



Legislation Text

File #: 21-4915, **Version:** 1

Department: Commissioner, Precinct 1

Department Head/Elected Official: Commissioner Rodney Ellis

Regular or Supplemental RCA:

- ☒ Regular RCA
☐ Supplemental RCA

Type of Request: Policy

Project ID (if applicable): N/A

Vendor/Entity Legal Name (if applicable): N/A

MWDBE Participation (if applicable): N/A

Request Summary (Agenda Caption):

Request for approval to appoint nominees as Presiding or Alternate Election Judges for a one-year term ending July 31, 2022.

Background and Discussion:

Presiding and Alternate judges are approved for one year terms per the State of Texas Election Code. Political parties and the Office of the Elections Administrator provide nominees and County Commissioners have authority to approve or remove.

Expected Impact:

The Office of Elections has already received approval to pay Presiding Judges through its General Fund budget allocation for FY22. The Commissioner for each Precinct must approve nominees.

Alternative Options: N/A

Alignment with Goal(s):

- ☐ Justice and Safety
- ☐ Economic Opportunity
- ☐ Housing
- ☐ Public Health

- ☐ Transportation
- ☐ Flooding

☐ Environment☒ Governance and Customer Service **Prior Court Action (if any):**

Presiding Judge nominees for Precinct 1 were also approved on the August 10, 2021 Court.

Location:

Address (if applicable list below):

☐ Countywide☒ Precinct 1☐ Precinct 2☐ Precinct 3☐ Precinct 4 **Fiscal and Personnel Summary**

Service Name	-NA	FY 21-22	Estimates	
			FY 22	Next 3 FYs
Incremental Expenditures				
Labor Expenditures		-	-	-
Non-Labor Expenditures		-	-	-
Total Incremental Expenditures		-	-	-
Funding Sources (General Fund, PIC Fund, Debt or CP, Grants, or Other - Please Specify)				
Existing Budget		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
Total Current Budget		-	-	-
Additional Budget Requested		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
Total Additional Budget Requested		-	-	-
Total Funding Sources		-	-	-
Personnel (Fill out section only if requesting new PCNs)				
Current Position Count for Service		-	-	-
Additional Positions Requested		-	-	-
Total Personnel		-	-	-

Anticipated Implementation Date: Upon Court Approval, September 14, 2021**Emergency/Disaster Recovery Note:**☒ Not an emergency, disaster recovery, or COVID-19 related item

- ☐ Emergency Item
- ☐ COVID-19 related Item
- ☐ Disaster Recovery related Item

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Attachments (if applicable):

PDF List of Presiding Judge Nominees from Harris County Precinct 1