



IRVING MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

Council Candidates ★ Bond Propositions

EARLY VOTING ★ APRIL 19-27

- April 19-24: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- April 25: 1 to 6 p.m.
- April 26-27: 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

ELECTION DAY ★ MAY 1

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Irving registered voters will head to the polls on May 1, 2021, for the city's general municipal election for Districts 4, 6 and 8. The ballot also will include 12 propositions for the issuance of up to \$563.4 million in bonds for capital improvement projects. The city does not currently anticipate an increase in the tax rate as a result of the bond election.

The proposed bond projects include street and transportation improvements; city facilities and infrastructure; and police, animal services, fire, parks and recreation, information technology, library, arts center, and joint public safety facilities and improvements.

An 18-member City Council-appointed Citizen Bond Task Force Committee worked for several months collecting public input and meeting with city leaders. The task force presented recommendations to City Council and the propositions were subsequently finalized.

▶▶▶ 12 PROPOSITIONS

PROPOSITION A

The issuance of \$207,800,000 general obligation bonds for street and transportation improvements and the levying of a tax in payment thereof.

Proposed projects include paving improvements for major thoroughfares, neighborhood streets, traffic congestion relief, sidewalks, and alleyways. Funding is also planned for street signalization, street lighting, and local participation in state projects.

PROPOSITION B

The issuance of \$9,200,000 general obligation bonds for existing City facilities located at the City Hall Campus and the levying of a tax in payment thereof.

Proposed projects would include the replacement of the elevators at city hall and other structural, electrical, mechanical, and HVAC improvements to city hall, the purchasing/records building, and the Jack D. Huffman building and surrounding parking areas.

PROPOSITION C

The issuance of \$10,200,000 general obligation bonds for improving general government facilities consisting of field operations, fleet maintenance, and central warehousing facilities and levying of a tax in payment thereof.

Proposed projects include the replacement of the fleet garage buildings at the Briery Road complex, which are over fifty years old, as well as improvements to the central warehouse building and general government areas of the Valley View Municipal Complex.

PROPOSITION D

The issuance of \$1,300,000 general obligation bonds for Human Services offices and facilities and the levying of a tax in payment thereof.

The Human Services Building is located at 440 S. Nursery Road. This building houses the City's East Branch Library and Learning Center. Non-City tenants include Irving Cares, State of Texas Human Services, and the Dallas

County Health and Human Services Immunization Clinic. Proposed capital improvements to the facility include replacing the elevator, replacing tile and carpet throughout the building, updating plumbing and electrical fixtures, repairing and painting walls and counter tops, and repairing and replacing exterior lighting, sidewalks and the parking lot.

PROPOSITION E

The issuance of \$29,930,000 general obligation bonds for police facilities and the levying of a tax in payment thereof.

Proposed projects include construction of a property and evidence building, technology and equipment upgrades, and renovations to the Criminal Justice Center, which is over 30 years old.

PROPOSITION F

The issuance of \$5,770,000 general obligation bonds for the existing animal care campus and the levying of a tax in payment thereof.

The proposed projects will expand the existing animal care campus by over 11,000 square feet to provide more space for adoption, veterinary services and kenneling for large animals.

PROPOSITION G

The issuance of \$34,300,000 general obligation bonds for firefighting facilities and the levying of a tax in payment thereof.

Proposed projects include the construction of a Central Fire Station in downtown Irving and reconstruction of Fire Stations #8 and #9. Both fire stations are over 30 years old.

PROPOSITION H

The issuance of \$78,300,000 general obligation bonds for park and recreation facilities and the levying of a tax in payment thereof.

Proposed projects include park development, expansion of recreation facilities, and the acquisition of additional land for future parks and recreation amenities.

PROPOSITION I

The issuance of \$10,700,000 general obligation bonds for City information technology infrastructure and equipment and the levying of a tax in payment thereof.

Funding is proposed to expand the city's fiber-optic network to provide connectivity to all mission-critical city facilities.

PROPOSITION J

The issuance of \$20,200,000 general obligation bonds for library facilities and the levying of a tax in payment thereof.

Proposed projects include the development of a new library facility, improvements to existing Library facilities, library technology projects and alternative library service points.

PROPOSITION K

The issuance of \$3,000,000 general obligation bonds for the Irving Arts Center and the levying of a tax in payment thereof.

The primary proposed project will be the replacement of the roof of the Irving Arts Center as well as other structural, electrical, and mechanical repairs and replacements to the facility.

PROPOSITION L

The issuance of \$152,700,000 general obligation bonds for joint public safety facilities including a public safety campus and the levying of a tax in payment thereof.

This proposition would provide funding for additional infrastructure and facilities for joint Police and Fire public safety operations and training at a shared campus. Proposed projects include an emergency management operations center, gun range, training facilities, Police dispatch center, vehicle storage, a driving skills and training pad, and the relocation of the North Police Station to the campus.

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