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NAMPA & MERIDIAN IRRIGATION DISTRICT **TAKING NOMINATIONS FOR MERIDIAN PRECINCT 2 ELECTION**

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The Treasure Valley’s largest irrigation district will hold an election November 3 to pick a new member of its Board of Directors, officials with the Nampa & Meridian Irrigation District announced today.

“A NMID Director has a vital role in the overall direction of the valley’s largest irrigation water delivery operation. There are three Directors, one in each precinct, who together compose the District’s Board of Directors that provide overall management of District affairs. This is an opportunity for individuals living in the Meridian Precinct 2 who have an interest in helping manage the affairs of the Irrigation District to campaign for the opportunity to do so,” noted Daren Coon, NMID Secretary Treasurer.

NMID will take nominations September 4-24 for the position of Director for Precinct No. 2, the Meridian Precinct, a post currently held by Will Patterson. The Director position carries a three year term.

Precinct 2 is roughly bordered by McMillan Road on the North, Eagle Road on the East, Hubbard Road on the South and McDermott Road on the West. A map of the NMID Meridian precinct, along with other information about the election, is available at the NMID website: www.nmid.org.

Individuals who want to stand for election can file a nominating petition with the District starting September 4 but not later than September 24. Potential candidates for the Director position must live in the Meridian Precinct plus 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.

“State law sets down the election procedures we must follow and it is critical that the window of opportunity for filing a nomination petition be met. Individuals who are interested in standing for the November election should contact the District as soon as possible so we can provide the information and forms they will need,” Coon added.

Under Idaho law, if the deadline for nominations has passed and only one qualified candidate has been nominated, an election will not be held. 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 15,000 individual parcels of land in Ada and Canyon counties.

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