

PUBLIC NOTICE
HAUPPAUGE UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT
(HAUPPAUGE SCHOOLS)
NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTION
OF MEMBERS OF THE
BOARD OF EDUCATION
AND
NOTICE OF VOTE UPON THE
APPROPRIATION OF THE
NECESSARY FUNDS TO MEET
ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES
FOR THE ENSUING YEAR
(BUDGET VOTE)
AND
NOTICE OF VOTE TO
EXPEND FUNDS FROM A CAPITAL RESERVE FUND
AND
NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING
AND
HAUPPAUGE PUBLIC LIBRARY ANNUAL ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE BOARD
OF TRUSTEES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the annual election of members of the Board of Education, and the vote upon the appropriation of necessary funds to meet the estimated expenditures for the ensuing year, by the inhabitants of Hauppauge Union Free School District, Hauppauge, Suffolk County, New York, qualified to vote at school meetings in said District, as well as the annual election of members to the Hauppauge Public Library Board of Trustees will take place, on Tuesday, June 9, 2020, for voting by absentee ballot.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN, that a virtual Public Hearing on the Budget of the qualified voters of the Hauppauge Union Free School District will be held on June 2, 2020, at 8:00 o'clock p.m., for the transaction of such business as is authorized by the Education Law of the State of New York. Information as to how to join and participate in the virtual Public Hearing can be found on the District's website <https://www.hauppauge.k12.ny.us/>; and

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN, that a copy of the statement of the amount of money which will be required for the ensuing year for school purposes, together with the text of any resolution which will be presented to the voters, may be obtained by any resident of the District commencing May 26, 2020, on the District's website.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN, that a Real Property Tax Exemption Report prepared in accordance with Section 495 of the Real Property Tax Law will be annexed to any tentative/preliminary budget as well as the final adopted budget of which it will form a part; and shall be posted on District bulletin board(s) maintained for public notices, as well as on the District's website. Said exemption report will show how the total assessed value of the final assessment roll used in the budgetary process is exempt from taxation, list every type of exemption granted by statutory authority, and show the cumulative impact of each type of exemption, the cumulative amount expected to be received as payments in lieu of taxes (PILOT) and the cumulative impact of all exemptions granted.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN, that individuals interested in running for the office of member of the Board of Education or member of the Hauppauge Public Library Board of Trustees may declare themselves to be a candidate for the position provided that they

submit a statement that includes the candidate's name and residence, and identify the position they are running for (*i.e.*, School Board Trustee or Library Board Trustee) to the Clerk of the District by emailing her at DeGeorgeL@hauppauge.k12.ny.us not later than May 11, 2020 at 5:00 o'clock p.m.

There are two vacancies to be filled on the Board of Education, each vacancy for a three-year term commencing on July 1, 2020 and expiring on June 30, 2023.

Vacancies on the Board of Education are not considered separate offices. The two candidates who receive the highest number of votes cast shall be declared elected to the vacant seats.

There are two vacancies on the Hauppauge Public Library Board of Trustees: a five-year term commencing July 1, 2020 and expiring on June 30, 2025; and a one-year term commencing July 1, 2020 and expiring on June 30, 2021. These positions are considered separate offices, and the candidate must identify which one of the two positions they are running for.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that at the said annual election and vote, to be held as aforesaid on June 9, 2020, the following propositions will be submitted for the purpose of voting thereon by absentee ballot:

PROPOSITION No. 1

(BUDGET PROPOSITION)

SHALL the following resolution be adopted, to wit:

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of Hauppauge Union Free School District is hereby authorized to expend during

the school year 2020-2021 the sum set forth in the Budget Estimate for the school year 2020-2021, heretofore filed pursuant to law, and that the Board of Education be authorized to levy the necessary tax therefor.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that, pursuant to Section 2014 of the Education Law, personal registration of voters is required for said annual election and vote, and no person shall be entitled to vote at the annual election and vote to be held as aforesaid whose name does not appear on the register of said School District prepared as hereinafter set forth, except a person who is otherwise qualified to vote and is registered under the provisions of Article 5 of the Election Law.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Board of Registration will not meet for the purpose of registration. If you are not currently registered to vote, you can register with the Board of Elections by filing an online application with the Department of Motor Vehicles that will enable the District to transmit an absentee ballot to you for this election. The online DMV voter registration can be found at <https://dmv.ny.gov/more-info/electronic-voter-registration-application>

Military Voters who are not currently registered may apply to register as a qualified voter of the District by submitting a Military Voter Registration Application to the District Clerk, no later than 5:00 p.m. on May 14, 2020. A copy of the Military Voter Registration Application is available both at the Office of the District Clerk and online at the District's website located at <http://https://www.hauppauge.k12.ny.us/domain/733>. A Military Voter is entitled to designate a preference to receive a Military Voter Registration Application, Military Ballot Application or Military Ballot by mail, facsimile or electronic mail. Such

designation will remain in effect until revoked or changed by the voter. If no preference is designated, the District will transmit the Military Voter Registration Application, Military Ballot Application or Military Ballot by mail.

The register of the School District shall include all qualified persons who shall have presented themselves for registration in accordance with this Notice, and all persons who shall have been previously registered for and voted at any annual or special election of the School District held or conducted at any time during the last four calendar years and all persons who shall have registered during the annual election of May 21, 2019.

The register for this annual election and vote will be filed in the Office of the Clerk of the District.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN No absentee voter's ballot shall be canvassed unless it shall have been received in the office of the District Clerk no later than 5:00 o'clock p.m. on June 9, 2020.

Dated: Hauppauge, New York

April 2nd, 2020

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
OF HAUPPAUGE UNION FREE SCHOOL
DISTRICT OF THE TOWNS OF ISLIP,
AND SMITHTOWN, SUFFOLK COUNTY,
NEW YORK

By: Lori DeGeorge
School District Clerk