

# STATE OF GEORGIA

# **COUNTY OF GWINNETT**

# CALL FOR SPECIAL ELECTION

### TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF GWINNETT COUNTY:

Pursuant to Act No. 309, HB 748 approved by the Governor on May 3, 2023, after the 2023-2024 Regular Session of the Georgia General Assembly, the Gwinnett County Board of Registrations and Elections (hereinafter known as the "Board"), as Elections Superintendent for Gwinnett County, is charged with the duty of calling for a Special Election to be held on May 21, 2024.

Therefore, the Board does hereby issue the call for said Special Election to be held on May 21, 2024. The purpose of said Special Election is to place before the voters of the Gwinnett County school district for approval or rejection, the question stated in Act No. 309, HB 748 concerning whether or not the Act which provides a homestead exemption from Gwinnett County school district ad valorem taxes for educational purposes in the amount of \$2,000 of the assessed value of the homestead for residents of that school district who are public service employees shall be approved and become of full force and effect on January 1, 2025, to-wit:

- "() YES Shall the Act be approved which provides an
- () NO additional homestead exemption from Gwinnett County school district ad valorem taxes for educational purposes in the amount of \$2,000 of the assessed value of the homestead for residents of that school district, who are public service employees?"

All persons desiring to vote for approval of the Act shall vote "Yes", and all persons desiring to vote for rejection of the Act shall vote "No" If more than one-half of the votes cast on the question are for approval of the Act, then the homestead exemption shall become of full force and effect on January 1, 2025. If the Act is not approved, then the homestead exemption shall not become effective, and the Act will be automatically repealed.

The Special Election shall be conducted in the precincts of Gwinnett County school district. The polls will open at 7:00 o'clock A.M. and close at 7:00 o'clock P.M. The last day for qualified residents of Gwinnett County to register to vote to be eligible to vote in the Special Election is April 22, 2024.

This call is issued and published pursuant to Official Code of Georgia Annotated Sections 21-2-2(3) and 21-2-540.

This 17 day of January 2024.

# MEMBERS, GWINNETT COUNTY BOARD OF REGISTRATIONS AND ELECTIONS

BY: Wandy Taylor, Chairperson

- BY: Anthony Rodriguez, Vice Chairperson
- BY: Alice O'Lenick, Member
- BY: David Hancock, Member

BY: Loretta Mirandola, Member ATTEST: Zach Manifold, Elections Supervisor