

GENERAL ELECTION  
MUNICIPAL ELECTION/SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION/SPECIAL ELECTION  
HIDALGO COUNTY, TEXAS  
NOVEMBER 8, 2016  
OFFICIAL BALLOT

STRAIGHT PARTY

- REPUBLICAN PARTY REP
- DEMOCRATIC PARTY DEM
- LIBERTARIAN PARTY LIB
- GREEN PARTY GRN

FEDERAL

President and Vice President

- Donald J. Trump / Mike Pence REP
- Hillary Clinton / Tim Kaine DEM
- Gary Johnson / William Weld LIB
- Jill Stein / Ajamu Baraka GRN
- Write-In

United States Representative,  
District 34

- Rey Gonzalez, Jr. REP
- Filemon B. Vela DEM

STATE

Railroad Commissioner

- Wayne Christian REP
- Grady Yarbrough DEM
- Mark Miller LIB
- Martina Salinas GRN

Justice, Supreme Court,  
Place 3

- Debra Lehmann REP
- Mike Westergren DEM
- Kathie Glass LIB
- Rodolfo Rivera Munoz GRN



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Justice, Supreme Court,  
Place 5

- Paul Green REP
- Dori Contreras Garza DEM
- Tom Oxford LIB
- Charles E. Waterbury GRN

Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals,  
Place 5

- Scott Walker REP
- Betsy Johnson DEM
- William Bryan Strange, III LIB
- Judith Sanders-Castro GRN

Justice, Supreme Court,  
Place 9

- Eva Guzman REP
- Savannah Robinson DEM
- Don Fulton LIB
- Jim Chisholm GRN

Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals,  
Place 6

- Michael E. Keasler REP
- Robert Burns DEM
- Mark W. Bennett LIB

Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals,  
Place 2

- Mary Lou Keel REP
- Lawrence "Larry" Meyers DEM
- Mark Ash LIB
- Adam King Blackwell Reposa GRN

State Senator,  
District 27

- Eddie Lucio Jr. DEM

State Representative,  
District 39

- Armando "Mando" Martinez DEM



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Justice, 13th Court of Appeals District,  
Place 3

- Greg Perkes REP
- Leticia Hinojosa DEM

District Judge, 92nd Judicial District

- Luis M. Singleterry DEM

District Judge, 93rd Judicial District

- Rudy Delgado DEM

District Judge, 139th Judicial District

- Bobby Flores DEM

District Judge, 332nd Judicial District

- Mario E. Ramirez, Jr. DEM

District Judge, 389th Judicial District

- Letty Lopez DEM

District Judge, 398th Judicial District

- Keno Vasquez DEM

District Judge, 430th Judicial District

- Israel Ramon, Jr. DEM

District Judge, 449th Judicial District

- Renee "Rena" Rodriguez-Betancourt DEM

COUNTY

Sheriff

- Albert "AJ" Perez REP
- J.E. "Eddie" Guerra DEM

COUNTY PROPOSITION NO.1

The creation of the Hidalgo County Healthcare District, providing for the imposition of an ad valorem tax on all taxable property in the district. The initial ad valorem tax shall be imposed at the rate of eight cents on the \$100 valuation of all taxable property in the district. District funds shall be used for district purposes, including improving health care services for residents of Hidalgo County, supporting the School of Medicine at The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley, training physicians, nurses, and other health care professionals, obtaining federal or state funds for health care services, and providing community health clinics, primary care services, behavioral and mental health care services, and prevention and wellness programs.

- FOR
- AGAINST

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**MERCEDES INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES DECLARED ELECTED**

**For School Board Trustee,  
Place 5**

Oscar "BigO" Riojas

Oscar A. Hernandez

**For School Board Trustee,  
Place 6**

Rachel Treviño

Elvia Sandoval

**For School Board Trustee,  
Place 7**

Brian Rene Acosta

Arturo Ayala Jr.

**PROPOSITION**

Approving the Maintenance and Operations ad valorem tax rate of \$1.17 per \$100 valuation in Mercedes Independent School District for the current year, a rate that is \$0.13 higher per \$100 valuation than the current school district rollback tax rate.

FOR

AGAINST

**Judge, County Court at Law, No. 7**  
Sergio Jesus Valdez (DEM)

**Tax Assessor-Collector**  
Pablo (Paul) Villarreal, Jr. (DEM)

**County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1**  
David Fuentes (DEM)

**County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3**  
Joe M. Flores (DEM)

**Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, Place 1**  
Gilberto Saenz (DEM)

**Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 2, Place 1**  
Bobby Contreras (DEM)

**Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 3, Place 1**  
Luis Garza (DEM)

**Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 3, Place 2**  
Marcos Ochoa (DEM)

**Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 4, Place 1**  
Charlie Espinoza (DEM)

**Constable, Precinct No. 1**  
Celestino Avila, Jr. (DEM)

**Constable, Precinct No. 2**  
Martin "Marty" Cantu (DEM)

**Constable, Precinct No. 3**  
Larry Gallardo (DEM)

**Constable, Precinct No. 4**  
A. "J.R." Gaitan (DEM)

## Summary Ballot Instructions

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**STRAIGHT PARTY**

No selection made.

**FEDERAL**

President and Vice President

No selection made.

United States Representative,  
District 34

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District Judge, 389th Judicial District

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