



BOARD OF ELECTIONS
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PUBLIC NOTICE TO VOTERS IN THE BOROUGH OF STANHOPE

A Special School Election will be held on December 13, 2022 for the voters in the Borough of Stanhope. Polls will be open between the hours of 6:00 am and 8:00 pm. Voters in this municipality will be voting upon the following proposed school facilities project:

BOND PROPOSAL QUESTION

The Board of Education of the Borough of Stanhope in the County of Sussex, New Jersey is authorized (a) to undertake various improvements, alterations, renovations, repairs, and upgrades at Valley Road School, including related work, fixtures, furniture, equipment and any site work; and (b) to appropriate \$5,985,000, and to issue bonds in an amount not to exceed \$5,985,000.

The final eligible costs for the projects approved by the New Jersey Commissioner of Education are \$5,985,000. The project includes \$0 for school facility construction elements in addition to the facilities efficiency standards developed by the Commissioner of Education or not otherwise eligible for State support pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:7G-5(g). The State debt service aid percentage will equal 40% of the annual debt service due with respect to the final eligible costs of the projects financed with bonds. The Board of Education is authorized to transfer funds among the projects approved at this election

Do you approve Bond Proposal Question?

POLLING LOCATIONS

Your Sample Ballot will be delivered shortly before the election for your voting district and polling location. The Board of Elections will make available the ballot drop boxes at the Hopatcong Municipal Building and the Byram Municipal Building for any participant who wishes to return a vote-by-mail ballot in this manner.

Any voter wishing more information about their polling location may contact the Sussex County Board of Elections at 973-579-0950 between the hours of 8:00 am and 4:00 pm or may visit the New Jersey Division of Elections website, www.njelections.org.

STANHOPE BORO - Districts 1-3: American Legion Post #278, 119 State Route 183, Stanhope, NJ 07874



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VOTING REQUIREMENTS

THE DEADLINE TO REGISTER TO VOTE FOR THIS SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION IS NOVEMBER 22, 2022. In order to vote in this election, residents in the Borough of Stanhope must be a citizen of the United States, a resident of the state of New Jersey and Sussex County for thirty days, and shall have attained the age of 18 years by Election Day, December 13, 2022. Before being permitted to vote, the person must be a registered voter for at least 21 days prior to the election, or by November 22, 2022.

REGISTRATION OF VOTERS

Registration of voters will be conducted at the office of the Sussex County Board of Elections, 83 Spring Street, Suite 305, Newton, New Jersey, weekdays between the hours of 8:00 am and 4:00 pm, and until 9:00 pm on November 22, 2022, or at the office of the Municipal Clerk in the Borough of Stanhope during regular business hours. Registration forms are also available at the Division of Social Services, Motor Vehicle Commission, and Division of Developmental Disabilities.

REGISTRATION BY MAIL

Anyone wanting to register by mail may do so by requesting forms from the Sussex County Board of Elections, telephone 973-579-0950, or by downloading the form at www.sussex.nj.us.

WHO MUST REGISTER

You must register to vote in this election if:

1. You have never been registered before; or
2. You have moved into the Borough of Stanhope from another town or state; or
3. You have changed your name due to marriage, divorce, etc.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Any voter who is registered to vote in the Borough of Stanhope and moved to another address within the same municipality should transfer his/her registration to the new address by November 22, 2022 to ensure that they will be able to vote in the proper election district without being required to take additional steps. This is accomplished by notifying the Board of Elections in writing. Such notice must be signed by the voter and must include the voter's prior address, the name of the road on which the voter now resides and corrected mailing address (if different from the residence address). Change of Residence forms are available by calling 973-579-0950 or by downloading them at www.sussex.nj.us. Otherwise, the voter may correct their address and vote in the special school election by provisional ballot at the polling place of the district in which the voter resides on the day of the election.

VOTER'S BILL OF RIGHTS

A Voter's Bill of Rights, which includes instructions for the use of the voting machine and alternative ballots, and instructions on how to contact the appropriate officials if your right to vote has been

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challenged or violated will be posted at each polling location and may be obtained by calling the Board of Elections or may be viewed by logging onto www.njelections.org.

ASSISTANCE FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

Persons unable to vote at the polling place due to a physical disability may request a vote-by-mail application by telephoning the County Clerk at 973-579-0900. The office of the Board of Elections may be contacted for information regarding polling place assignments and assistance to disabled voters who choose to vote at the polling place on Election Day. The telephone number is 973-579-0950.

THIS CONSTITUTES OFFICIAL NOTICE BY THE SUSSEX COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS