DALLAS COUNTY ELECTIONS DEPARTMENT

From: **Dallas County Elections Department**
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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: MONDAY, JANUARY 25, 2016

Upcoming Democratic & Republican Primary Elections March 1, 2016

Last day to register to Vote is February 1, 2016

Early Voting begins Tuesday, February 16, 2016

Dallas, Texas - Enclosed you will find information and deadlines relating to the upcoming elections. Any assistance you can give in dispersing this important information will be greatly appreciated. The following information can be retrieved by calling the **Dallas County Elections Hotline, 214.637.7937,** which is answered twenty-four (24) hours a day. If you have any questions regarding this material, please do not hesitate to contact Dallas County Elections at **214.819.6300**. For additional participant information, please contact them directly. **All information in this press release can be obtained by accessing Dallas County Elections website at www.DallasCountyVotes.org.**

PLEASE DISPERSE AS MANY TIMES AS POSSIBLE

PARTICIPANTS HOLDING ELECTIONS:

Democratic Party
4209 Parry Avenue
Dallas, Texas 75223
214-821-8331 Phone
214-821-0995 Fax
www.dallasdemocrats.org
www.democrats.org

Republican Party
10300 N. Central Expressway, Suite 345
Dallas, Texas 75231
214-369-9555 Phone
214-369-0867 Fax
www.dallasgop.org
www.gop.com

PHOTO ID LAW:
WWW.DALLASCOUNTYVOTES.ORG/ELECTION-DAY-VOTING/WHAT-DO-I-NEED-IN-ORDER-TO-VOTE/

Texas voters must show photo identification or an exemption to providing Photo ID, when voting in person. Photo identification requirements, including exemptions, are found at www.VoteTexas.gov or www.DallasCountyVotes.org. Information on how to obtain an Election Identification Certificate can be found at www.DPS.Texas.gov/DriverLicense/electionID.htm.

VOTER REGISTRATION INFORMATION:

WWW.DALLASCOUNTYVOTES.ORG/VOTER-INFORMATION/VOTER-REGISTRATION-DEPARTMENT/

In order to be eligible to vote in the **March 1, 2016 Primary Election you must be registered, including any updates to your current address, by Monday, February 1, 2016**. Applications can be mailed out from Dallas County Elections by calling **214.819.6300** or printed from www.DallasCounty.Votes.org. Applications are also available throughout the county at the following locations:

- Dallas County Tax Offices
- City Halls in Dallas County
- Public Libraries
- Major Post Offices

All applications and address changes mailed to Dallas County Elections, must be postmarked by Monday, February 1, 2016.

BALLOT BY MAIL:

WWW.DALLASCOUNTYVOTES.ORG/ABSENTEE-VOTING

Eligible voters may request a Ballot by Mail by phone **214.819.6300** or **214.819.6359**, mail, fax **214.819.6301** or email **EVAPPLICATIONS@DALLASCOUNTY.ORG,** no later than **Friday, February 19, 2016**.

Voters may deliver their carrier envelope containing their marked ballot in person on Election Day from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. to the early voting clerk. The voter must provide Photo ID upon delivery of the carrier envelope.

Toni Pippins-Poole - Early Voting Clerk
Dallas County Elections
2377 N. Stemmons Freeway, Suite 820
Dallas, Texas 75207-2706

EARLY VOTING:

WWW.DALLASCOUNTYVOTES.ORG/EARLY-VOTING-INFORMATION

Any qualified voter for the March 1, 2016 Primary Election may vote in person at any of the 25 early voting locations on the dates and times indicated:

EARLY VOTING DATES AND TIMES:

February 16 through February 19	Tuesday through Friday	8:00 am – 5:00 pm
February 20	Saturday	7:00 am – 7:00 pm
February 21	Sunday	1:00 pm – 6:00 pm
February 22 through February 26	Monday through Friday	7:00 am – 7:00 pm

EARLY VOTING LOCATIONS:

Bethany Lutheran Church 10101 Walnut Hill Lane Dallas, Texas 75238	Crosswinds High School 1100 N. Carrier Parkway Grand Prairie, Texas 75050	Disciple Central Community Church 900 N. Polk Street, Suite 170 DeSoto, Texas 75115
Duncanville Library 201 James Collins Duncanville, Texas 75116	Eastfield College – Pleasant Grove 802 S. Buckner Boulevard Dallas, Texas 75217	El Centro College - West Campus 3330 N. Hampton Road Dallas, Texas 75212

EARLY VOTING LOCATIONS (continued):

Fretz Park Library 6990 Belt Line Road Dallas, Texas 75254	Grauwyler Park Recreation Center 7780 Harry Hines Boulevard Dallas, Texas 75235	Irving City Hall 825 W. Irving Boulevard Irving, Texas 75060
Josey Ranch Library 1700 Keller Springs Carrollton, Texas 75006	Lakeside Activity Center 101 Holley Park Drive Mesquite, Texas 75149	Lancaster Veterans Mem. Library 1600 Veterans Memorial Parkway Lancaster, Texas 75134
Lochwood Library 11221 Lochwood Boulevard Dallas, Texas 75218	Marsh Lane Baptist Church 10716 Marsh Lane Dallas, Texas 75229	Martin Luther King Jr. Core Bldg. 2922 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. Dallas, Texas 75215
Martin Weiss Recreation Center 1111 Martindell Avenue Dallas, Texas 75211	Oak Cliff Sub-Courthouse 410 S. Beckley Avenue Dallas, Texas 75203	Our Redeemer Lutheran Church 7611 Park Lane Dallas, Texas 75225
P.L.D. Lancaster-Kiest Library 2008 E. Kiest Boulevard Dallas, Texas 75216	**Records Building *** **509 Main Street** **Dallas, Texas 75202**	Richardson Civic Center 411 W. Arapaho Road Richardson, Texas 75080
Richland College - Garland Campus 675 W. Walnut Street Garland, Texas 75040	Rowlett City Hall Annex 4004 Main Street Rowlett, Texas 75088	Samuell Grand Recreation Center 6200 E. Grand Avenue Dallas, Texas 75223
Valley Ranch Library 401 Cimarron Trail Irving, Texas 75063		

*** Main Location**

EMERGENCY BALLOT:

WWW.DALLASCOUNTYVOTES.ORG/ABSENTEE-VOTING

Voters with the onset of an illness on or after **February 19, 2016,** may obtain an Application for Emergency Early Voting Ballot Due To Sickness or Illness on the website. A representative must bring the Emergency Early Voting Ballot application in person to **2377 N. Stemmons Freeway, Suite 820, Dallas, Texas 75207,** no later than **5:00 pm,** to pick up the ballot. The Emergency Early Voting Ballot application will include a signed statement from a doctor and the voter, stating that the voter is unable to appear at the polling place. The same representative must then return the voted Ballot back to the Early Voting Clerk, no later than **7:00 pm on Election Day**.

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