

**NOTICE OF ANNUAL TRUSTEE ELECTION
OF THE MASTICS MORICHES SHIRLEY COMMUNITY LIBRARY
TOWN OF BROOKHAVEN, COUNTY OF SUFFOLK, NEW YORK**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Annual Election of the qualified voters of the William Floyd Union Free School District, Town of Brookhaven, Suffolk County, New York, will be held at the Mastics Moriches Shirley Community Library, 407 William Floyd Parkway, Shirley New York 11967, on September 15, 2020, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m. prevailing time, for the purpose of voting, by paper ballot, upon the following items:

- (1) Election of one (1) Trustee to the Board of Trustees of the Mastics Moriches Shirley Community Library to fill a five-year term commencing September 16, 2020, and ending June 30, 2025, as a result of the expiration of the term of office presently held by Nancy Marks; and

FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that petitions nominating candidates for the Office of Trustee of the Mastics Moriches Shirley Community Library shall be mailed to or filed in the Business Office of the Library, 407 William Floyd Parkway, Shirley, New York, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., prevailing time, Monday through Friday, but not later than 5:00 p.m., Monday, August 17, 2020, such petition may also be filed remotely with the Library Business Office (businessoffice@communitylibrary.org) if permitted by Executive Order. Each petition must be directed to the Business Office of the Library, must be signed by at least seventeen (17) qualified voters of the District and must state the residence of each signer and the name and residence of the candidate; and

FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that personal registration of voters is required either pursuant to section 2014 of the Education Law or pursuant to Article 5 of the Election Law. If a voter has heretofore registered pursuant to section 2014 of the Education Law and has voted at any annual or special district meeting within the four (4) years prior to September 15, 2020, such voter is eligible to vote at this election; if the voter is registered and eligible to vote pursuant to Article 5 of the Election Law, such voter is also eligible to vote at this election. All other persons who wish to vote must register. Those wishing to register may mail completed registration forms to the Suffolk County Board of Elections (forms available to be downloaded at its website; or may be obtained at a U.S. Post Office; or by way of visiting <https://www.dmv.ny.gov/more-info/electronic-voter-registration-application> in order to do so online); and

FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that pursuant to the provisions of 2018-a of the Education Law, absentee ballots for the election of Trustee of the Library may be applied for at the Business Office of the Mastics Moriches Shirley Community Library during regular business hours. Such application must be received by the Business Office of the Mastics Moriches Shirley Community Library seven (7) days prior to the election if the ballot is to be mailed to the voter or by 5:00 p.m. on the day prior to the election if the ballot is to be personally delivered to the voter. No absentee voter's ballot shall be canvassed, unless it shall have been received in the Business Office of the Mastics Moriches Shirley Community

Library no later than 5:00 p.m. on the day of the election. A list of all persons to whom absentee ballots shall have been issued will be available in the said Business Office of the Mastics Moriches Shirley Community Library on each of the five (5) days prior to September 15, 2020 except Saturdays, Sundays and holidays, (subject to the Library being open to the public during such days); and

FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that military voters who are qualified voters of the William Floyd Union Free School District may request an application for a military ballot from the Library's Business Office by mail at Mastics Moriches Shirley Community Library, 407 William Floyd Parkway, Shirley, New York 11967, by email to businessoffice@communitylibrary.org or by fax to 631-399-1518. In such request, the military voter may indicate his/her preference for receiving the application by mail, fax or email. A military voter must return the original military ballot application by mail to the Business Office at Mastics Moriches Shirley Community Library 407 William Floyd Parkway, Shirley New York 11967. In order for a military voter to be issued a military ballot, a valid military ballot application must be received in the Library Business Office no later than 5:00 p.m. on August 20, 2020. Military ballot applications received in accordance with the foregoing will be processed in the same manner as a non-military ballot applications under Section 2018-b of the Education Law. The application for a military ballot should include the military voter's preference for receipt of the military ballot by mail, fax, or email, and

FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a military voter's original military ballot must be returned by mail to the 407 William Floyd Parkway, Shirley New York, 11967. Military ballots shall be canvassed if they are received by the Library Business Office prior to 5 p.m. on September 15, 2020 showing a cancellation mark of the United States Postal Service or a foreign country's postal service, or showing a dated endorsement of receipt by another agency of the United States Government; or received not later than 5:00 p.m. on September 15, 2020 and signed and dated by the military voter and one witness thereto, with a date which is ascertained to be not later than the day before the election, and

FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a qualified voter whose ability to appear personally at the polling place is substantially impaired by reason of permanent illness or physical disability and whose registration record has been marked "permanently disabled" by the Board of Elections pursuant to the provisions of the Election Law shall be entitled to receive an absentee ballot pursuant to the provisions of the Election Law without making separate application for such absentee ballot.

Footnote: *Such "in person" voting to be dependent upon Executive Order of the NY Governor prescribing the use of absentee ballots exclusively for such election. All of the above provisions will be subject to Executive Orders providing otherwise.

Dated: Shirley, NY 11967
July 30, 2020

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF
TRUSTEES OF THE MASTICS
MORICHES SHIRLEY COMMUNITY
LIBRARY, JOSEPH MAIORANA,
PRESIDENT