A message from your Supervisor of Elections...

As will be shown throughout this newsletter, the Department of Elections will be overwhelmingly busy from July 2015 through December 2016. Besides the obvious (3 large county-wide elections in 2016), new equipment will arrive in September 2015. This will be an exciting new venture in the department. Although we have previewed and attended demonstrations of the new equipment, aside from a few exceptions, we have not spent much time in learning how everything works. That is about to change.

Poll Worker Training & Recruitment/Voter Education - Lisa Lewis and her team are preparing to write new training manuals, schedule times and locations to showcase the new equipment throughout the county; as well as staff and train poll workers for the upcoming elections.

Voter Registration - Karen Harris and her team are preparing for an onslaught of petitions along with a marked increase of new voter registration applications.

Elections Administration - Frank Celeste and his team are in the process of updating an absentee ballot request database of close to 65,000 requests for a mail ballot and, of course, learning the new equipment.

Warehouse - Pete Stone, and his team will be trying to figure out where the new equipment is going to be stored because we have to keep the old equipment for a while.

Information Technology - Michael Palmere and his team will be busy learning the new election software and running acceptance testing of the new equipment.

It all comes down to I REALLY NEED YOU! I know historically, I will lose about 100 poll workers because of new equipment. That does not include those who, for whatever reason, can no longer assist.

I know that all of us who work in Elections take pride in the job we do. We care deeply about providing fair and equitable elections to the voters of Volusia County. ARE YOU WITH ME?

Ann

VOTER REGISTRATION TOTALS:

(Figures shown are active voters as of 7/10/2015)

Democrats ........ 120,582
Republicans ...... 110,622
Other ................... 97,592

2015 MUNICIPAL ELECTION SCHEDULE

Municipal Primary: August 25, 2015
Book Closing Deadline: July 27, 2015

Municipal General: November 3, 2015
Book Closing Deadline: October 5, 2015

Participating Municipalities
Holly Hill, Lake Helen, Ponce Inlet, Daytona Beach Shores

2016 ELECTION SCHEDULE

PPP Election
(Presidential Preference Primary)
March 15, 2016

Primary Election
August 30, 2016

General Election
November 8, 2016

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NEW VOTING EQUIPMENT
ELECTION SYSTEMS & SOFTWARE (ES&S)

DS200

- The DS200 is a precinct-based ballot scanner and vote tabulator.
- Accumulates and transmits votes directly from the polling place.
- Lightweight, compact, and easy to set up and use in the polling place.
- Completely processes both sides of a ballot in six seconds or less. Handles bent or folded ballots with ease.
- Processes a variety of ballot sizes and designs, from 11 to 19 inches, including the ExpressVote® ballot activation card.
- Battery backup in case of a power outage and thermal paper means you never have to worry about power outages or running out of printer ink.

ExpressVote®

- The ExpressVote System combines paper-based voting with touch screen technology.
- Intuitive design offers streamlined simplicity for voters, poll workers and election staff.
- Complete and total independence is maintained while voters cast their own selections. Ballot provided in both audio and visual formats.
- Supports multiple languages.
- Voters may review a summary page and make changes before casting a ballot.
- The system produces a verifiable paper record for each voter that is digitally scanned for tabulation.

DS850

- The DS850 central scanner and tabulator is a high-speed digital ballot scanner and tabulator which can sort various ballot sizes at full speed.
- Scans and sorts 14-inch double-sided ballots at 300 per minute into three output trays, separating ballots into three categories: counted, requires further review, and write-ins.
- Designed specifically for the election process, the DS850 features a user-friendly software interface on a 15-inch LCD color touch screen. The S-shaped transporter allows for a natural flow, creating separation between individual ballots.
NEW VOTING EQUIPMENT DEMONSTRATIONS

COME JOIN US AS WE EXPLORE THE NEW VOTING SYSTEM...

The Department of Elections Training Team will be at the following locations to demonstrate the new voting equipment. Be among one of the firsts in the county to experience the new technology.

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For more information, contact the Training Team...
EMAIL: vceelectionteam@volusia.org PHONE: (386) 736-5930

NEW VOTING SYSTEM PURCHASE AND IMPLEMENTATION SCHEDULE

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POLL WORKER AVAILABILITY...CURRENT POLL WORKERS ONLY

Step 1. Indicate your availability and contact information.
Step 2. Return to: Department of Elections, Historic Courthouse
Attention: Training Team
125 W New York Ave, DeLand, FL 32720

CHECK ONE:
☐ I am available to work as a Poll Worker during the 2016 Elections.
☐ I no longer wish to be a Poll Worker. Please remove my name from the list.

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