

ORDER, CALL AND NOTICE OF SPECIAL BOND ELECTION

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF HIGHLANDS FIRE DISTRICT OF COCONINO COUNTY, ARIZONA (THE “DISTRICT”):

A special bond election will be held on November 7, 2023 (the “Election”). The purpose of the special bond election is to permit the qualified electors of the District to vote on the question included in the following form of the Official Ballot.

SAMPLE BALLOT

Shall the District Board of Highlands Fire District of Coconino County, Arizona, be authorized to sell and issue general obligation bonds of Highlands Fire District of Coconino County, Arizona, in the aggregate principal amount of not to exceed \$3,500,000, to provide funds to acquire apparatus, vehicles and equipment, to repair or replace District infrastructure, to liquidate indebtedness with respect to the foregoing, and to pay all necessary costs in connection therewith; said general obligation bonds to bear interest at a rate not to exceed 10% per annum and to mature over a period of not to exceed 20 years from the date of their issuance and may be sold at prices that include premiums not greater than permitted by law?

FOR THE BONDS

AGAINST THE BONDS

The aggregate principal amount of the bonds to be authorized at the Election shall be \$3,500,000; the maximum rate of interest to be paid thereon shall be not more than 10% per annum; the minimum and maximum number of years bonds of any issue or series authorized at the Election may run from their date shall be 1 year and 20 years, respectively; the District currently has no general obligation debt outstanding and the statutory debt limit of the District is \$6,779,562, being 6% of the net limited assessed property value of the taxable property in the District (which debt limit is based on a value provided by the assessor of Coconino County, Arizona for 2022/2023).

See the next page for general voting information provided by Coconino County, Arizona, which includes the date and hours of the Election. The Election will be a ballot-by-mail election. No polling place will be provided. A resident of the State of Arizona is qualified to register to vote if such person is a citizen of the United States, will be eighteen years of age or more on or before the date of the next regular general election, has not been convicted of treason or a felony, unless restored to civil rights, and has not been adjudicated an incapacitated person. See Title 16, Arizona Revised Statutes for additional information regarding voter registration and qualifications of electors.

HIGHLANDS FIRE DISTRICT OF COCONINO COUNTY,
ARIZONA

By /s/ Tom Hanecak

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Chairman, District Board, Highlands Fire
District of Coconino County, Arizona

ATTEST:

/s/ Brad Bippus

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Clerk, District Board, Highlands Fire
District of Coconino County, Arizona

IMPORTANT VOTING INFORMATION

November 7, 2023 Election

Last Day to Register to Vote	October 10, 2023
Ballots Mailed and Early Voting Begins	October 11, 2023
Last Day to Request a Replacement Ballot to be Mailed	October 27, 2023
Last Day to Request a Replacement Ballot In Person	November 7, 2023 at 7:00 pm

RECEIVING YOUR BALLOT

This is a Ballot-by-Mail Election. All registered voters in the Highlands Fire District will automatically receive a ballot in the mail approximately three weeks prior to the election.

Requesting a Replacement Ballot: If you lost, spoiled, or never received your ballot, you may request a replacement ballot by calling the Recorder's Office at (928) 679-7860 or toll-free (800) 793-6181, or by visiting one of the replacement ballot sites listed below.

Replacement Ballot Sites:

Coconino County Voter Services Flagstaff Mall (between JCPenney and Planet Fitness) 4650 N. US Highway 89, Flagstaff Monday - Friday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm	Coconino County Recorder's Office 110 E. Cherry Ave, Flagstaff Monday - Friday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm
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Highlands Fire Station
3350 Old Munds Hwy, Flagstaff
(Election Day only)

Replacement Ballot Sites are open until 7:00 pm on Election Day, November 7, 2023.

RETURNING YOUR BALLOT

You may return your voted ballot by mail using the postage-paid envelope included with the ballot or drop it off at one of the Ballot Drop Box locations listed below. Your ballot must be received by the Recorder's Office no later than 7:00 pm on Election Day, November 7, 2023. Postmarks do not apply when considering this deadline.

Ballot Drop Box Locations:

Highlands Fire Station 3350 Old Munds Hwy, Flagstaff	Coconino County Recorder's Office 110 E. Cherry Ave, Flagstaff
Coconino County Health and Human Services 2625 N King St, Flagstaff	Coconino County Community Development 2500 N Fort Valley Rd, Flagstaff
Coconino County Treasurer Drive-thru Services 2304 N 3 rd St, Flagstaff	NAU Bookstore S Beaver St, NAU Campus, Flagstaff
Flagstaff Fire Station #6 3877 S Lake Mary Rd, Flagstaff	

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:

Coconino County Recorder's Office
Telephone: (928) 679-7860
Toll Free: (800) 793-6181
Website: www.coconino.az.gov/elections