

HOUSTON VOTERS GUIDE

UNIFORM & SPECIAL ELECTIONS • MAY 2, 2026 • EARLY VOTING APRIL 20-28

POLLS OPEN 7AM-7PM - PHOTO ID REQUIRED TO VOTE IN PERSON

This Voters Guide lists candidates for the May 2, 2026 Local Election in Harris County. All races are nonpartisan. Candidates on your personal ballot can be found at VOTE411.ORG

CLEAR CREEK ISD

BOARD OF TRUSTEES • DISTRICT 2

Ernest Hallman II

Jamieson Mackay

BOARD OF TRUSTEES • DISTRICT 3

Gabriel Gonzales II

Arturo Sanchez

KATY ISD

BOARD OF TRUSTEES • DISTRICT 3

Cicely Taylor

Haider Razvi

Sean Hesterly

BOARD OF TRUSTEES • DISTRICT 4

David Greene

Jim Davidson

Tiffany Auzenne

BOARD OF TRUSTEES • DISTRICT 5

Nathan Shipley

Caleb Silverio

Jesus Nieto

SPRING BRANCH ISD

SCHOOL BOARD • POSITION 1

Courtney Anderson

J. Steven Smelley

SCHOOL BOARD • POSITION 2

Sally Cone

Jeri Spence

Ted Tredennick

SPECIAL DISTRICTS

HARRIS COUNTY MUD NO. 173 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

David Tinney

George Horton

Jeff Hackworth

WATER CONTROL & IMPROVEMENT • DISTRICT 96

Kriss R. Karp

Lonnie Jackson

Linda Ihns

Steven Fipke

Emily Trevino

MAY 2 UNIFORM ELECTIONS

May 2 is a Uniform Election Date, a day Texas sets aside each year for local governing body elections.

These are the races that shape your everyday life: the boards that oversee your school district, your emergency services district, your water supply, and your community college. Unlike the March primary or November general election, these races are nonpartisan and hyper-local, meaning your ballot depends entirely on where you live.

Not every Houstonian will see the same races. **To find exactly what's on your ballot, and see candidates at Vote411.org before you vote.**

STATE SENATOR SPECIAL ELECTION • MAY 2, 2026 • EARLY VOTING APRIL 20-28

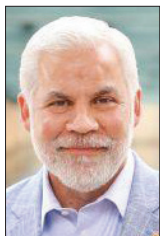
Four-year term. The Texas Senate has 31 members from separate districts across the state. With the Texas House of Representatives, the Texas Senate: enacts and amends laws; passes the state budget and raises or lowers taxes; passes proposed amendments to the Texas Constitution; and redraws congressional and legislative district maps every ten years. The Texas Senate has the exclusive power to approve or reject appointments made by the governor to fill vacancies in state or district offices and to hold trial for officials impeached by the Texas House of Representatives. Current annual salary: \$7,200, plus \$221 for every day the Legislature is in session, including any special sessions.

QUESTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

QUALIFICATIONS: What training, experience, and characteristics qualify you for this position?

ISSUES: What are the two (2) most pressing issues that you will face in the office that you seek? Describe your specific plans/ideas for addressing these issues.

STATE SENATOR, DISTRICT 4



Brett W. Ligon

BACKGROUND: I bring nearly two decades of experience enforcing Texas law and protecting public safety at the highest level of responsibility. As District Attorney, I led a major law-enforcement office and made decisions that directly impacted community safety. I have personally visited the Texas border and prosecuted cases involving human and sex trafficking tied to cartel and smuggling activity, giving me firsthand experience with the real consequences of border failures on our communities. I also worked closely with legislators to help pass laws strengthening public safety

and supporting law enforcement statewide. As Montgomery County's DA, I delivered results while responsibly managing taxpayer resources.

ISSUES: The biggest issues facing Senate District 4 are property tax reform and border security. I will work to deliver meaningful property tax reform by advocating the limit of excessive appraisal increases and reducing the reliance on property taxes. I will also support strong state-level border enforcement efforts targeting cartel activity and human trafficking.

Website: www.LigonForTexas.com



Ron C. Angeletti

BACKGROUND: I'm an educator, advocate, and entrepreneur with decades of experience working directly with public schools, families, and community organizations. I've served in multiple school districts, where I didn't just see problem, I worked to solve them and spoke up when systems failed the people they were meant to serve. I founded Teach Another Inc. to focus on accountability, equity, and real solutions, helping families navigate complex systems and supporting students and communities across our region. What qualifies me most is lived experience. I understand how decisions made in Austin impact everyday people because I've worked alongside them. I lead with integrity, faith, and a people-first mindset, and I'm committed to serving.

ISSUES: 1. Workforce Readiness and Education-to-Career Pathways: I will advocate for expanded funding for career and technical education, adult retraining programs, and apprenticeships, especially for veterans, displaced workers, and recent graduates so education leads directly to opportunity. 2. Infrastructure, Flooding, and Cost-of-Living Pressures: Families are paying the price for aging infrastructure, flooding, and rising property costs. I will push for targeted state investment in flood mitigation, drainage, and road repairs, while demanding transparency and accountability in how those dollars are spent. I will work to protect homeowners and seniors from being taxed out of their communities by supporting property tax relief.

Website: angelettifortexas.org

SPECIAL ELECTION: TEXAS SENATE DISTRICT 4

For eligible voters is a Special Election for Texas Senate District 4. **Special elections are called outside the normal election calendar to fill a vacant seat**, in this case, the seat left open in SD4. Unlike a primary, all candidates appear on a single ballot regardless of party. If no candidate receives more than 50% of the vote on May 2, the top two finishers will advance to a runoff.

Only voters who live within Senate District 4 will see this race on their ballot, check Vote411.org to confirm if this applies to you.