

**NOTICE OF ELECTION  
NOTICE OF ARGUMENT FILING DEADLINES  
Riverbank Unified School District  
Measure N**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the qualified electors of the **Riverbank Unified School District** (the "District") located in the County of Stanislaus, State of California, that in accordance with applicable law, an election will be held on Tuesday, March 5, 2024, within the District, at which election there will be submitted to the voters the question of whether general obligation bonds of the District shall be issued and sold in the principal amount not to exceed \$2,100,000 (the "Reauthorized Bonds") for the purposes described below.

Said measure will be referred to as "Measure N." The full text of the proposed measure is available at the Stanislaus County Elections Division, 1021 "I" Street, Suite 101, Modesto, California (209-525-5201). This measure will become effective only if approved by 55% of those voters voting on the measure.

The electors in the District shall vote on the following measure:

**"Measure N"**

"With funds that cannot be taken by the State, shall Riverbank Unified School District's measure to renovate classrooms; repair facilities including aging roofs, electrical and plumbing; and improve school and student safety be adopted, reauthorizing as new bonds \$2,100,000, previously approved by voters in 2008, with levies below 6 cents per \$100 of assessed valuation (generating \$770,000/year until repaid), legal rates, annual audits, taxpayer oversight, no increase in total approved debt and full disclosure of all spending?"

Bonds – Yes    Bonds – No

The bonds shall bear interest at an annual rate not exceeding the statutory maximum. The maturity of the bonds shall not exceed the maximum term allowed by law at the time of issuance (currently 25 years if issued under Education Code section 15140, or 40 years if issued under Government Code section 53508, so long as the bonds are not capital appreciation bonds ("CABs," which CABs are limited to 25 years)). Accordingly, as further set forth in the tax rate statement, the *ad valorem* tax will be levied at such rates and for so long as may be required to meet the debt service needs of the bonds proposed to be issued, including such bonds that may be issued to refund any approved bonds.

**ARGUMENTS** must be submitted in person to the county elections official at the office thereof at 1021 "I" Street, Suite 101, Modesto, California and may be filed by any member(s) of the board or legislative body, any registered voter or a bona fide association of citizens entitled to vote on the measure. Arguments must accompany the signature statement form signed by not more than 5 signers as required by Elections Code 9600. Only one argument for and one argument against will be selected and printed in the County Voter Information Guide. Filing deadlines are determined by the county elections official under the authority of Elections Code 9163, 9286, 9316 and 9502.

**ARGUMENTS FOR OR AGAINST** shall not exceed 300 words and must be filed no later than 5:00 p.m., Friday, November 17, 2023.

**REBUTTAL ARGUMENTS** shall not exceed 250 words and must be filed no later than 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 28, 2023.

**NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN** that pursuant to current California election laws, all actively registered voters shall receive a vote by mail ballot. Vote centers will begin opening 10 days prior to Election Day to provide in person voting services. Language and accessibility assistance will be available at all voting locations. Secure ballot drop boxes will be available 29 days prior to Election Day. Vote center and secure ballot box locations, dates and times will be listed in the county voter information guide and posted on [www.stanvote.com](http://www.stanvote.com). All vote centers and the county elections office will be open 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Election Day, Tuesday, March 5, 2024.

**NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN** that ballots from the March 5, 2024, Presidential Primary Election are to be tallied and the canvass of the vote will be conducted at the Stanislaus County Registrar of Voters Office (central counting place) at 1021 "I" Street, Suite 101, Modesto, California, commencing no later than 9:00 a.m. March 7, 2024. Canvass procedures are open to the public. For further information call the county elections official at 209-525-5201.

Dated: November 6, 2023

Donna Linder, County Clerk-Recorder & Registrar of Voters