

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

**WEST SAYVILLE-OAKDALE FIRE DISTRICT, IN THE
TOWN OF ISLIP,
SUFFOLK COUNTY, NEW YORK
TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2020**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to the bond resolutions duly adopted by the Board of Fire Commissioners of the West Sayville-Oakdale Fire District, in the Town of Islip, Suffolk County, New York, (hereinafter called the "Fire District") on September 8, 2020, a Special Election of the qualified voters of the Fire District shall be held on Tuesday, October 27, 2020 to vote for the approval or disapproval of the Propositions hereinafter set forth.

The voting shall commence at 6:00pm (Prevailing Time) at the polling places within the respective election districts hereinafter described, and the polls shall remain open until 9:00pm (Prevailing Time) or as much longer as may be necessary to enable the voters then present to cast their votes.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the resolution adopted by the Board of Fire Commissioners on November 9, 1966, the Fire District has been divided into two (2) election districts, the description of each election district and the designated polling place in each election district, being as follows:

All of said District lying west of a line running along the center of Locust Avenue, Oakdale, NY and an imaginary projection thereof extending in a southerly direction to the Great South Bay, with the polling place located in Station 1 (Oakdale station), 1201 Montauk Highway, Oakdale, NY; and

All of said District lying east of said line and the imaginary projection thereof, with the polling place located in the Headquarters station, 80 Main Street, West Sayville, NY.

Qualified electors shall vote only at the polling place in their respective election district.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the resolution adopted by the Board of Fire Commissioners of the Fire District on September 8, 2020, the following Proposition will be submitted to the qualified voters of the Fire District for approval or disapproval:

PROPOSITION

Shall each of the following entitled Bond Resolutions adopted by the Board of Fire Commissioners of the West Sayville-Oakdale Fire District, in the Town of Islip, Suffolk County, New York, on September 8, 2020, be approved:

(a) BOND RESOLUTION OF THE WEST SAYVILLE-OAKDALE FIRE DISTRICT (“FIRE DISTRICT”), IN THE TOWN OF ISLIP, SUFFOLK COUNTY, NEW YORK, ADOPTED SEPTEMBER 8, 2020, AUTHORIZING THE CONSTRUCTION OF VARIOUS IMPROVEMENTS TO EXISTING FIRE DISTRICT FACILITIES AND SITES (“PROJECT”); STATING THE ESTIMATED MAXIMUM COST THEREOF IS \$1,600,000, INCLUDING PRELIMINARY COSTS AND COSTS INCIDENTAL THERETO AND TO THE FINANCING THEREOF; APPROPRIATING SAID AMOUNT THEREFOR; AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SERIAL BONDS IN THE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF NOT TO EXCEED \$1,600,000, TO FINANCE SAID APPROPRIATION; AND PROVIDING FOR THE LEVY AND COLLECTION OF TAXES TO PAY THE PRINCIPAL OF SAID BONDS AND THE INTEREST THEREON AS THE SAME BECOME DUE AND PAYABLE.

and

(b) BOND RESOLUTION OF THE WEST SAYVILLE-OAKDALE FIRE DISTRICT (“FIRE DISTRICT”), IN THE TOWN OF ISLIP, SUFFOLK COUNTY, NEW YORK, ADOPTED SEPTEMBER 8, 2020, AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF A LADDER TRUCK, INCLUDING APPARATUS AND EQUIPMENT USED IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, FOR USE BY THE FIRE DISTRICT; STATING THE ESTIMATED MAXIMUM COST THEREOF IS \$1,600,000, INCLUDING PRELIMINARY COSTS AND COSTS INCIDENTAL THERETO AND TO THE FINANCING THEREOF; APPROPRIATING SAID AMOUNT THEREFOR; AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF SERIAL BONDS IN THE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF NOT TO EXCEED \$1,600,000 TO FINANCE SAID APPROPRIATION; AND PROVIDING FOR THE LEVY AND COLLECTION OF TAXES TO PAY THE PRINCIPAL OF SAID BONDS AND THE INTEREST THEREON AS THE SAME BECOME DUE AND PAYABLE.

The foregoing Proposition shall appear on the paper ballot to be used for voting in substantially the following form:

PROPOSITION

YES

NO

Shall the bond resolutions of West Sayville-Oakdale Fire District, adopted by the Board of Fire Commissioners on September 8, 2020, authorizing the (i) construction of various improvements to existing Fire District facilities and sites, including but not limited to building system enhancements and roof replacements, at the estimated maximum cost of \$1,600,000 and (ii) purchase of a ladder truck, including apparatus and equipment used in connection therewith, for use by the Fire District, at the estimated maximum cost of \$1,600,000; stating the estimated

total cost thereof is \$3,200,000, including preliminary costs and costs incidental thereto and to the financing thereof; appropriating said amount therefor; authorizing the issuance of serial bonds in the principal amount of not to exceed \$3,200,000, to finance said appropriation; and providing for the levy and collection of taxes to pay the principal of said bonds and the interest thereon as the same become due and payable, be approved?

All residents of the Fire District who were duly registered to vote with the Suffolk County Board of Elections on or before Monday, October 5, 2020, shall be eligible to vote at said Special Election.

NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN that absentee ballots shall be made available in accordance with Executive Order 202.58 of the Governor of the State of New York. Applications for such absentee ballots may be applied for in person at the office of the District Secretary, located at 80 Main Street, West Sayville, New York 11796, by telephone by calling 631-525-2967 or by email at MMcManus@wsfd.com. The absentee ballot application must be received by the District Secretary at least seven days before the date of the aforesaid Special Election, if the absentee ballot is to be mailed to the voter, or the day before such Special Election, if the absentee ballot is to be delivered personally to the voter or his or her agent. A list of all persons to whom absentee voters' ballots shall have been issued will be available in the said office of the District Secretary between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. (Prevailing Time) Monday through Friday up to and including the day set for the Special Election, and such list will also be available for inspection at the polling place at the Special Election. Absentee ballots must be received in the office of the Fire District Secretary not later than 5:00 P.M. on the day of the election, provided, that absentee ballots sent by way of the United States Postal Service and received by the Fire District Secretary no later than seven days following the day of the election shall be deemed to be timely delivered. The Fire District Secretary shall transmit all absentee ballots received by him or her in accordance to the Chairperson and Election Inspectors.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS
DATED: September 8, 2020
MELISSA MCMANUS
FIRE DISTRICT SECRETARY