CANVASSING ORDER 2024-014

AN ORDER CANVASSING THE ELECTION RESULTS OF SOUTH TEXAS COLLEGE BOARD OF TRUSTEES GENERAL ELECTION FOR DISTRICT TWO (2) AND SIX (6) HELD ON MAY 4, 2024

WHEREAS, on May 4, 2024, a general election was held in the South Texas College Single Member Trustee District Two (2) and Single Member Trustee District Six (6), Hidalgo County, Texas for the office of Board of Trustees for South Texas College District Two (2) and Six (6).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SOUTH TEXAS COLLEGE, THAT;

SECTION I: After canvassing the returns of said election pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Texas Election Code, the Board of Trustees certifies the following are true and correct results, to-wit:

1. Board of Trustees District Two (2):

That there were cast at said election 5,137 legal and valid ballots.

That Roberto Zamora, Jr. received 2,540 votes.

That Vicky Cantú received 2,597 votes.

2. Board of Trustees District Six (6):

That there were cast at said election 3,189 legal and valid ballots.

That David De Los Rios received 1,613 votes.

That Rene Guajardo received 1,576 votes.

Said election was duly called, notice of said election was given in accordance with the law, and the canvass of the votes cast in said elections and returns thereof were made in accordance with the law.

Pursuant to applicable provisions of the Texas Election Code:

Board of Trustee District Two (2): Vicky Cantú has received the most votes cast, and is therefore declared to be elected to the Board of Trustees of South Texas College and shall commence his term of office upon execution of the certification of election by the Chair of the Board of Trustees of South Texas College.

Board of Trustee District Six (6): **David De Los Rios**, has received the most votes cast, and is therefore declared to be elected to the Board of Trustees of South Texas College and shall commence her term of office upon execution of the certification of election by the Chair of the Board of Trustees of South Texas College.

SECTION II: The President of South Texas College is hereby authorized and directed to make all reports and conclude this election according to law.

SECTION III: If any part or parts of this Order are found to be invalid or unconstitutional by a court having competent jurisdiction, then such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect the remaining parts hereof and such remaining parts shall remain in full force and effect, and to the extent this Order is considered severable.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SOUTH TEXAS COLLEGE, at a special meeting called and held on this 14th day of May, 2024, held in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code.

SIGNED AND ENTERED this 14th day of May, 2024.

Ms Rose Benavidez

Board Chair

South Texas College