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JUST A FEW DAYS LEFT TO FILE DIRECTOR ELECTION NOMINATIONS FOR MERIDIAN PRECINCT OF THE NAMPA & MERIDIAN IRRIGATION DISTRICT

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Individuals who want to compete for the position of Director of Precinct 2, the Meridian Precinct, of the Nampa & Meridian Irrigation District in the upcoming November 6 election have just 11 days left, until September 27, to file a nominating petition with the District, NMID officials said today.

Potential candidates for the Precinct 2 position currently held by Will Patterson and which has a three-year term of office, must live in the Meridian Precinct and meet other qualifications set down by law. Individuals who are interested in filing a nominating petition for the directorship should contact the District for more information at (208) 466-7861.

Precinct 2 is roughly bordered by Eagle Road on the East, McMillian Road on the North, McDermott Road on the West and Hubbard Road on the South. A map of the Meridian precinct, along with other information about the election, is available online at nmid.org/Elections.html.

“Time is running out for folks who live in the Meridian Precinct 2 who have an interest in helping manage the affairs of the Irrigation District to file the nominating petition that will let their name appear on the ballot in the election. We encourage them to contact us as quickly as possible so we can outline just what needs to be done to have the opportunity to do so,” noted Daren Coon, NMID Secretary Treasurer.

Individuals must follow a specific set of procedures under Idaho law to file the nominating petition. So it is critical that individuals meet the September 27 filing deadline if they want to contend for the position in the November election, Batt added.

Idaho law states that no election will be held if only one qualified candidate is nominated by the September 27 deadline. Instead, the Board of Directors will declare the candidate as elected.

The Nampa & Meridian Irrigation District is a water storage, conveyance and distribution system founded in 1904. The District supplies irrigation water to some 69,000 acres of farmland, residential and commercial lands including pressurized irrigation for more than 16,000 individual parcels of land in Ada and Canyon counties.

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