

DOROTHY KENNEDY
ELECTIONS ADMINISTRATOR
P O Box 10536
Lubbock, TX 79408-3536

November 19, 2010

Hon. Esperanza "Hope" Andrade
Secretary of State
State of Texas
Post Office Box 12060
Austin, TX 78711-2060

Re: Report on the Centralized Countywide Polling Place Program
Pursuant to Section 43.007 of the Texas Election Code

Dear Secretary Andrade:

I am extremely pleased to report favorably on Lubbock County's most recent implementation of the Centralized Countywide Polling Place Program as conducted on November 2, 2010, pursuant to Section 43.007 of the Texas Election Code. Based on input from our County's media relations consultant, we commonly refer to these polling places as "Vote Centers."

It should be noted that Lubbock County conducted this election jointly with the Lubbock Independent School District, City of Slaton, High Plains Water District #1, Lubbock County Water Improvement and Control District #1.

Because this was the fifth implementation of the Vote Center concept in Lubbock County, educational publicity was not as extensive as in prior elections. Voter feedback indicates that Lubbock County's voters have become accustomed to the Vote Centers, thus reducing the need for intensive voter education on the concept. The locations of the Vote Centers were nevertheless publicized for several weeks leading up to the election. Examples of the education and publicity efforts included:

- Radio, television and newspaper outlets publicized the plan and locations and interviewed members of the Elections Office staff.
- The County staffed a booth at the annual South Plains Fair held in September to register voters and provide information regarding Vote Center locations. Visitors to the South Plains Fair could also cast sample ballots on demonstration machines.
- Vote Center locations were listed in the local League of Women's Voter Guide.
- Vote Center locations were listed on the Lubbock County website.
- A letter was mailed to each non-suspense voter in Lubbock County with a list of Vote Center locations.
- Voters could send a text message with the ZIP code of the area of Lubbock County in which they wanted to vote and then receive a list of Vote Center locations within that area. We had 1,825 (which represents 10% of the voters who voted on election day) use this texting service.
- Each Vote Center location was identified by 14 foot tall banners, thus establishing a common icon easily visible to prospective voters from the adjacent streets.
- County staff manned a telephone bank, giving voters the locations of the Vote Centers. Additionally, the County implemented an Interactive Voice Response System in conjunction with the recent election.

Voters cast 18,148 ballots on Election Day at 38 Centralized Countywide Polling Places. While this is fewer than the 69 polling locations normally used on Election Day, voters had greater choice because they could vote at any of these 38 locations instead of being required to travel to a single precinct-based location. These Vote Centers were distributed evenly across Lubbock County. While a few of the polling places were located in public buildings, most polling places were located in privately-owned buildings open to the public, including churches, community centers, and retail establishments. Because Lubbock County is comprised of nine communities; those being the City of Lubbock, Shallowater, Idalou, New Deal, Wolfforth, Slaton, Ransom Canyon, the Village of Buffalo Springs Lake, and a portion of Abernathy, at least one polling place was located in each of these nine communities. Of the 38 Vote Center polling places, 11 of these polling places were on city bus routes, and six (6) of the polling places were actual bus stops.

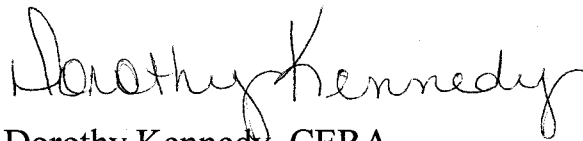
A key component of the Vote Center Program has been Lubbock County's real-time wireless voter registration look-up system. This system allows election workers to verify whether a voter is eligible to vote and then ensures that the voter

cannot cast multiple ballots in a single election. Under this system, which utilizes a dedicated *AT&T Wireless* connection to the County's database, voter information is highly encrypted, and ballot information is never transmitted over the system. Additionally, Lubbock County continues to utilize Votec's VoteSafe voter lookup system to accomplish this aforementioned task, and as in past elections utilizing the Vote Center concept, no problems were reported with the real-time voter lookup system during this recent election.

Likewise, no complaints or problems were reported from any of the polling places other than the normal and expected complaints inherent in any election. With regard to the Vote Centers themselves, no complaints of long lines, excessive wait times, voter confusion were received by the Elections Office. In short, everything worked according to plan, and Lubbock County voters appeared satisfied with their voting experience.

Therefore, Lubbock County is proud to have continued the Centralized Countywide Polling Place Program. My staff and I stand ready to provide you with any additional information which you might need. Additionally, we look forward to working with you to broaden the scope of Centralized Polling Places for every election.

Very truly yours,



Dorothy Kennedy, CERA
Lubbock County Elections Administrator

- cc: Hon. Thomas V. Head, Lubbock County Judge
Hon. Bill McCay, Lubbock County Commissioner
Hon. Mark Heinrich, Lubbock County Commissioner
Hon. Gilbert Flores, Lubbock County Commissioner
Hon. Patti Jones, Lubbock County Commissioner
Ms. Pamela K. Brink, Lubbock County Democratic Party Chairperson
Mr. Chris Winn, Lubbock County Republican Party Chairman

EXHIBIT A

VOTER TURNOUT
2000-2010

November Gubernatorial Election Turnout Percentages

Year	Total Turnout	Early Voting Turnout	EV Percentage	Election Day Turnout	ED Percentage
2002	56395	24470	43%	31925	57%
2006	53609	28933	54%	24676	46%
2010	54373	35419	65%	18954	35%

Vote Center Turnout History

11/19/2010

ID	Name	Address	Precinct	Nov-06	Nov-08	May-09	Nov-09	Nov-10
1	Arnett Elementary School	701 East Queens Street	2	235	228	82	102	155
2	Bacon Heights Baptist	5039 53rd Street	30	926	703	494	346	674
3	Broadview Baptist	1302 North Frankford Avenue	113	415	418		139	373
4	Byron Marin ATC	3201 Avenue Q	18	765	664	281	285	544
5	Calvary Baptist	5301 82nd Street	124					1356
6	Catholic Diocese	4620 4th Street	9	1027	880		321	616
7	Cavazos Middle School	210 North University Avenue	4	518	560	199	156	374
8	Celebration Christian	8001 Upland Avenue	104		275		193	431
9	Church on the Rock	10503 Slide Road	110		316		222	505
10	Elk's Lodge #1348	3409 Milwaukee Avenue	53	580	830	481	291	751
11	First Assembly of God	3801 98th Street	109		232			326
12	Green Lawn Church of Christ	5701 19th Street	53		804		304	758
13	Hodges Community Center	4011 University Avenue	25		204		98	208
14	Idalou Clubhouse	702 Walnut Street, Idalou	41	577	655	276	142	558
15	Indiana Avenue Baptist North	8315 Indiana Avenue	52		571		727	993
16	KOKO Palace	5301 Avenue Q	19				98	247
17	Lubbock-Cooper ISD Admin Office	16302 Loop 493, Woodrow	33	410	325	169	126	371
18	Lubbock-Cooper North Elementary	3202 108th Street	52	529	453	366	261	477
19	Lubbock-Cooper West Elementary	10101 Fulton Avenue	111		216	219	149	288
20	Mae Simmons Community Center	2004 Oak Street	20	123	119	49	31	119
21	New Deal ISD Admin Office	401 South Auburn, New Deal	44	291	310	112	91	218
22	Parkway Sommerville Center	405 North MLK Jr. Boulevard	6		112	17	11	40
23	Parsons Elementary	2811 58th Street	28		514	531		776
24	Patterson Library	1836 Parkway Drive	6		354	68	59	185
25	Ramirez Elementary	702 Avenue T	8			96		200
26	Roberts Elementary	7901 Avenue P	119		411	225	169	391
27	Roosevelt Clubhouse	1400 CR 3300	39	450	313	158	133	377

Vote Center Turnout History

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ID	Name	Address	Precinct	Nov-06	Nov-08	May-09	Nov-09	Nov-10
28	Roscoe Wilson Elementary	2807 25th Street	15		502	405	400	626
29	Shallowater Community Center	902 Avenue H, Shallowater	46	620	702	240	203	699
30	Slaton ISD Admin Office	140 East Panhandle Street, Slaton	38		501	260	171	481
31	South Plains Church of Christ	6802 Elkhart Avenue	128		290	273	3	404
32	St. Isidore Catholic	17813 North I-27, Abernathy	45					108
33	St. Joseph Catholic	102 North Avenue P	5		173			113
34	Stubbs Early Childhood Center	3516 Toledo Avenue	21					285
35	Sunset Church of Christ	3625 34th Street	22				165	471
36	Sutherland's Lumber	3701 50th Street	12		1272		822	1242
37	Texas Tech University Student Union	15th & Akron Avenue	50	1208	1351			819
38	Wolfforth Library	508 E. Hwy 62/82, Wolfforth	121					589

EXHIBIT B

Stakeholder Comments



November 9, 2010

To: Dorothy Kennedy, Lubbock County Director of Elections

From: Pam Brink, Lubbock County Democratic Chair

Re: Vote Centers, 2010 Lubbock County Election

The Lubbock County Democratic Party is pleased with the efficiency and effectiveness of the 38 Vote Centers available to the citizens of Lubbock County as polling places for the 2010 General Election.

The selection of Vote Centers was balanced in availability throughout the county.

According to Democratic Party Poll Watchers:

- * Election Judges and Clerks were helpful and unbiased in their assistance to the voters.
- * Technical problems were dealt with effectively.
- * Electioneering complications were dealt with smoothly in accordance with the election laws.

We were very gratified to receive an electronic running tally of the vote throughout the day.

The Lubbock County Office of Elections was available and responsive to any and all concerns arising throughout the day.

We are very satisfied with the running of the 2010 General Election in Lubbock County, Texas.

Pam Brink
Lubbock County Democratic Chair

November 5, 2010

Mrs. Dorothy Kennedy
Elections Administrator
Lubbock County Office of Elections
1308 Crickets Avenue
Lubbock, TX 79408

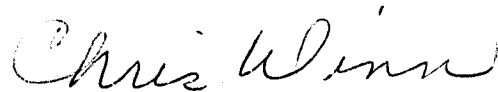
RE: 2010 Vote Center Advisory Committee

Dorothy:

Following are comments and recommendations as provided on behalf of constituents of the Lubbock County Republican Party with regard to Vote Center issues:

- I. Formulation of the Plan – The overall efforts on behalf of the Elections Office, Political Parties, and representatives of the various members of the committee were well thought out and adequate discussion and review of the plan was conducted.
- II. Comments or Complaints from Election Day regarding the Vote Center Program:
For the most part, speaking on behalf of the Republican Party, we received very few comments or complaints with regard to the location, staffing, or overall effectiveness of Vote Centers. This is likely largely due to the number voting in Early Voting which resulted in fewer voters trying to find where to vote on Election Day. The locations were in places accessible for most voters who had transportation to the polls and who waited until Election Day to vote. We did not receive significant complaints about the location of the voting places, but did receive calls and comments regarding registration issues.
- III. Suggestions for improving future Vote Center Programs:
The committee should continue the effort to communicate the locations of vote centers to all registered voters through direct mail to voters, media announcements, and notification to candidates, elected officials and political party members and officials.
- IV. Voting Locations Within Public Schools:
Discussions with School Board officials during the Primary Election tended to focus on concerns with regard to security of school children when voting is done in public schools. However, during the 2010 General Election, every school was designated as a Voting Center for at least one day during Early Voting. We believe the process of voting

within neighborhoods, at public school facilities, is fundamental to educating children about the process of electing representatives in government and about the inherent freedom Americans have to participate in the election process. By taking the process out of the neighborhood and out of public schools, we take educating children about the process out of the picture altogether. We advocate greater participation in the neighborhood school environment and less in businesses and churches, in order to bring the focus of voting and the privileges it represents closer to home.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Chris Winn".

Chris Winn, Chairman
Lubbock County Republican Party

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November 15, 2010

Dorothy Kennedy
Director of Elections
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RE: Vote Center Program

Dear Ms. Kennedy:

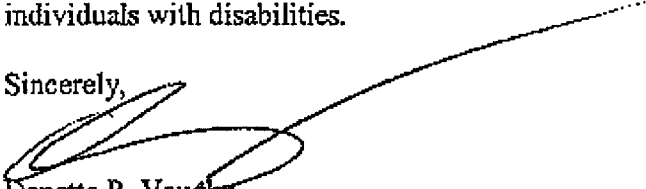
As a member of the vote Center Site Selection Advisory Committee, you have asked for input regarding the use of the Vote Centers.

The committee this year focused on trying to obtain a balance so that the centers were equally distributed throughout the voting area. We again discussed maintaining as many centers as possible on bus routes, and at bus stops when possible, to enable the centers to be as accessible as possible. This is particularly important to many members of the disability community who are unable to drive themselves to vote.

Again this year I had a very favorable response from individuals who are hearing impaired and use American Sign Language interpreters to assist them with communication. The availability of ASL interpreters at locations both during early voting and on election day, continue to make it easier for individuals who are Deaf to vote. We did a training on the voting equipment prior to election day and several attendees commented on how much easier it is to vote when they have an interpreter present to assist them with asking questions about the process. The ability to have interpreters available on election day would not be possible with the previous precinct voting system since there would not be enough interpreters in this area to have one at every polling location.

I would like to thank you and your staff for their continued efforts to make this process fully accessible to individuals with disabilities.

Sincerely,



Denette R. Vaughn
Managing Attorney
West Texas Region

Lubbock County Commissioners Court



November 15, 2010

From: Gilbert Flores
Sent: Wednesday, November 10, 2010 2:24 PM
To: Dorothy Kennedy
Subject: RE: DEADLINE this Friday!

The 2010 Vote Center Program in Lubbock County has been a total success; bring our community together for one common purpose giving our registered citizens an opportunity to cast their votes. I received very positive feedback from our voters and our elected officials on early vote and general election day locations. Our vote Center sites were very convenient. Thank you for your very hard work and making all this possible.

Gilbert A. Flores Lubbock County Commissioner, Precinct 3

Dorothy Kennedy

From: Bill McCay
Sent: Tuesday, November 09, 2010 6:35 PM
To: Dorothy Kennedy
Cc: Roxzine Stinson
Subject: 2010 Vote Centers

Dorothy,

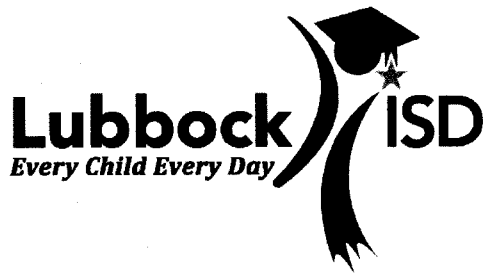
The 2010 Vote Center Formulation Plan Committee brought in members of our community with unique perspectives and a critical analysis of the Vote Center Program. A number of issues were identified and addressed in an open and professional manner, which helped move us along a productive path.

All of the hard work done by the Committee paid great dividends. I received very positive feedback from Lubbock County Voters, Election Judges and Workers during Early Voting as well as on Election Day. The most common response I got from voters: "Vote Centers are more convenient, I love it".

I am confident that continuing with a Vote Center Planning Committee prior to the next Election, will foster whatever changes or improvements are needed for this successful Program.

Sincerely,

Bill McCay
Lubbock County Commissioner, Precinct 1
806-775-1335



2010 Vote Center Plan

During the November 2, 2010 Election, eight Lubbock Independent School District campuses were utilized as voting centers. LISD also held a bond election on that day.

I've spoken to campus representatives at all eight locations and they all state things ran smoothly with no complaints from either voters, employees or the public in general. However, I have not spoken to the elections workers that were on site on Election Day. They would obviously be more aware of complaints or suggestions from voters more so than LISD employees.

Even with the use of a vacant campus, the communication between the school district and the elections office was such that no problems arose in delivery, set up or breakdown of the equipment. I don't necessarily suggest in the future we use a vacant campus however this was one of those extreme situations that could not be helped.

Dr. Berhl Robertson, Chief Administrative Officer
Art Martin, Assistant Superintendent for Financial Services
Sherri Dahl, General Ledger Account Specialist

November 12, 2010

Dorothy Kennedy, CERA
Elections Administrator
Lubbock County

Dear Dorothy,

I participated in the 2010 Vote Center Site Selection Advisory Committee, meeting in May for the November 2, 2010 election. The City of Slaton was considering a General Obligation Bond Election and would be contracting with Lubbock County to hold the election.

I felt that the process in selecting sites for the vote centers was handled well. There was input from all those concerned in the election. After some give and take, I feel the best locations were chosen giving the citizens of Lubbock County convenient locations for early voting and for Election Day.

Following the election, I was able to speak with several Slaton citizens that work in Lubbock and asked if they had voted in Lubbock. They all had voted in Lubbock and were very positive about not having to hurry back to Slaton to vote. We still had more people vote at the voting place in Slaton, but the ones who utilized the county vote centers were pleased.

My only complaint is that all the voting centers must be listed in the Election Notice printed in our Newspaper. This doubled the charge we had to pay if the voting place in Slaton had been the only one listed.

I feel that if we were able to educate our voters better, making sure that they understand that they can vote at any polling place in the County, more people would use the polling places not only the one in Slaton.

I have nothing but respect for the election staff and election workers participating in the November 2, 2010 election. Every aspect of our election was handled with the utmost professionalism and accuracy.

Thank you for a job well done.

Toni Chrestman
City Secretary
City of Slaton

Lubbock County Elections
Vote Center Plan
Media Relations

It was an honor to be a part of the 2010 Vote Center Site Selection Advisory Committee, and as a media coordinator for early voting and Nov. 2 Election Day.

Especially in this Election, it was pertinent for our local media to be involved in voter education for the general public. First, we had extremely long ballots that included multiple items, some including a special election, local bond issues and water district issues. Also, we needed media assistance in educating the public about the Vote Center process.

We worked diligently by meeting with each media outlet – print, radio and TV – in our voting area well in advance to arm them with information and answer any questions they may have moving forward into early voting. We are fortunate to have a tremendous working relationship with all our media outlets, and information was disseminated quickly and regularly.

For Election Day, we instituted a texting program, wherein people could text their zip code (no matter where they lived, worked or played) and were able to receive a response of all closest voting locations to them. This also was well-spread throughout television news, our local newspaper and radio broadcasts (specifically). We ultimately had 1,825 people utilize the texting program on Election Day; or approximately 10 percent of our total voting turnout for that day. I believe that's an excellent statistic.

During early voting, we sent a minimum of five updates daily to all news organizations of where early voting numbers stood; and at the close of each day – the Elections Office forwarded a copy of total voters, compared to the 2006 and 2002 Governor's races. The media MUCH appreciated this additional help.

On Election Night – in addition to the release of each report of Vote Center results as they came in – we prepared PDFs of the top races each media outlet was most interested in (because the ballot was so long) to send via email directly to each newsroom. (*See attached PDF of final voter count.*) This cut reporters' work load; and allowed them to post results in a more timely fashion. (*See media comments attached.*) This is a new "added benefit" we offered media this go-around; and the results were positive for even stronger media relations in the future.

From a public relations perspective, my suggestion is to maintain the Vote Center program in a more consistent manner. Our biggest difficulty has been confusion with the public by having to switch back and forth between precinct voting and Vote Center voting. But, thanks to great media relations – and a fantastic Elections Office team – the process has been as flawless as I could possibly imagine.

Kim Davis
Nomiss Communication
Media Relations * Public Relations

Early Election Day (38 of 38) Total Percentages

LISD BOND				
FOR	11,083	5,398	16,481	51.07%
AGAINST	11,212	4,576	15,788	48.93%
Total Votes			32269	100.00%

DISTRICT 84 SPECIAL				
CAROL MORGAN	4,600	2458	7058	31.82%
JOHN FRULLO	10,210	4913	15123	68.18%
Total Votes			22181	100.00%

DISTRICT 84				
JOHN FRULLO	10,498	4996	15494	68.25%
CAROL MORGAN	4,714	2494	7208	31.75%
Total Votes			22702	100.00%

COUNTY JUDGE				
TOM HEAD	25,887	12660	38,547	78.99%
NATHAN P. LUSK	2,332	1602	3,934	8.06%
JOHN E. MILLER	4,251	2068	6,319	12.95%
Total Votes			48800	100.00%

COUNTY SHERIFF				
KELLY S. ROWE	28,343	13763	42106	80.33%
JESSE PENA	6,526	3785	10311	19.67%
Total Votes			52417	100.00%

U S REPRESENTATIVE DIST 19				
RANDY NEUGEBAUER	26,484	13135	39619	74.93%
ANDY WILSON	7,386	3881	11267	21.31%
RICHARD "CHIP" PETERSON	1,255	737	1992	3.77%
Total Votes			52878	100.00%

GOVERNOR				
RICK PERRY	23,834	11639	35473	66.33%
BILL WHITE	10,359	5457	15816	29.57%
KATHIE GLASS	952	585	1537	2.87%
DEB SHAFTO	157	80	237	0.44%
ANDY BARRON (WRITE-IN)	264	155	419	0.78%
Total Votes			53482	100.00%

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR				
DAVID DEWHURST	27,116	13208	40324	75.41%
LINDA CHAVEZ-THOMPSON	7,242	3939	11181	20.91%
SCOTT JAMESON	949	613	1562	2.92%
HERB GONZALES, JR.	244	159	403	0.75%
Total Votes			53470	100.00%

ATTORNEY GENERAL				
GREG ABBOTT	27,989	13650	41639	78.06%
BARBARA ANN RADNOFSKY	6,697	3676	10373	19.45%
JON ROLAND	792	540	1332	2.50%
Total Votes			53344	100.00%

COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE				
TODD STAPLES	26,204	12812	39016	74.31%
HANK GILBERT	7,538	4008	11546	21.99%
RICK DONALDSON	1,225	716	1941	3.70%
Total Votes			52503	100.00%

RAILROAD COMMISSIONER				
DAVID PORTER	25,365	12409	37774	72.20%
JEFF WEEMS	7,910	4197	12107	23.14%
ROGER GARY	1,126	619	1745	3.34%
ART BROWNING	434	262	696	1.33%
Total Votes			52322	100.00%

CITY OF SLATON				
BOND PROPOSITION #1				
FOR	400	266	666	81.32%
AGAINST	88	65	153	18.68%
Total Votes			819	100.00%

CITY OF SLATON				
BOND PROPOSITION #2				
FOR	396	244	640	78.91%
AGAINST	89	82	171	21.09%
Total Votes			811	100.00%

CITY OF SLATON				
BOND PROPOSITION #3				
FOR	276	196	472	58.85%
AGAINST	200	130	330	41.15%
Total Votes			802	100.00%

CITY OF SLATON				
BOND PROPOSITION #4				
FOR	321	221	542	67.50%
AGAINST	152	109	261	32.50%
Total Votes			803	100.00%

CITY OF SLATON				
BOND PROPOSITION #5				
FOR	285	206	491	60.54%
AGAINST	193	127	320	39.46%
Total Votes			811	100.00%

CITY OF SLATON				
BOND PROPOSITION #6				
FOR	243	188	431	53.41%
AGAINST	234	142	376	46.59%
Total Votes			807	100.00%

High Plains Underground Water Conservation District #1				
George Sell	5,881	2186	8067	26.89%
Lloyd Arthur	1,944	899	2843	9.48%
James Powell	6,222	3342	9564	31.88%
Jeanette Nathan	3,916	1950	5866	19.55%
Chester "Ches" Carthel	2,357	1304	3661	12.20%
Total Votes			30001	100.00%

Lubbock County Water Control and Improvement District #1				
Precinct #4				
Paul Hodges	2,014	1074	3088	47.85%
Michael Shobe	473	229	702	10.88%
Jenese Lisenbee	417	218	635	9.84%
Maria Antonette Bergia	583	380	963	14.92%
Phillip Byrd	704	361	1065	16.50%
Total Votes			6453	100.00%

Lubbock County Water Control and Improvement District #1				
Precinct #1				
Greg Lewis	2,718	973	3691	29.85%
Dane Church	1,167	578	1745	14.11%
Royce Lewis, III	1,397	404	1801	14.56%
Kay Young	2,480	964	3444	27.85%
Scott Stephenson	1,200	485	1685	13.63%
Total Votes			12366	100.00%

**Media Comments
Elections Early Voting Reports
And Election Night Media Relations**

Thank you for everything you did on election night. I know it was a stressful evening; however, everything went so smoothly here! It was one of our most organized election nights in the newsroom! You are such a great help to us!

If there is anything you need from me/us here at the station, just let me know!!!

Thanks again!

Amber Stegall | New Media Content Manager | KCBD, NewsChannel 11 | Lubbock, TX
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You always do a great job. Your professionalism always shines through. Thanks for putting in some long hours on that long night!!

Melinda

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----- Original Message -----

From: Myatt, Dean

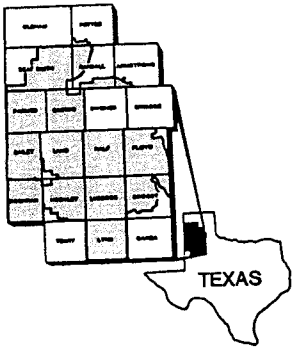
To: Kim Davis

Sent: Wednesday, November 10, 2010 2:44 PM

Subject: RE: Final voting reports to include mail-in/provisional voters

Thanks Kim! You've been great all election season. As usual.

Dean Myatt
Assignments Director
KCBD NewsChannel 11



HIGH PLAINS UNDERGROUND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT NO. 1

November 9, 2010

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Dorothy Kennedy, CERA
Elections Administrator
Lubbock County
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Dear Ms. Kennedy:

I represented the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District at a June 22 public hearing concerning the City of Lubbock/Lubbock County vote centers for the Nov. 2, 2010 general election.

The High Plains Water District had no objections to the 38 vote centers recommended by the Vote Center Site Selection Advisory Committee at the public hearing.

To date, no comments or complaints have been received by the Water District regarding the vote center program.

This was the first Water District general election held using the vote center program and it worked well for us.

Please feel free to contact our office if you have questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

Mr. Carmon E. McCain
Information/Education Group Supervisor

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Dorothy Kennedy

From: Becky Garza [BGarza@mail.ci.lubbock.tx.us]
Sent: Thursday, November 11, 2010 11:59 AM
To: Dorothy Kennedy
Subject: 2010 Vote Center Site Selection Advisory Committee
Attachments: 2010-R0275.PDF; Becky Garza.vcf

Dear Dorothy,

Re: 2010 Vote Center Site Selection Advisory Committee

Though the City of Lubbock did not participate as part of the 2010 Vote Center Site Selection Advisory Committee, Lubbock County Elections Office provided us the opportunity to offer input on the vote center sites. We were satisfied with the locations selected.

My office has not heard of any complaints associated with the November 2, 2010 elections. We are in support of Lubbock County using countywide polling places. The Lubbock City Council passed a resolution (Resolution No. 2010-R0275) on June 10, 2010 in support of Lubbock County's application to participate in the Secretary of State's program to establish countywide polling places in lieu of individual precinct polling places (see attached scanned copy of resolution).

We appreciate the open communication with Lubbock County Elections Office, and want the opportunity to remain involved in the site selection process for future elections involving the City of Lubbock.

Regards,
Becky

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CITY OF IDALOU

November 11, 2010

To Whom It May Concern:

This is in regards to the Formulation of the 2010 Vote Center plan. The 2010 Vote Center plan was a thorough process that included everyone that needed to be involved. The group that was involved raised valid questions and concerns of the Vote Center plan. All items were addressed and worked through.

I have no complaints regarding the Vote Center Program on Election Day.

I have no suggestions for Improving future Vote Center Programs.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Renee Wilbanks". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above a horizontal dotted line.

Renee Wilbanks

City Secretary

City of Idalou

EXHIBIT C

Notices to Voters

ELECTION DAY NOV. 2ND



LUBBOCK COUNTY VOTE CENTER LOCATIONS

(Centros de Votación del Condado de Lubbock)

On Tuesday, November 2nd, registered voters will be able to cast their election day ballots at any of these Vote Centers from 7:00 A.M. – 7:00 P.M.

(Votantes registrados podrán emitir su voto en cualquier de los Centros de Votación de las 7:00 A.M. – 7:00 P.M. el Martes, día 2 de Noviembre)

*Denotes American Sign Language Interpreters available

*Intérpretes de American Sign Language disponibles

Arnett Elementary School--701 E Queens St
(Escuela Primaria Arnett--701 Calle Queens al Este)

Bacon Heights Baptist Church--5039 53rd St
(Iglesia Bautista Bacon Heights--5039 Calle 53)

Broadview Baptist Church--1302 N Frankford Ave
(Iglesia Bautista Broadview--1302 Avenida Frankford al Norte)

Byron Martin ATC--3201 Avenue Q*
(Byron Martin ATC--3201 Avenida Q)

Calvary Baptist Church--5301 82nd St*
(Iglesia Bautista Calvario--5301 Calle 82)

Catholic Diocese of Lubbock--4620 4th St
(Diócesis Católica de Lubbock--4620 Calle 4)

Cavazos Middle School--210 N University Ave
(Escuela Secundaria Menor Cavazos--210 Avenida Universidad al Norte)

Celebration Christian Center--8001 Upland Ave
(Celebration Christian Center --8001 Avenida Upland)

Church on the Rock--10503 Slide Rd
(Church on the Rock--10503 Calle Slide)

Elks Lodge No. 1348--3409 Milwaukee Ave
(Elks Lodge No. 1348--3409 Avenida Milwaukee)

First Assembly of God Church--3801 98th St
(Iglesia Primera Asamblea de Dios--3801 Calle 98)

Green Lawn Church of Christ--5701 19th St
(Iglesia de Cristo Green Lawn--5701 Calle 19)

Hodges Community Center--4011 University Ave
(Centro Social Hodges--4011 Avenida Universidad)

Idalou Clubhouse--702 Walnut St, Idalou
(Centro Social de Idalou--702 Calle Walnut, Idalou)

Indiana Avenue Baptist Church, North Campus--8315 Indiana Ave
(Iglesia Bautista Avenida Indiana, Campus Norte--8315 Avenida Indiana)

Koko Palace--5101 Avenue Q
(Koko Palace--5101 Avenida Q)

Lubbock-Cooper ISD Administration Office--16302 Loop 493
(Oficinas Administrativas de Distrito Escolar Independiente de Lubbock-Cooper --16302 Loop 493)

Lubbock-Cooper North Elementary School--3202 108th St
(Escuela Primaria Lubbock-Cooper North--3202 Calle 108)

Lubbock-Cooper West Elementary School--10101 Fulton Ave
(Escuela Primaria Lubbock-Cooper West--10101 Avenida Fulton)

Mae Simmons Community Center--2004 Oak Avenue
(Central Social Mae Simmons--2004 Avenida Oak)

New Deal ISD Administration Office--401 S Auburn St, New Deal
(Oficinas Administrativas de Distrito Escolar Independiente de New Deal--401 Calle Auburn al Sur, New Deal)

Parkway Sommerville Center--405 N Martin Luther King Jr Blvd
(Centro Parkway Sommerville--405 Calle Martin Luther King Jr al Norte)

Parsons Elementary School--2811 58th St
(Escuela Primaria Parsons--2811 Calle 58)

Patterson Library--1836 Parkway Dr
(Biblioteca Patterson--1836 Calle Parkway)

Ramirez Charter School--702 Avenue T
(Escuela Primaria Ramirez--702 Avenida T)

Roberts Elementary School--7901 Avenue P
(Escuela Primaria Roberts--7901 Avenida P)

Roosevelt Clubhouse--1400 CR 3300
(Centro Social de Roosevelt--1400 CR 3300)

Roscoe Wilson Elementary School--2807 25th St
(Escuela Primaria Roscoe Wilson--2807 Calle 25)

Shallowater Community Center--902 Avenue H, Shallowater
(Centro Social de Shallowater--902 Avenida H, Shallowater)

Slaton ISD Administration Office--140 E Panhandle, Slaton
(Oficinas Administrativas de Distrito Escolar Independiente de Slaton--140 Calle Panhandle al Este, Slaton)

South Plains Church of Christ--6802 Elkhart Ave
(Iglesia de Cristo South Plains--6802 Avenida Elkhart)

St Isidore Catholic Church--17813 N 1-27, Abernathy
(Iglesia Católica San Isidore--17813 1-27 al Norte, Abernathy)

St Joseph Catholic Church--102 N Avenue P
(Iglesia Católica San José--102 Avenida P al Norte)

Stubbs Early Childhood Center--3516 Toledo Ave
(Centro para Niños Stubbs--3516 Avenida Toledo)

Sunset Church of Christ--3625 34th St
(Iglesia de Cristo Sunset--3625 Calle 34)

Sutherlands Lumber--3701 50th St
(Sutherlands Lumber--3701 Calle 50)

Texas Tech University Student Union Building--15th & Akron, TTU Campus
(Edificio de la Unión de Estudiantes de Texas Tech--Calles 15 y Avenida Akron, Campus de TTU)

Wolfforth Library--508 E Hwy 62/82, Wolfforth
(Biblioteca de Wolfforth--508 E Hwy 62/82, Wolfforth)



VOTE



ELECTION DAY NOV. 2ND



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**VOTE WHEREVER
YOU WORK, LIVE OR PLAY,
AT VOTE CENTERS AROUND YOU!**

VOTE DONDEquiera USTED TRABAJA