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CERTIFIED LIST OF CANDIDATES
COUNCIL DISTRICT 6 SPECIAL ELECTION

LOS ANGELES (March 4, 2013) —City Clerk June Lagmay released today the official list of six candidates who have qualified to appear on the ballot for the May 21, 2013 Council District 6 Special Election. A random alphabet drawing conducted publicly on February 28, 2013 determined the order in which candidates are listed in the race.

The City Clerk has certified the following candidates to appear on the May 21, 2013 ballot in this order:

WALTER ALEXANDER ESCOBAR, Student
NURY MARTINEZ, School Boardmember
CINDY MONTANEZ, Businesswoman/Environmental Advocate
RICHARD VALDEZ, Businessman
DEREK WALEKO, Senior Government Advisor
J. ROY GARCIA, Community Activist/Businessman

WRITE-IN CANDIDATES: Any interested individual who wishes to become a **write-in** candidate may obtain and file a Declaration of Intention to Become a Write-In Candidate for the Office of Council District 6 with the City Clerk Election Division by **Tuesday, May 7, 2013 at 5:00 p.m.**

To file a Declaration of Intention, write-in candidates must either pay a filing fee of \$300 or submit nominating petitions with valid signatures of at least 500 but no more than 1,000 qualified, registered voters within Council District 6 in lieu of the filing fee.

For more information or assistance, call the Office of the City Clerk - Election Division between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, at (213) 978-0444 or view the "Candidates" section on the Election Division's website.

The Office of the City Clerk - Election Division administers elections for the City of Los Angeles, the Los Angeles Unified School District, and the Los Angeles Community College District. The General Municipal and Council District 6 Special Elections will be held May 21, 2013. More information can be found on the Election Division's website at: <http://clerk.lacity.org/Elections/>.