Order of Postponement of May 2, 2020 Trustee Election

On March 18, 2020, Texas Governor Greg Abbott issued a proclamation suspending Sections 41.0052(a) and (c) of the Texas Election Code and Section 49.103 of the Texas Water Code to the extent necessary to allow political subdivisions that would otherwise hold elections on May 2, 2020, to move general and special elections for 2020 only to the uniform election date, occurring on November 3, 2020, without otherwise adjusting the term of office, and suspending Sections 31.093 and 42.0621(c) of the Texas Election Code to the extent necessary to require all county election officers, if requested by an affected political subdivision, to enter into a contract to furnish election services with any political subdivision who postponed their election to November 3, 2020, under the authority of the proclamation.

Midway ISD confirms that the candidate filings for the May 2, 2020 election that were timely filed will remain valid for the election held on the November date and that the filing period will not re-open for the November election date.

Midway ISD further confirms that all ABBMs (Applications for Ballot by Mail) for voters that are voting by mail due to being over the age of 65 or due to disability will still be valid for the postponed election and that ABBMs for voters who submitted ABBMs based on expected absence from the county would not be valid for the postponed election.

Midway ISD elects to exercise their authority to postpone their trustee election from May 2, 2020 until November 3, 2020, providing that if an earlier date is authorized by the Governor of the State of Texas, the Board of Trustees may consider holding the trustee election on such earlier date.

This order was executed the 3rd day of April, 2020.

Pete Rusek, Board President

Susan Vick, Board Secretary