

NOTICE OF ELECTION

PORT ARTHUR INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Date and Time - Saturday, May 6, 2017, 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Positions and Terms – Two (2) Trustees for three-year terms.

Election Day Voting – **Memorial 9th Grade Academy** (formerly Stephen F. Austin Middle School), 2441 61st Street (All or a portion of Jefferson County Election Precincts 33 & 34); **Abraham Lincoln Middle School** (formerly Memorial High School 9th Grade Campus and Lincoln High School), 1023 Abe Lincoln (All or a portion of Jefferson County Election Precincts 57, 58, 59, & 104); **Tyrrell Elementary School**, 4401 Ferndale (All or a portion of Jefferson County Election Precincts 43, 44, 47, 48, 49, 76, & 93); **Thomas Jefferson Middle School (former Thomas Jefferson High School)**, 2200 Jefferson Drive (All or a portion of Jefferson County Election Precincts 42, 60, 61, 71, & 102); **Port Arthur City Hall**, 444 4th Street, Port Arthur, Texas (All or a portion of Jefferson County Election Precincts 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, & 81); **Port Arthur Public Library**, 4615 9th Avenue (All or a portion of Jefferson County Election Precincts 45, 46, 70, 82, 95, 96, 97, 98, & 105); **R.L. Eldridge Community Center**, 5262 S. Gulfway Drive, Sabine Pass (All or a portion of Jefferson County Election Precinct 32).

Early Voting - In person: from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. each weekday, from April 24, 2017 through May 2, 2017, at **Port Arthur City Hall**, Port Arthur, Texas 77640, and **Port Arthur Public Library**, 4615 9th Ave., Port Arthur, Jefferson County, TX 77642. Additional early voting will be conducted on Thursday, April 27, 2017 and on Tuesday, May 1, 2017, between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. at Port Arthur City Hall.

Applications for ballots by mail shall be mailed to: Office of the City Secretary, Sherri Bellard, 444 4th Street; applications for ballot by mail must be received no later than the close of business on Tuesday, April 25, 2017. Applications will be delivered by the voter in person and must be

receive no later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday, April 20, 2017.

Candidates - File with Ms. Phyllis Geans or Ms. Candy Bonham at the Administration Building, 4801 9th Avenue, between 7:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on weekdays, exclusive of holidays, no earlier than Wednesday, January 18, 2017, and no later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday, February 17, 2017. Drawing for ballot positions at 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, February 22, 2017, in the Administration Building. Candidates must be qualified voters and residents of the Port Arthur School District, and must meet all other qualifying requirements in the Texas Election Code.

Election - All PAISD voters may vote for two trustees; election by plurality; that is, no run-off election. The two candidates receiving the greatest number of votes will each be elected for three-year terms.

DONE in accordance with this Election Order and Notice approved by the Board of Trustees on January 26, 2017.



Dr. Mark Porterie
Superintendent of Schools