TrailMark Metropolitan District Special Election - November 3, 2009

Ouestions? Contact:

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ELECTION SCHEDULE HIGHLIGHTS

Friday, September 18

 $5:00 \ p.m.$

Pro/Con Statements are due to Sue Blair, Designated

Election Official, no later than 5:00 p.m. (See attached memorandum to the Board for specific

requirements in filing comments.)

Friday, October 2

Last day to mail TABOR Notice to "All Registered Voters" at each address of one or more active registered electors.

Monday, October 5

Last day to register to vote.

October 12 through 16

Ballot packets will be mailed to all ACTIVE

REGISTERED electors of the District.

No Later than October 14

Last day to publish Notice of Election. The Notice of Election is scheduled to be published in the October 1st

issue of The Littleton Independent.

November 3

ELECTION DAY

** For convenience purposes, electors may drop off their ballots between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on election day at the TrailMark Learning Center, 9743 S. Carr Street, Littleton, Colorado, in lieu of mailing their

ballots to the election official.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO VOTE IN THIS ELECTION?

An eligible elector is a person who is registered to vote in Colorado, AND WHO IS:

- A resident of the District for not less than thirty days; **OR**
- Who, or whose spouse, owns taxable real or personal property situated within the boundaries of the District, whether said person resides within the District or not.

 A person who is obligated to pay taxes under a contract to purchase taxable property within the boundaries of the District shall be considered an owner.

Note: a partnership, corporation or trust is not a "person" and therefore a person owning property through such a legal entity is not eligible to vote.

WHAT IS A REGISTERED ELECTOR?

A registered elector is an elector (a person legally qualified to vote in the District) who has complied with the registration provisions of Colorado Revised Statutes, Title 1, Election Code and who resides within or is eligible to vote in the jurisdiction of the political subdivision calling the election.

The registration provisions of Title 1 state that a person is qualified for registration if the person is 18 years of age or older on the date of the next election and who has the following qualifications:

- The person is a citizen of the United States; and
- The person has resided in this state and the polling place in which the person intends to register thirty days immediately prior to the election.

<u>MEMORANDUM</u>

TO:

Board of Directors

TrailMark Metropolitan District

DATE:

August 10, 2009

FROM:

Sue Blair

SUBJECT:

Pro/Con Statements - Tabor Notice

Pursuant to Article X, Section 20 (3)(b)(v), two summaries, up to 500 words each, one for and one against the proposal, of written comments filed with the designated election official will be included as part of the Tabor Notice. The comments must be filed with the election official no later than September 18, 2009 (5:00 p.m.).

For referred measures, the designated election official shall summarize the filed comments in favor of and in opposition to the ballot issue for inclusion into the Tabor Notice. To be summarized in the Tabor Notice, the comments shall address a specific ballot issue and shall include a signature and an address where the signor is registered to vote. Only those comments that are filed by persons eligible to vote in the District must be summarized in the Tabor Notice.

All comments filed in writing will be received and kept on file with the designated election official. The filed comments shall be retained by the designated election official as election records. The election official is responsible for the preservation of any election records for a period of at least twenty-five (25) months. These documents are considered public record.

Please let me know if you have any questions.