

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT 271
Bloomington, MN

REQUEST FOR SCHOOL BOARD ACTION

DATE OF BOARD MEETING: June 24, 2019

SUBJECT: Resolution Establishing the 2019 School Board General Election

ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT: Business Office

APPROVAL OF ADMINISTRATIVE CABINET MEMBER: Rod Y. Zivkovich, Executive Director of Finance and Support Services

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RESOLUTION FOR BOARD TO ADOPT:

RESOLVED, that the School Board of Independent School District 271 approves:

1. November 5, 2019 as the date for a School District General Election
2. There will not be a School District Primary Election.
3. The terms and conditions for these elections. (attached)

RECOMMENDATION OF SUPERINTENDENT:

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Approve.

DETAILED BACKGROUND:

The terms of three board members are expiring in 2019; therefore, an election to fill the expiring seats needs to be held. This resolution is part of process to hold such an election.

The School Board previously rescinded its resolution to conduct a primary election for School Board elections, thereby establishing a no primary status, which is in effect until revoked by subsequent School Board action.

**Independent School District #271
Bloomington Public Schools**

**Terms and Conditions
School Board Election
General Election – November 5, 2019**

1. **Terms** – Three board members will be elected to four year terms. All terms begin January 1, 2020.
2. **Conduct of Elections** – The City of Bloomington (City) will be requested to conduct the election and provide related services necessary for the election pursuant to an agreement between Independent School District No. 271 and the City. Jennifer Hazel is hereby appointed deputy clerk for elections. For information call (952) 681-6421.
3. **Qualification for Voting and Assuming Office** – Pursuant to the Federal and Minnesota constitutions, persons must be 18 years of age or older to vote; 21 years of age or older to assume public office. To qualify to vote or assume office a person must be a citizen of the United States, a resident of Minnesota for 20 days preceding the election and a resident of the school district. In addition, to assume public office a person must be a resident of the district for 30 days. Preregistration is not required. A School Board Member cannot be a sex offender who has been convicted of an offense for which registration is required under M.S. 243.166 (M.S. 123B.09(1a)).
4. **Filings** – Filings will be accepted at the Educational Services Center, 1350 West 106th Street, Room 505, Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Filings open on Tuesday, July 30th, and close on Tuesday, August 13, 2019 at 5:00 p.m. The filing fee is \$2.00.
5. **Date of General Election** – Tuesday, November 5, 2019.
6. **Polls Open** – From 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
7. **Polling Place** – All City of Bloomington precincts (list attached).
8. **Appointment of Judges** – Judges for each polling place will be appointed by the City Council of the City of Bloomington and confirmed by the School Board.
9. **Publication of Notice of Election in the Bloomington Sun-Current** -
- **General Election:** October 17 and October 24, 2019.
10. **Public Posting of Notice of Election** -
- **General Election:** October 24, 2019

11. **Absentee Ballots** – Applications for absentee ballots may be made at the Bloomington City Hall, City Clerk’s Office, 1800 West Old Shakopee Road:
 - **General Election:** Starting September 20 through November 5, 2019, Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Saturday, November 2, 2019, 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and Monday, November 4, 2019 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
12. **Voting Method** – Optical scan ballots will be used. Judges at each polling place will tabulate the votes for their precinct and transmit the results to Hennepin County Elections where they will accumulate. After the results are accumulated, the Board reviews procedures and certifies results.
13. **Voter Registration** – Preregistration for the school board election will close at 5:00 p.m. on October 15, 2019. Voter Registration Applications are available at City Hall Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. until 4:30 p.m.

Registration will also be conducted at each polling place on the day of election. Voters registering to vote on Election Day must provide proof of residence by any one of the following ways:

Voters registering to vote on Election Day must provide proof of residence. Proof of residence can be established by providing:

- **A valid Minnesota driver’s license, learner’s permit or Minnesota ID card** showing current name and address in the precinct.
- **A receipt for a Minnesota driver’s license, learner’s permit or Minnesota ID card** showing current name and address in the precinct.
- **A Tribal ID** that was issued by the tribal government of a tribe recognized by the Bureau of Indian Affairs that contains the name, address, signature and picture of the individual.
- **A Voucher** – The oath of a voter registered in the precinct who can verify the registrant’s address is in the precinct. A voucher may vouch for no more than 8 persons.
- **Residential Facility Voucher** – An employee of a residential facility may vouch for an unlimited number of residents of that facility, if the employee is listed on a certified list or can demonstrate their employment at that facility.
- **Notice of Late Registration** – A letter mailed by Hennepin County Elections, showing name and address of voter in the precinct.
- **Previous Registration in the Same Precinct** – Voter’s former name or address listed in the Poll Book.
- **Minnesota Post-Secondary Student Photo ID** – For current students, if the school has provided a housing list to election officials. (*MN 201.061, subd. 3; Minn. R 8200.5100 & 5200*)

– OR –

Voters may register by a combination of one picture ID from Section 1 **AND** one document from Section 2 (See attached page).

Section 1

Approved Photo IDs must contain the voter's name and photo. It may contain the voter's old address, have no address or can be expired.

- Driver's license, state ID card or learner's permit issued by any state
- U.S. Military ID
- Tribal ID
- U.S. Passport
- Veteran's ID
- Minnesota university, college, or technical college ID card
- Minnesota high school ID card

Section 2

Document (paper or shown electronically) must have voter's current name and address in the precinct.

1. Residential Lease or Rental Agreement if valid thru Election Day
2. Current student fee statement
3. Bill, account or start of service statement due or dated within 30 days of the election for:
 - Phone (landline, cell, VOIP, etc.)
 - TV (cable, satellite, etc.)
 - Internet services
 - Solid waste or sewer services
 - Electric, gas or water
 - Banking or credit card
 - Rent or mortgage payments

14. **Canvassing the Vote** –

-General Election: November 12, 2019, at 7:00 p.m. in the Arlene Bush Board Room at the Educational Services Center.

**CITY OF BLOOMINGTON
POLLING LOCATIONS**

<u>PCT</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>ZIP CODE</u>
1	MN Valley National Wildlife Refuge Bldg.	3815 American Boulevard East	55425
2	Portland Avenue United Methodist Church	8000 Portland Avenue South	55420
3	Cedar Valley Church	8600 Bloomington Avenue	55425
4	Unity South Church	7950 1st Avenue South	55420
5	Southtown Baptist Church	2600 West 82nd Street	55431
6	Bloomington Lutheran Church	9350 Portland Avenue South	55420
7	Atonement Lutheran Church	601 East Old Shakopee Road	55420
8	Grace Covenant Church	10201 Nicollet Avenue South	55420
9	Nativity of Mary Catholic Church	9900 Lyndale Avenue South	55420
10	St. Luke's Lutheran Church	1701 West Old Shakopee Road	55431
11	Bloomington City Hall	1800 West Old Shakopee Road	55431
12	Crosspoint Church	9801 France Avenue South	55431
13	Bloomington Covenant Church	10150 Xerxes Avenue South	55431
14	Mt. Hope Lutheran Church	3601 West Old Shakopee Road	55431
15	MN Valley Unitarian Universalist Fellowship	10715 Zenith Avenue South	55431
16	Normandale Hylands United Methodist Church	9920 Normandale Boulevard South	55437
17	Hyland Hills Ski Area Chalet	8800 Chalet Road	55438
18	The Church of St. Edward's	9401 Nesbitt Avenue South	55437
19	St. Stephen Lutheran Church	8400 France Avenue South	55431
20	St. Mark's United Church of Christ	8630 Xerxes Avenue South	55431
21	Hyland Visitors Center	10145 Bush Lake Road	55438
22	St. Michael's Lutheran Church	9201 Normandale Boulevard	55437
23	Community of the Cross Lutheran Church	10701 Bloomington Ferry Road	55438
24	Community of the Cross Lutheran Church	10701 Bloomington Ferry Road	55438
25	Minnesota Masonic Heritage Center	11411 Masonic Home Drive	55437
26	Transfiguration Lutheran Church	11000 France Avenue South	55431
27	Bethany Church	6900 Auto Club Road	55438
28	Peace Lutheran Church	8600 East Bush Lake Road	55438
29	Christ the King Lutheran Church	8600 Fremont Avenue South	55420
30	Oak Grove Presbyterian Church	2200 West Old Shakopee Road	55431
31	St. Bonaventure Catholic Church - Social Hall	901 East 90th Street	55420
32	Oxboro Evangelical Free Church	9431 Nicollet Avenue South	55420