NOTICE OF ELECTION AND ARGUMENT DEADLINE FOR

COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO LEMON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT SAN DIEGO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT LOWER SWEETWATER FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an election will be held on November 8, 2022, at which there will be submitted to the qualified electors of each district the following measures:

MEASURE TBD – COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO

CANNABIS BUSINESS TAX Shall the measure to fund general County purposes including but not limited to parks, fire safety, roads, health, and social equity, by taxing cannabis businesses in the unincorporated area on gross receipts at maximum 6% for retail, 3% for distribution, 2% for testing, cultivation at 3% or \$10 (inflation adjustable) per canopy square foot, and 4% for other businesses, generating an estimated \$2,930,000 to \$5,600,000 annually until repealed by voters, be adopted?

MEASURE TBD – LEMON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT

To improve local schools with funds that cannot be taken by the State and spent elsewhere, shall Lemon Grove School District's measure to replace aging roofs; upgrade STEAM (science, technology, engineering, arts, math) classrooms; increase computer access; and replace portables with permanent classrooms be adopted, authorizing \$27 million of bonds with legal rates, levies below \$30/\$100,000 of assessed valuation (generating \$1.6 million/year through 2053), annual audits, independent oversight, state matching funds and no tax rate increase?

Bonds - Yes Bonds - No

MEASURE TBD - SAN DIEGO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

To improve all public schools by:

- Repairing leaky roofs/plumbing;
- Providing safe drinking water;
- Removing asbestos, lead paint, mold;
- Improving classroom security/communications, systems, cameras, door locks to protect against school shootings;
- Upgrading career, science, technology, engineering, math classrooms;

shall San Diego Unified School District's measure authorizing \$3,200,000,000 in bonds at legal rates, levying approximately 6 cents per \$100 of assessed value, averaging \$330,000,000 annually while bonds are outstanding, requiring public spending disclosures, audits, citizens oversight, be adopted?

Bonds - Yes

Bonds - No

MEASURE TBD – LOWER SWEETWATER FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

Shall the number of seats on the Lower Sweetwater Fire Protection District be increased from three to five at large seats?

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the California Elections Code, the legislative body of said district, or any member or members thereof authorized by such body, or any individual voter or bonafide association of citizens of the district, or any combination of such voters and associations may file a written argument, not to exceed 300 words in length, for or against a measure. Said arguments shall be accompanied by the statement required by California Elections Code Sec. 9600.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that, based upon the time reasonably necessary to prepare and print the arguments and sample ballots and to permit the 10-day examination period for said election, the arguments must be received in the office of the Registrar of Voters, 5600 Overland Ave., San Diego, no later than 5:00 p.m., August 18. (Arguments may be changed or withdrawn until and including this date.)

Official election materials will be available for viewing at the Registrar of Voters Office in accordance with California Elections Code Sec. 9190, 9295, 9380, & 9509.

All Vote Centers will be open at 7 a.m. and close at 8 p.m. on Election Day. Ballots will be counted at the Registrar of Voters Office. For further information please visit <u>sdvote.com</u> or call the Registrar of Voters at 858-505-7260.

Dated: August 13, 2022,

CYNTHIA L. PAES Registrar of Voters ELVIRA VARGAS Deputy