

RESOLUTION 2020-54

A RESOLUTION OF THE COCONINO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COCONINO COUNTY ARIZONA, CALLING A SPECIAL ELECTION FOR THE RECALL OF SHERWOOD FOREST FIRE DISTRICT BOARD MEMBER BRUCE SPIERS; DESIGNATING THE DEADLINE FOR VOTER REGISTRATION; DESIGNATING THE PLACE AND THE LAST DATE FOR CANDIDATES TO FILE NOMINATION PAPERS

WHEREAS, pursuant to Arizona Revised Statutes Section 19-201(A), every public officer holding an elective office is subject to recall by the qualified electors of that office; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to A.R.S. § 19-201(A), the number of petition signatures necessary to recall a public officer equals twenty-five per cent of the number of votes cast at the last preceding general election for all the candidates held by the officer; and

WHEREAS, The B. Spiers Recall committee submitted five (5) petitions with forty-nine (49) signatures to recall Bruce Spiers, board member of the Sherwood Forest Fire District; and

WHEREAS, the Coconino County Recorder verified that there were forty-three (43) valid signatures of registered voters in the district on the petitions, which exceeds the eighteen (18) valid signatures needed to recall Mr. Spiers; and

WHEREAS, Bruce Spiers did not submit a letter resigning his position as board member by the statutory deadline of July 1, 2020; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to A.R.S. § 19-209, the Board of Supervisors is responsible for calling an election; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOVED that the Coconino County Board of Supervisors finds the committee has met the statutory requirements to submit the recall question to the voters of the Sherwood Forest Fire District at the next consolidated election date in accordance with A.R.S. § 19-209;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the next consolidated election date is November 3, 2020 and the question of recalling Mr. Spiers shall be placed on the ballot at said election;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the candidate filing period to run as a candidate in the special recall election is August 5, 2020 through September 4, 2020. Candidates must file their nomination papers and other nomination forms by 5:00 pm on September 4, 2020, at the Coconino County Elections Office, 110 E Cherry Avenue, Flagstaff, AZ, in order to have their names placed on the ballot for the recall election.

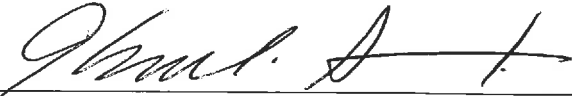
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the voter registration deadline for the November 3, 2020 Recall Election is midnight on October 5, 2020.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Coconino County Board of Supervisors on this 15th day of July 2020.

AYES: 4
NOS: 0
ABSENT: 1

(SEAL)

COCONINO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS



Elizabeth C. Archuleta, Chairwoman

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Rose Winkeler, Deputy County Attorney

ATTEST:


Lindsay Daley, Clerk of the Board