

ORDER OF SPECIAL ELECTION  
(For Governor-ordered or County-ordered measure elections)  
(ORDEN DE ELECCION ESPECIAL)  
(Para órdenes de gobernador u ordenes de condado sobre elecciones medidas)

An election is hereby ordered to be held on November 02, 2021 for the purpose of adopting or rejecting the proposed Constitutional Amendments as submitted by the 86th Legislature, Regular Session, of the State of Texas.

(Por la presente se ordena que se llevará a cabo una elección el November 02, 2021 (fecha) adoptar o rechazar las enmiendas a la constitución propuestas tal como fueron presentadas por la 86ª Legislatura Sesión Regular del Estado de Texas.

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at:  
(La votación adelantada en persona se llevará a cabo de lunes a viernes en:)


Colorado County Annex, 318 Spring St., Suite 101, Columbus between the hours of 7:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. beginning on October 18, 2021 and ending on October 29, 2021.  
(entre las 7:30 de la mañana y las 5:30 de la tarde empezando el 18 de octubre de 2021 y terminando el 1 de octubre de 2021).


Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:  
(Las solicitudes para balotas de votación adelantada por correo deberán enviarse a:)

Rebecka LaCourse, Colorado County Election Administrator (Nombre del Secretario de la Votación Adelantada)  
318 Spring Street, Suite 101 (Dirección)  
Columbus, Texas 78934 (Ciudad) (Código Postal)

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on October 22, 2021.  
(Las solicitudes para balotas de votación adelantada por correo deberán recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el: 22 de Octubre, 2021)

Issued this the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Aug, 2021.  
(Emitida este día \_\_\_\_\_ de \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.)

  
Signature of County Judge  
(Firma del Juez del Condado)

  
County Commissioner  
Comisionado del Condado

  
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# PROCLAMATION

BY THE

## Governor of the State of Texas

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TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

WHEREAS, the 87th Regular Session of the Texas Legislature convened in January of 2021 in accordance with Article III, Section 5 of the Texas Constitution and Section 301.001 of the Texas Government Code; and

WHEREAS, during that session, the Legislature approved eight joint resolutions proposing eight particular constitutional amendments by a vote of two-thirds of all the members of each house, pursuant to Article XVII, Section 1 of the Texas Constitution; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the terms of those resolutions and in accordance with the Texas Constitution, the Legislature has set the date of the election for voting on the eight proposed constitutional amendments to be November 2, 2021; and

WHEREAS, Section 3.003 of the Texas Election Code requires the election to be ordered by proclamation of the governor;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GREG ABBOTT, Governor of the State of Texas, by the authority vested in me by the Constitution and Statutes of the State of Texas, do hereby order a special election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the FIRST TUESDAY AFTER THE FIRST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, the same being the SECOND day of NOVEMBER, 2021; and

NOTICE THEREOF IS HEREBY GIVEN to the COUNTY JUDGE of each county, who is directed to cause said election to be held in the county on such date for the purpose of adopting or rejecting the eight constitutional amendments proposed by eight joint resolutions, as submitted by the 87th Texas Legislature, Regular Session, of the State of Texas.

Pursuant to Sections 52.095, 274.001, and 274.002 of the Texas Election Code, the propositions for the joint resolutions will appear as follows:

STATE OF TEXAS PROPOSITION 1

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the professional sports team charitable foundations of organizations sanctioned by the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association or the Women's Professional Rodeo Association to conduct charitable raffles at rodeo venues."

STATE OF TEXAS PROPOSITION 2

"The constitutional amendment authorizing a county to finance the development or redevelopment of transportation or infrastructure in unproductive, underdeveloped, or blighted areas in the county."

STATE OF TEXAS PROPOSITION 3

"The constitutional amendment to prohibit this state or a political subdivision of this state from prohibiting or limiting religious services of religious organizations."

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STATE OF TEXAS PROPOSITION 4

"The constitutional amendment changing the eligibility requirements for a justice of the supreme court, a judge of the court of criminal appeals, a justice of a court of appeals, and a district judge."

STATE OF TEXAS PROPOSITION 5

"The constitutional amendment providing additional powers to the State Commission on Judicial Conduct with respect to candidates for judicial office."

STATE OF TEXAS PROPOSITION 6

"The constitutional amendment establishing a right for residents of certain facilities to designate an essential caregiver for in-person visitation."

STATE OF TEXAS PROPOSITION 7

"The constitutional amendment to allow the surviving spouse of a person who is disabled to receive a limitation on the school district ad valorem taxes on the spouse's residence homestead if the spouse is 55 years of age or older at the time of the person's death."

STATE OF TEXAS PROPOSITION 8

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for an exemption from ad valorem taxation of all or part of the market value of the residence homestead of the surviving spouse of a member of the armed services of the United States who is killed or fatally injured in the line of duty."

The secretary of state shall take notice of this proclamation and shall immediately mail a copy of this order to every county judge of this state, and all appropriate writs will be issued, and all proper proceedings will be followed, to the end that said election may be held and its result proclaimed in accordance with law.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I  
have hereto signed my name and  
have officially caused the Seal of  
State to be affixed at my office in  
the City of Austin, Texas, this the  
13th day of August, 2021.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Greg Abbott".

GREG ABBOTT  
Governor of Texas

ATTESTED BY:

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Joe A. Esparza".  
JOE A. ESPARZA  
Deputy Secretary of State

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