## NOTICE OF ELECTION NOTICE OF ARGUMENT FILING DEADLINES Waterford Unified School District Bond Measure J

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the qualified electors of the **Waterford 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, November 8, 2022, in 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 of \$5,570,000 for the purposes described in the ballot measure.

Said measure will be referred to as "Measure J." The full text of the proposed measure is available at the Stanislaus County Elections Division, 1021 "I" Street, Suite 101, Modesto, California (209-525-5200). 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 on Tuesday, November 8, 2022:

## "Measure J"

To improve local schools with funds that cannot be taken by the State and spent elsewhere, shall Waterford Unified School District's measure to expand vocational education sites; renovate classrooms including math, science and engineering labs; update emergency preparedness and improve handicapped access be adopted, authorizing \$5.57 million of bonds with legal interest rates, projected levies averaging below 3¢/\$100 of assessed valuation (averaging \$370,000/ year for 26 years), annual audits, citizen oversight and no increase in tax rates? Bonds – Yes Bonds – No

**ARGUMENTS FOR OR AGAINST** this measure may be submitted to the county elections official at the office thereof at 1021 "I" Street, Suite 101, Modesto, California, not later than 5:00 p.m., Thursday, July 28, 2022, determined by the county elections official under the authority of Section 9502 of the Elections Code. No argument shall exceed 300 words in length and the statement required in Section 9600 of the Elections Code must accompany all arguments.

**REBUTTAL ARGUMENTS** may be submitted to the county elections official on or before Friday, August 5, 2022, at 5:00 p.m. and must not exceed 250 words in length and must also be accompanied by the statement required in Section 9600 of the Elections Code.

**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. All vote centers and the county elections office will be open 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Election Day, Tuesday, November 8, 2022.

**NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN** that ballots from the November 8, 2022, General 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. November 10, 2022. Canvass procedures are open to the public. For further information call the county elections official at 209-525-5201.

Dated: July 20, 2022

Donna Linder, County Clerk-Recorder & Registrar of Voters