

**NOTICE OF VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATE ELECTION
SANDS CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**

To the Registered Voters of Sands Consolidated Independent School District:

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees of Sands Consolidated Independent School District has ordered a Special Election be held on November 4, 2025, for the purpose of conducting a Voter-Approval Tax Rate Election (the “Election” or “VATRE”), as follows:

**ORDER CALLING A VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATE ELECTION
SANDS CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**

An election is hereby ordered to be held on November 4, 2025, for the purpose of conducting a Voter-Approval Tax Rate Election (the “Election” or “VATRE”). Specifically, the following proposition will be on the ballot:

**SANDS CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATE ELECTION
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_____	FOR)	THIS IS A TAX INCREASE
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)	RATIFYING THE AD VALOREM TAX RATE OF \$0.9596
)	IN SANDS CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL
)	DISTRICT FOR THE CURRENT YEAR, A RATE THAT
)	WILL RESULT IN AN INCREASE OF -.16 PERCENT IN
)	MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS TAX REVENUE
_____	AGAINST)	FOR THE DISTRICT FOR THE CURRENT YEAR AS
)	COMPARED TO THE PRECEDING YEAR, WHICH IS AN
)	ADDITIONAL -\$35,204.00.

The Early Voting Clerk for voters residing in Borden County is Jana Underwood, Borden County Clerk. Applications for ballot by mail should be mailed to Jana Underwood, Borden County Clerk, PO Box 124, Gail, Texas 79738, or emailed to jana.underwood@co.borden.tx.us. Jana Underwood may be reached at (806) 756-4312 or by email at jana.underwood@co.borden.tx.us, and her information is provided on the internet at: <https://www.co.borden.tx.us/page/borden.Elections>.

The Early Voting Clerk for voters residing in Dawson County is Ashley Rodriguez, Dawson County Elections Administrator. Applications for ballot by mail should be mailed to Ashley Rodriguez, Dawson County Elections Administrator, PO Box 1268, Lamesa, Texas 79331, or emailed to electionsadministrator@co.dawson.tx.us. Ashley Rodriguez may be reached at (806) 329-3323 or by email at electionsadministrator@co.dawson.tx.us and her information is provided on the internet at: <https://www.co.dawson.tx.us/page/dawson.Election.Information>.

The Early Voting Clerk for voters residing in Howard County is Jodi Duck, Howard County Elections Administrator. Applications for ballot by mail should be mailed to Jodi Duck, Howard County Elections Administrator, PO Box 1069, Big Spring, Texas 79721, or emailed to:

HCVotes@gmail.com. Jodi Duck may be reached at (432) 264-2273 or by email at HCVotes@gmail.com, and her information is provided on the internet at: <https://www.co.howard.tx.us/page/howard.Election.Information>.

The Early Voting Clerk for voters residing in Martin County is Helen Floyd, Martin County Elections Administrator. Applications for ballot by mail should be mailed to Helen Floyd, Martin County Elections Administrator, PO Box 1009, Stanton, Texas 79782, or emailed to hffloyd@co.martin.tx.us. Helen Floyd may be reached at (432) 607-3580 or by email at hffloyd@co.martin.tx.us, and her information is provided on the internet at: <http://www.co.martin.tx.us/158/Elections-Administration-Office>.

Applications for ballot by mail (ABBM)s must be received no later than the close of business on October 24, 2025. Federal Post Card Applications (FPCAs) must be received no later than the close of business on October 24, 2025.

For all eligible District voters, early voting by personal appearance will be conducted on the dates and times and at the locations identified in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

For all eligible District voters, voting on Election Day, November 4, 2025, will be conducted between the hours of 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. at the polling places listed in Exhibit "B" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

Issued this 18th day of August, 2025.

_____/s/
Presiding Officer of the Board

_____/s/
Board Secretary

Exhibit A

SANDS CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATE ELECTION, NOVEMBER 4, 2025

EARLY VOTING DATES, TIMES AND LOCATIONS

District voters must vote at an Early Voting location in the County in which they reside:

<i>County</i>	<i>Early Voting Polling Places</i>	<i>Dates of Early voting</i>	<i>Hours of Early Voting</i>
Borden	Borden County Clerk's Office 117 East Wasson Gail, Texas 79738	October 20 through 24, 2025 (Monday-Friday)	8:00 am to 5:00 pm
		October 27 through 29, 2025 (Monday-Wednesday)	8:00 am to 5:00 pm
		October 30 through 31, 2025 (Thursday-Friday)	7:00 am to 7:00 pm

<i>County</i>	<i>Early Voting Polling Places</i>	<i>Dates of Early voting</i>	<i>Hours of Early Voting</i>
Dawson	Dawson County Election's Office 116 S. Austin Lamesa, Texas 79331	October 20 through 24, 2025 (Monday-Friday)	8:00 am to 5:00 pm
		October 27 through 29, 2025 (Monday-Wednesday)	8:00 am to 5:00 pm
		October 30 through 31, 2025 (Thursday-Friday)	6:00 am to 6:00 pm

<i>County</i>	<i>Early Voting Polling Places</i>	<i>Dates of Early voting</i>	<i>Hours of Early Voting</i>
Howard	Howard County Election's Office 2006 FM 700 Big Spring, Texas 79720	October 20 through 24, 2025 (Monday-Friday)	8:00 am to 5:00 pm
		October 27 through 29, 2025 (Monday-Wednesday)	8:00 am to 5:00 pm
		October 30 through 31, 2025 (Thursday-Friday)	7:00 am to 7:00 pm

<i>County</i>	<i>Early Voting Polling Places</i>	<i>Dates of Early voting</i>	<i>Hours of Early Voting</i>
Martin	Martin County Election's Office 110 W. School Stanton, Texas 79782	October 20 through 24, 2025 (Monday-Friday)	8:00 am to 5:00 pm
		October 27 through 29, 2025 (Monday-Wednesday)	8:00 am to 5:00 pm
		October 30 through 31, 2025 (Thursday-Friday)	7:00 am to 7:00 pm

Exhibit B

SANDS CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATE ELECTION, NOVEMBER 4, 2025

ELECTION DAY POLLING PLACES

Voting for the Sands Consolidated Independent School District's **VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATE ELECTION** shall be between 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on November 4, 2025, at the following designated precincts and polling places:

District voters residing in Borden County, Dawson County or Martin County must vote in the County Precinct in which they reside at the following locations:

District Polling Place No.	County Precinct No(s).	Location
1	Borden County, Precinct 2	Borden County Courthouse 117 Wasson Gail, Texas 79738
2	Dawson County, Precinct 1	Lee Roy Colgan Building 901 S. Houston Lamesa, Texas 79331
3	Martin County, Precinct 4	Martin County Community Center 301 N. St. Theresa Stanton, Texas 79782
4	Martin County, Precinct 4A	Grady ISD, Wildcat Gymnasium Foyer 3011 Highway 176 Lenorah, Texas 79749

District voters residing in Howard County may vote at any of the following Polling Places:

District Polling Place No.	Location
5	Ryan Hall/St. Thomas Church 605 North Main Street, Big Spring, Texas 79720
6	Coahoma Community Center 306 North Avenue Coahoma, TX 79511
7	Sand Springs Baptist Church 201 East 24 th Street Big Spring, TX 79720
8	Dorothy Garrett Coliseum 1001 Birdwell Lane Big Spring, Texas 79720