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NOTICE OF ELECTION – GENERAL ELECTION

Salinas, CA – NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a General Election shall be held on Tuesday, the 8th day of November 2022.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL QUALIFIED PERSONS that elections will be held in the following offices within the County of Monterey, State of California, for the purpose of electing members as follows:

Water Districts

Must be a resident and registered voter of the water district.

(WAT 30500, Appendix 118-204).

Aromas Water District, Director, Three 4-year term

ALL CANDIDATES MUST MEET THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

- a) Unless otherwise specifically provided, no person is eligible to be elected or appointed to an elective office unless that person is a registered voter and otherwise qualified to vote for that office at the time that nomination papers are issued to the person or at the time of the person's appointment. ELECTIONS CODE 201.
- b) A person is disqualified from holding any office upon conviction of designated crimes as specified in the Constitution and laws of the state. GOVERNMENT CODE 1021.
- c) Not have been convicted of a felony involving accepting or giving, or offering to give, any bribe, the embezzlement of public money, extortion or theft of public money, perjury, or conspiracy to commit any of those crimes. ELECTIONS CODE 20.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that declarations of candidacy and other required nomination documents for eligible candidates desiring to run for any of the elective offices may be obtained and filed at Monterey County Elections located at **1441 Schilling Place – North Building, Salinas, CA**, on or after Monday, July 18, 2022, and must be filed at the same location not later than 5:00 P.M. on Friday, August 12, 2022, for the Tuesday, November 8, 2022 election. If an eligible incumbent does not file a declaration of candidacy by 5:00 P.M. on Friday, August 12, 2022, any eligible person other than the incumbent shall have until 5:00

P.M. on Wednesday, August 17, 2022 to file a declaration of candidacy for the elective office. Interested candidates are encouraged to schedule an appointment via email at CandidateServices@co.monterey.ca.us or by phone (831) 796-1499. Any candidates seeking a municipal office file with the respective City Clerk.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that appointment to each elective office will be made as prescribed by Section 10515 in the event there are no nominees or an insufficient number of nominees and a petition for an election is not filed with the elections official within the time period prescribed by Section 1015.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that all active voters will receive a ballot by mail. The last day to request a ballot by mail is Tuesday, November 1, 2022. Voters wishing to vote at their assigned polling place must surrender their mailed ballot. Any voter unable to surrender will be assisted with a provisional ballot.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that voted precinct ballots, vote by mail ballots, and provisional ballots for the General Election held on the 8th day of November 2022, shall be tallied at the following location: Monterey County Elections Department, 1441 Schilling Place – North Building, Salinas, CA 93901.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that at such election the polls will be open from the hour of 7:00 A.M. to the hour of 8:00 P.M., on the day thereof.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that the statutory deadline to submit a measure to be voted on at the General Election is Friday, August 12, 2022 by 5:00 P.M.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that the last day to submit primary arguments for or against any Measures submitted to the Monterey County Elections Department is Thursday, August 18, 2022 by 5:00 P.M. Arguments are limited to 300 words and may be signed by up to five persons.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the last day to submit rebuttal arguments in response to arguments for or against any measures submitted to the Monterey County Elections Department is Thursday, August 25, 2022 by 5:00 P.M. Rebuttal arguments are limited to 250 words.

For more information, please contact the elections office at (831) 796-1499 or visit our website

www.MontereyCountyElections.us. For information regarding deadlines for measures submitted to a city, contact the office of the respective City Clerk.

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