

DATE: December 21, 2023

TO: Suburban Cities Mayors, City Managers, City Secretaries and Finance Directors

FROM: W. Kenneth Nolan, Executive Director/Chief Appraiser

RE: Runoff for 2023 Election of Suburban Cities Representative to DCAD Board of Directors

State law requires the Chief Appraiser to conduct an election of representatives to the Board of Directors in odd numbered years. The process outlined in the Texas Property Tax Code requires the election to be conducted and the individual entities notified of the results once the process is complete.

1. Suburban Cities Election

The election process requires a runoff. The following suburban cities participated in the election. Each of their selections is noted below.

The current tally indicates Michael Hurtt of Desoto received 11, Brett Franks of Sachse received 4, Terry Lynne of Farmers Branch received 3, Carrie Gordon received 2, Mark Jones of Desoto received 1, and Steve Nichols of Hutchins received 1 of the 22 votes cast. Since there was no one candidate receiving 16 votes (majority of the 30 votes eligible), a runoff election is necessary between the top two finishers: Michael Hurtt of Desoto and Brett Franks of Sachse.

<u>City</u>	Candidate Selected
1. Addison	Michael Hurtt
2. Balch Springs	Terry Lynne
3. Carrollton	Michael Hurtt
4. Cedar Hill	Abstain
5. Cockrell Hill	Abstain
6. Combine	Abstain
7. Coppell	Abstain
8. DeSoto	Mark Jones
9. Duncanville	Michael Hurtt
10. Farmers Branch	Terry Lynne
11. Ferris	Michael Hurtt
12. Garland	Abstain
13. Glenn Heights	Carrie Gordon
14. Grand Prairie	Abstain
15. Grapevine	Abstain
16. Highland Park	Brett Franks

17. Hutchins Steve Nichols 18. Irving Terry Lynne Michael Hurtt 19. Lancaster Abstain 20. Lewisville 21. Mesquite Michael Hurtt 22. Ovilla Michael Hurtt 23. Richardson Michael Hurtt 24. Rowlett Carrie Gordon 25. Sachse **Brett Franks** 26. Seagoville Michael Hurtt 27. Sunnyvale **Brett Franks** 28. University Park Michael Hurtt 29. Wilmer Michael Hurtt 30. Wylie **Brett Franks**

A runoff ballot is enclosed.

Please make plans on your council agenda during January to vote for a Suburban Cities Representative. The person who receives the most votes from the suburban cities in the runoff election is then declared the Fourth member of the DCAD Board of Directors. We appreciate your cooperation in this important process.

Enclosure Runoff Ballot

Cc w/o Encl:

DCAD Board of Directors

Michael Hurtt 217 South Hampton Rd Desoto, TX 75115

Brett Franks 4811 West Creek Ln. Sachse, TX 75048-4301