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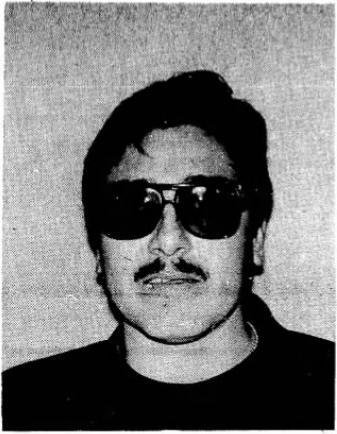
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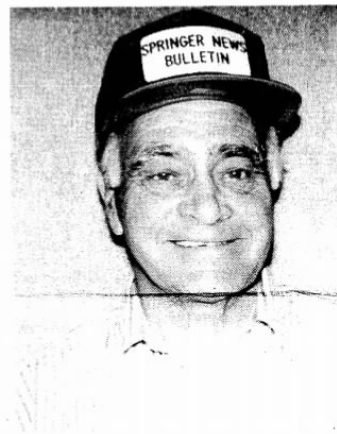
BEST EVER TURNOUT ★ ★ ★ ★
★ ★ ★ ★ FOR TOWN ELECTION



Mayor Danny Cruz



Trustee Tony A. King



Trustee H. A. "Andy" Williams

The registered voters of the Town of Springer have unanimously elected Danny J. Cruz as Mayor for the next four years. Not a landslide by any means but 50 votes over his opponent, James C. Steinepreis.

Tony A. King won a Trustee seat with 368 votes, more than twice as many as his two opponents, H. A. Williams with 144 votes and John F. LeDoux with 119 votes. The second Trustee position went to Andy Williams who won by 25 votes.

Out of a possible 643 eligible voters 501 cast their ballot Tuesday making a 77.9% turnout which is most remarkable for any election anywhere. The credit for the large turnout of voters must go to the candidates and their helpers who encouraged everyone to vote with phone calls, personal visits and walking the streets of Springer. The 1992 election had a 67% turnout which was considered exceptional but Tuesday was even better. This strong turnout should be considered as a message to the new Mayor and his Trustees that the people of Springer expect great things to happen to our Town.

I suspect there may be some rough times at first but at the same time, the gentlemen sitting on the Town Council are mature, professional men who will get past any personal feelings and get on with the business of the Town.

J. PAT MEDINA APPOINTED TO SERVE ON JJAC BOARD

Governor Bruce King has appointed J. Pat Medina of Springer to serve a one year term of office on the Juvenile Justice Advisory Committee Board.

Pat is pleased with the appointment and states he will work hard to improve the standards of the committee and pledges a deep commitment in fulfilling his term in office.

Pat is a Springer native and has been an active businessman for the past 40 years. He is presently employed by the New Mexico Boys' School as a Juvenile Correctional Officer.

Pat Medina has been an active member of numerous Professional and Community associations and is a Charter Member of the Knights of Columbus and the Springer Housing Authority. He is also an active member of the American Correctional Association and has been recognized by the Association for his leadership service in the Criminal Justice Field.

Pat is married and states he enjoys traveling and promoting youth activities as well as promoting economic development in northern New Mexico.