

**ELECTION DAY\***

**MAY 10, 2014 / 7:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M.**

**Slaton ISD Administration Office\*\***

**140 E. Panhandle  
Slaton, Texas 79364**

**MAIN EARLY VOTING\***

**Lubbock County Elections Office, Public Room**  
**1308 Crickets Avenue  
Lubbock, TX 79401**

**Mailing Address:  
P.O. Box 10536  
Lubbock, Texas  
79408**

**Slaton ISD Administration Office\*\***  
**140 E. Panhandle  
Slaton, TX 79364**

**April 28 thru May 6, 2014**

**8:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M.**

**(Except Sunday May 4, 2014 1:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M.)**

**TEMPORARY EARLY VOTING\***

**Slaton High School**

**105 N. 20th Street**

**Slaton, TX**

**Monday, April 28, 2014 / 3:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.**

**Cathelene Thomas Elementary School**

**615 W. Lubbock Street**

**Slaton, TX**

**Thursday, May 1, 2014 / 3:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.**

**Slaton Junior High School**

**300 W. Jean Street**

**Slaton, TX**

**Monday, May 5, 2014 / 3:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.**

\*Election day and early voting will also take place at various places and times, as established by the Lubbock County Elections office.

\*\*District voters who are residents of Lynn County may only vote at this location.

A listing of election day and early voting period locations and times which are available for District voters who are residents of Lubbock County can be found on the District's website at [www.slatonisd.net](http://www.slatonisd.net).

# Slaton Independent School District

## CAPITAL NEEDS

### SLATON I.S.D. - BOND BUDGETING ESTIMATES

#### CATHELENE THOMAS ELEMENTARY (PK - 5)

- Addition of new primary classrooms/Cafeteria Expansion
- Existing Face-Lift Renovation (Lighting, Electrical, Flooring, Lockers, Bathrooms, Plumbing, Ceiling, Painting)
- New Multipurpose Building (Fine Arts, Physical Education, and available for community use)
- Kitchen Equipment Replacement
- New Parking Lot Expansion

**Sub-total**

**Estimated Total  
Project Cost**

\$2,500,000.00

\$1,250,000.00

\$650,000.00

\$250,000.00

\$65,000.00

\$4,715,000.00

#### JR. HIGH SCHOOL

- Existing Face-Lift Renovation (Lighting, Electrical, Flooring, Lockers, Bathrooms, Plumbing, Ceiling, Painting)
- New Multipurpose Building (Fine Arts, Physical Education, community use and tornado shelter)

**Sub-total**

\$1,250,000.00

\$850,000.00

\$2,100,000.00

#### HIGH SCHOOL

- Vocational Career & Technology Center using existing structure
- High School/Community workout facility & expansion of current weight room
- High School Parking Lot replacement

**Sub-total**

\$2,500,000.00

\$450,000.00

\$375,000.00

\$3,325,000.00

#### STEPHEN F. AUSTIN ADULT LEARNING CENTER/COLLEGE/GED

- Extensive Electrical, Mortar, Lighting, Foundation, Ceiling, Plumbing, Painting, General Repairs

\$400,000.00

#### OTHER CAMPUS CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT NEEDS:

- HVAC replacements/additions
- Instructional Technology Plan (Multi Year Plan)
- Safety and Security (Monitoring System)
- Roof repair/replacement
- Parking lot repair and replacement
- Boiler replacements

**Sub-total**

\$1,250,000.00

\$1,300,000.00

\$325,000.00

\$900,000.00

\$520,000.00

\$165,000.00

\$4,460,000.00

**Total All Capital Needs**

**\$15,000,000.00**

**VOTE**

**Saturday, May 10, 2014**



# TO THE CITIZENS OF SLATON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

The Board of Trustees of Slaton Independent School District has called a Bond Election for a total of **\$15 million** to provide for construction and improvements to Slaton school facilities. The sole purpose of this brochure is to set forth the facts behind the Board's decision to call the election, to provide basic information regarding the election, and to assist the voter in making an informed decision concerning the Bond Program.

## VOTER QUALIFICATIONS

Must be registered to vote by no later than April 10, 2014 with current address in the District. Must be a resident at least 30 days prior to election.

**FOR MORE  
INFORMATION  
CALL (806) 828 - 6591**

**Vote**  
**Saturday, May 10, 2014**

## How Will the Proceeds from the Bond Issue be Used?

### High School Projects

- Vocational Career & Technology Center
- High School/Community Workout Facility

### Junior High School Projects

- Existing Face-Lift Renovations
- New Multi-purpose Building

### Cathelene Thomas Elementary School

- New Primary Classroom Additions
- Existing Face-Lift Renovations
- New Multi-purpose Building
- Cafeteria Expansion

### The Following Projects at all Three Campuses:

- Plumbing, HVAC, and Boiler Replacements
- Instructional Technology Plan
- Safety & Security (Monitoring System)
- Roof Repair & Parking Lot Improvements

## What will the Bonds Cost the Citizens of Slaton ISD?

The bonds, if approved by the voters, will require a projected increase of the debt service (I&S) tax rate of 26.69¢ per \$100 of taxable property value. The District currently has a tax rate for debt service of 11.40¢. The following charts reflect the anticipated impact on Slaton ISD taxpayers.

## Estimated Impact of Bond Issue on Homeowners

(based on 26.69¢ increase in total tax rate)

Home Value Prior to Exemption*	Annual	Monthly	Weekly
\$ 50,000	\$ 93.41	\$ 7.78	\$ 1.79
75,000	160.14	13.35	3.08
100,000	226.87	18.91	4.36
150,000	360.32	30.03	6.93
200,000	493.77	41.15	9.50

\*Homeowners receive \$15,000 State Mandated Homestead Exemption.

## Estimated Impact on Landowners

(based on taxable value)

Acres	Land Type	Avg	Avg Ag	Annual
		Taxable Land Value*	Production Value*	Tax Per Acre
1	Irrigated	\$847	\$511	\$1.36
1	Dry Land	\$459	\$269	\$0.72

\* Based on average taxable values provided by Lubbock County Appraisal District .

## IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR TAXPAYERS 65 AND OVER

A taxpayer that is 65 or older, or who has disabilities, will not see an increase in their taxes for residential homestead values above the frozen levy amount as established with the Over-65 or Disabled exemption.

To have your taxes frozen, you must make application with your county appraisal district.