Census Block 060590320443003, and proceeding southerly along the eastern borders of Census Blocks 060590320443003 and 060590320565001 , and proceeding northwesterly along the western borders of Census Blocks 060590320565017, 060590320565009, and 060590320565010 to Tesoro Creek Road, and proceeding northerly along Tesoro Creek Road Census Block 060590320565017 as it curves along the through the unpopulated hills to Canada Chiquita Channel, and proceeding northerly along Canada Chiquita Channel to Tesoro High School, and proceeding westerly and northerly along the western borders of Census Blocks 060590320565010 and 060590320565009 around the western side of Tesoro High School to the high school parking lot entrance on the northern border of Census Block 060590320565010 at Tesoro Creek Rd, and proceeding northerly along Tesoro Creek Road to Oso Parkway and the Rancho Santa Margarita city border, and proceeding westerly, northerly, and southwesterly along the Rancho Santa Margarita city border to the Mission Viejo city border, and proceeding southerly along the Mission Viejo city border to the beginning point.

Statement of Qualifications

The Board shall assume no part of the cost of printing, handling, translating, or mailing candidate statements. Candidate statements shall be limited to 200 words, unless the Board authorizes 400.

The Board secretary shall notify the county clerk of this policy on or before the 125th day before each Board member election. (Elections Code 23510.5)

Tie Votes in Board Member Elections

Whenever a tie makes it impossible to determine which of two or more candidates has been elected to the Board, the Board shall schedule a runoff election in accordance with law. (Education Code 5016)

Legal Reference: (see next page)

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Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

5000-5033 *Election of governing board members, especially:*

5012 *Declaration of candidacy*

5012.5 *Extension if incumbent does not file; withdrawal of candidacy*

5019 *Trustee areas and size of governing boards*

5019.5 *Trustee areas; adjustment of boundaries*

5300-5304 *General provisions (conduct of elections)*

5320-5329 *Order and call of elections*

5340-5345 *Consolidation of elections*

5360-5363 *Election notice*

5380 *Compensation (of election officer)*

5390 *Qualifications of voters*

5420-5426 *Cost of elections*

5440-5442 *Miscellaneous provisions (re returns, recounts, etc.)*

35107 *Eligibility; school district employees*

35177 *Campaign expenditures or contributions*

ELECTIONS CODE

10012 *Candidate's statement*

23510.5 *Notice of election by secretary*

24000 *School district governing board election; number of votes; one or more than one member being elected; ballot instructions*

24002 *Forms; declaration of candidacy and notice to declare candidacy*

24003 *Sample ballot; notice of polling place and time of election*

24004 *More than one ballot for separate propositions*

GOVERNMENT CODE

85101 *Previous or local conflicting limitations*

85300-85307 *Contribution limitations*

Service Employees International Union vs. Fair Political Practices Commission, Ninth Cir. Cal. 1992 WL 18475

Bylaw

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San Juan Capistrano, California