

Official Election Guide

Leon County
Florida



2016 PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE PRIMARY ELECTION March 15, 2016



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Voter Fraud Hotline (in English and Español):
Toll Free 1-877-868-3737

To file a formal complaint regarding irregularities or fraud
involving voter registration, voting, candidate petition, or
issue petition activities, M-F 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. EST.



A MESSAGE FROM THE SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS ION SANCHO:

Leon County voters select their presidential candidate during Florida's March 15th Presidential Preference Primary. Early Voting has expanded to 7 locations around Leon County and all locations will be open for voting from Saturday, March 5th until Saturday March 12th. Of course on Tuesday March 15th, all 90 of your polling locations will be open for voting.

Voting laws differ widely from state to state. Florida law does not permit voters to vote in the upcoming Preference Primary unless you are a member of the Democratic or Republican Party, as we are a closed primary state. This law could impact 38,000 voters in Leon County. Most of these voters have chosen to register as NPA (no party affiliation) or with a minor party.

Fortunately, it's not hard to change your party in Florida and last month each of these voters were mailed a notification card along with a party update form. Many voters updated their party affiliation before the February 16th deadline in order to become eligible for this election.

Finally, I want to thank you, the citizens of Leon County, for allowing me the privilege and the honor of serving as your Supervisor of Elections for the past 28 years. This year will be my last, and will be the 7th Presidential Election cycle I have presided over. I cannot begin to express my

gratitude for allowing me to serve you. It has been a labor of love, allowing me to safeguard your right to vote and having it counted as you intended.

Ironically, the 2016 Presidential Election may be the most important election of my lifetime, so this year is doubly poignant for me. Don't allow the naysayers to convince you that voting is not important – it is important, and vitally so, to all of us who wish to keep this nation on the path of liberty and justice for all.

Please, vote!

2016 ELECTION DATES:

March 15, 2016

REGISTER BY TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16

Presidential Preference Primary Election

August 30, 2016

REGISTER BY MONDAY, AUGUST 1

Primary Election

November 8, 2016

REGISTER BY TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11

General Election



INTRODUCING ELECTRONIC POLLBOOKS



Leon County will introduce electronic pollbooks county-wide for the first time in 2016. Electronic pollbooks were first deployed in Leon County at Early Voting sites in 2014, now you will see them in action at your polling location too! All voting locations will be safely and securely connected to our voter database. This connectivity offers many advantages for voters and pollworkers including:

- Faster and more accurate voter check-in
- You may proceed to any open station, no more lines by last name
- Real time verification of voter information, including address changes and Vote By Mail Ballot status
- Ability to monitor voter turnout throughout Election Day



Share your voting experience on Twitter, Facebook or Instagram using #LeonVoting.

(We want to hear from you, but remember Florida law prohibits pictures inside the polling location. Please Tweet responsibly.)

Follow us @LeonVotes for election updates.



VOTING BY MAIL

NEW! YOU CAN NOW RENEW YOUR VOTE BY MAIL REQUEST ON YOUR VOTE BY MAIL ENVELOPE!

Request Deadline: Wednesday, March 9, 2016

By mail: PO Box 7357, Tallahassee, FL 32314

By Phone: 850-606-8683

Online: LeonVotes.org

If you forget to sign your Vote by Mail Ballot, you may complete the Unsigned Ballot Affidavit and have it counted.

Unsigned Ballot Affidavit Submission

Deadline: March 14, 2016

The Supervisor of Elections office must **RECEIVE** your mail ballot by 7pm on Election Day.

Ballots received after 7pm on Election Day **will not count**. Vote by Mail ballots are not accepted at the polls on Election Day.

VOTER'S CERTIFICATE: YOU MUST SIGN THIS OATH.

I, _____, do solemnly swear or affirm that I am a qualified and registered voter of Leon County, Florida, and that I have not and will not vote more than one ballot in this election. I understand that if I commit or attempt to commit any fraud in connection with voting, vote a fraudulent ballot, or vote more than once in an election, I can be convicted of a felony of the third degree and fined up to \$5,000, and/or imprisoned for up to 5 years. I also understand that failure to sign this certificate will invalidate my ballot.

VOTER SIGNATURE REQUIRED:

POWER OF ATTORNEY CANNOT SIGN FOR VOTER

DATE _____

Place your voted Ballot inside the secrecy sleeve and then seal it in this envelope.

SIGN HERE

Ballot must be received by the Supervisor of Elections no later than 7:00 PM on Election Day.

Make sure your vote is counted by signing the back of your Vote By Mail Ballot envelope!



PROVISIONAL BALLOTS

ELECTION OFFICIAL: 1. Complete the gray box on the reverse to witness ballot submission.
2. Detach receipt along perforation and provide for voter's records.
3. Complete the gray box beneath the receipt.

VOTER INFORMATION AND RECEIPT

Provisional Ballot Disclosure and Notice of Rights

Today you have been allowed to vote by Provisional Ballot. Your ballot will be securely transported to the Supervisor of Elections Office on election night. Your affidavit will be researched and the findings provided to the Canvassing Board. The Canvassing Board will decide your eligibility and whether or not your vote can be counted in this election.

MY RIGHTS

You have the right to present written evidence supporting your eligibility to vote to the Supervisor of Elections Office no later than 5 pm on the second day following this election. If you voted this ballot because we could not verify your Florida driver's license card number, Florida state identification card number or the last four digits of your social security card number, bring your card in person or provide a copy via mail, fax or email to the Supervisor by the deadline.

If you voted a provisional ballot solely because you did not have the proper photo and signature identification, you do not have to provide any further evidence. Your ballot will be counted if your signature on this envelope matches the signature on your registration record and if you voted in the proper precinct.

You have the right to find out if your ballot was counted, and if not, the reason why. You will receive a letter from the Supervisor of Elections Office advising you of the Canvassing Board's decision. You may also visit our website at LeonVotes.org. Enter your unique code (noted below) to learn the status of your ballot.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

If this is a primary election, you should contact the Supervisor of Elections Office immediately to confirm that you are registered and can vote in the general election.

If at any time you have questions regarding the voting process or, more specifically, voting by provisional ballot, please contact:

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vote@leoncountyfl.gov
Office number: (850) 606-VOTE (8683)
Fax number: (850) 606-8601

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«CODE»

A Provisional Ballot is used when an individual's voter eligibility is uncertain. It allows the Supervisor of Election's office to research the matter and determine if the person is eligible to vote.

Voters may track the status of their Provisional Ballot on our website, LeonVotes.org, or by calling our office at 850-606-8683.

Provisional Ballot voters must submit any eligibility documentation to the Supervisor of Elections office by **5:00 pm on March 17, 2016**.



SPEED UP THE VOTING PROCESS!

SPECIAL PULL OUT SECTION

Mark your selections on this special pull out section of our Official Election Guide and take it with you to vote – it will help speed up the voting process. Not every race listed on this Sample Ballot will be on your official ballot.

To see a copy of your actual ballot, visit our website, LeonVotes.org.

BRING YOUR PHOTO ID WITH YOU WHEN YOU VOTE

Current and valid picture ID, such as:

- FL Driver's License
- FL Identification Card
- US Passport
- Debit or Credit Card
- Military ID
- Student ID
- Retirement Center ID
- Neighborhood Association ID
- Public Assistance ID



*If the photo ID does not contain the signature of the voter, an additional ID that provides the voter's signature shall be required.
Voters at precincts without proper ID will be required to vote a Provisional Ballot.*

** Visit our website for the most up-to-date list of valid voting photo IDs. **


View your actual Sample Ballot at LeonVotes.org



**POLLS OPEN
7 AM – 7 PM
MARCH 15, 2016**

OFFICIAL SAMPLE BALLOT REPUBLICAN PARTY BALLOT

TUESDAY, MARCH 15, 2016


- TO VOTE, COMPLETELY FILL IN THE OVAL  NEXT TO YOUR CHOICE.
- Use only a black or blue marker or pen.
- If you make a mistake, don't hesitate to ask for a new ballot. If you erase or make other marks, your vote may not count.

**PRESIDENT
(Vote for One)**

- ☐ Jeb Bush
- ☐ Ben Carson
- ☐ Chris Christie
- ☐ Ted Cruz
- ☐ Carly Fiorina
- ☐ Jim Gilmore
- ☐ Lindsey Graham
- ☐ Mike Huckabee
- ☐ John R. Kasich
- ☐ Rand Paul
- ☐ Marco Rubio
- ☐ Rick Santorum
- ☐ Donald J. Trump

OFFICIAL SAMPLE BALLOT DEMOCRATIC PARTY BALLOT

TUESDAY, MARCH 15, 2016

- TO VOTE, COMPLETELY FILL IN THE OVAL  NEXT TO YOUR CHOICE.
- Use only a black or blue marker or pen.
- If you make a mistake, don't hesitate to ask for a new ballot. If you erase or make other marks, your vote may not count.

**PRESIDENT
(Vote for One)**

- ☐ Hillary Clinton
- ☐ Martin O'Malley
- ☐ Bernie Sanders



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EARLY VOTING

March 2016

		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

■ = Early Voting Dates

■ = Election Day

Early Voting Days and Times

Courthouse: 8:00 am – 4:00 pm, Saturday thru Saturday

6 Branch Libraries and Community Centers:
10:00 am – 6:00 pm, Saturday thru Saturday

Election Day – Last chance to vote is at your assigned polling Precinct or return your Vote by Mail Ballot at the Leon County Courthouse 7 am – 7 pm.

EARLY VOTING LOCATIONS:



Woodville Community Center

8000 Old Woodville Road



Ft. Braden Branch Library

16327 Blountstown Highway



Northeast Branch Library

5513 Thomasville Road



Eastside Branch Library

1583 Pedrick Road



Leon County Courthouse

301 South Monroe Street
First Floor Plaza



Lake Jackson Community Center

3840 N. Monroe St., Suite 301



Smith-Williams Community Center

2295 Pasco Street

Election occurs during Leon County Schools spring break week!

Free Parking Downtown

The Leon County Board of County Commissioners has approved the first hour free for parking downtown if you Early Vote at the Courthouse. The two garages operated by Republic are: Kleman Plaza, and at the southeast corner of College Avenue and Calhoun Street. ADA accessible parking is provided along Calhoun Street at the public entrance to the Courthouse. Affix your "I VOTED" sticker to your yellow parking ticket.








3 WAYS TO VOTE



3 Ways to

-  **Vote by Mail Ballot**
-  **Early Voting**
-  **At Your Precinct**

-  **VOTE BY MAIL BALLOTS** You may request a Vote by Mail Ballot for all elections or a single election. All voted Vote by Mail Ballots must be returned to the Elections Office prior to 7 p.m. on Election Day.
-  **EARLY VOTING** It's easy to vote at any one of our early voting locations across Leon County. All sites are open Saturday, March 5th through Saturday, March 12th, with times varying by location. Locations and times can be found on our website at LeonVotes.org.
-  **LAST CHANCE TO VOTE!** Voting hours are 7 am to 7 pm on Election Day at your assigned polling location. You can verify that we have your information correct by visiting our web site using the "My Voter Info" button, or you can call us at (850) 606-VOTE (8683).



VOTER'S BILL OF RIGHTS

Each registered voter in this state has the right to:

1. Vote and have her or his vote accurately counted.
2. Cast a vote if he or she is in line at the official closing of the polls in that county.
3. Ask for and receive assistance in voting.
4. Receive up to two replacement ballots if he or she makes a mistake prior to the ballot being cast.
5. An explanation if her or his registration or identity is in question.
6. If his or her registration or identity is in question, cast a provisional ballot.
7. Written instructions to use when voting, and, upon request, oral instructions in voting from Elections Officers.
8. Vote free from coercion or intimidation by Elections Officers or any other person.
9. Vote on a voting system that is in working condition and that will allow votes to be accurately cast.

— FL Dept. of State DS-DE 20



VOTER RESPONSIBILITIES

Each registered voter in this state should:

1. Familiarize herself or himself with the candidates and issues.
2. Maintain with the office of the Supervisor of Elections a current address.
3. Know the location of her or his polling place and its hours of operation.
4. Bring proper identification to the polling station.
5. Familiarize herself or himself with the operation of the voting equipment in his or her precinct.
6. Treat precinct workers with courtesy.
7. Respect the privacy of other voters.
8. Report any problems or violations of Election laws to the Supervisor of Elections.
9. Ask questions, if needed.
10. Make sure that her or his completed ballot is correct before leaving the polling station.

— FL Dept. of State DS-DE 21

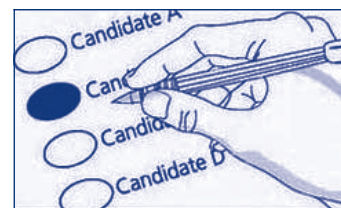


VOTING YOUR BALLOT



1 Fill in Ballot Correctly

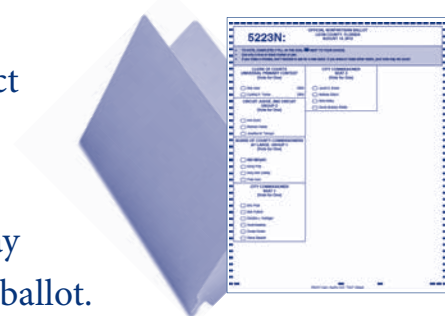
COMPLETELY fill in the oval to the left of the candidate or issue of your choice.



For a write in candidate, write the name on the line provided. Fill in the oval to the left.

2 Review Your Ballot

If you wish to change or correct your vote, let a poll worker know so you may be issued a new ballot.



You are allowed up to 3 tries to properly mark your ballot.

3 Cast Your Ballot

1. Place your ballot into the voting machine.
2. Wait for the machine to accept your ballot.
3. Return the privacy folder to the Machine Inspector and exit the voting area.



One Voice
One System
Voter Equality



LEON COUNTY POLLING LOCATIONS BY PRECINCT

PRECINCT LOCATION	ADDRESS
1203 John Wesley United Methodist Church	1689 Old St. Augustine Rd
1205 Hilaman Park Golf Course	2737 Blairstone Rd
1230 Hilaman Park Golf Course	2737 Blairstone Rd
1251 Jack L. McLean Center	700 Paul Russell Rd
1255 Faith Christian Family Center	310 Laura Lee Ave
1257 Woodville Community Center	8000 Old Woodville Rd
1259 Southwood Community Center	4675 Grove Park Dr
1301 Lincoln Neighborhood Center	438 W Brevard St
1302 Lincoln Neighborhood Center	438 W Brevard St
1303 Palmer Munroe Teen Center	1900 Jackson Bluff Rd
1309 FAMU – Grand Ballroom	1700 S Martin Luther King Blvd
1311 Dr. B L Perry, Jr. Library Branch	2817 S Adams St
1313 Smith-Williams Service Center	2295 Pasco St
1315 Jacob Chapel Baptist Church	2333 Lake Bradford Rd
1317 Jake Gaither Community Center	801 Tanner Dr
1319 Bethel AME Church	501 Orange Ave W
1321 Jack L. McLean Center	700 Paul Russell Rd
1327 Southwood Baptist Church	5177 Capital Cir SW
1351 Jacob Chapel Baptist Church	2333 Lake Bradford Rd
1353 Jacob Chapel Baptist Church	2333 Lake Bradford Rd
1355 Southwood Baptist Church	5177 Capital Cir SW
1359 Southwood Baptist Church	5177 Capital Cir SW
1361 Woodville Community Center	8000 Old Woodville Rd
1501 Family Worship and Praise Center	1609 Branch St
1502 Family Worship and Praise Center	1609 Branch St
1503 Lawrence-Gregory Community Center	1115 Dade St
1505 Springfield Community Center	1702 Joe Louis St
1507 Co-Cathedral – St. Thomas More	900 W Tennessee St
2251 Woodville Community Center	8000 Old Woodville Rd
2252 Woodville Community Center	8000 Old Woodville Rd
2303 St. City Ministries	1415 Daniels St
2305 Tallahassee Community College – AMTC Building	3958 W Pensacola St
2307 Crossway Baptist Church	405 Crossway Rd

PRECINCT LOCATION	ADDRESS
2355 Jacob Chapel Baptist Church	2333 Lake Bradford Rd
2358 Tallahassee Community College – AMTC Building	3958 W Pensacola St
2359 Bethel Methodist Church	1470 Bethel Church Rd
2363 Crossway Baptist Church	405 Crossway Rd
2365 Fort Braden Community Center	16387 Blountstown Hwy
2366 Crossway Baptist Church	405 Crossway Rd
2380 Generations Church	3080 W Tennessee St
2401 Moose Lodge	1478 Capital Cir NW
2451 Bethel Methodist Church	1470 Bethel Church Rd
2502 Palmer Munroe Teen Center	1900 Jackson Bluff Rd
2503 FSU Salley Hall	1106 W Call St
2506 Calvary United Methodist Church	218 Ausley Rd
2507 First Christian Church	1319 High Rd
2509 Mission San Luis	2100 W Tennessee St
2511 Generations Church	3080 W Tennessee St
2513 Moose Lodge	1478 Capital Cir NW
3101 Freedom Church 1 st Assembly of God	2801 Thomasville Rd
3103 Thomasville Road Baptist Church	3131 Thomasville Rd
3107 Impact Church	3361 Raymond Diehl Business Ln
3109 Immanuel Baptist Church	2351 Mahan Dr
3401 Taoist Tai Chi Society	2100 Thomasville Rd
3403 The Episcopal Church of the Advent	815 Piedmont Dr
3405 Freedom Church 1 st Assembly of God	2801 Thomasville Rd
3409 Gray Memorial United Methodist Church	2201 Old Bainbridge Rd
3411 Lake Jackson Community Center	3840 N Monroe St
3412 Lake Jackson Community Center	3840 N Monroe St
3413 Wildwood Presbyterian Church	100 Ox Bottom Rd
3451 Freedom Church 1 st Assembly of God	2801 Thomasville Rd
3453 Candlewood Suites	2815 Lakeshore Dr W
3455 Unitarian Universalist Church	2810 N Meridian Rd
3457 Fellowship Baptist Church	3705 N Monroe St
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3461 Lake Jackson Community Center	3840 N Monroe St
3467 St. Louis Catholic Church	3640 Fred George Rd
3468 Seminole Baptist Church	3330 Mission Rd
3469 Northwoods Baptist Church	3762 Capital Circle NW
3473 Friendship AME Church	5975 Old Bainbridge Rd
3475 Wildwood Presbyterian Church	100 Ox Bottom Rd
3477 Bethelonia AME Church	8997 N Meridian Rd
3501 Faith Presbyterian Church	2200 N Meridian Rd
3507 Gray Memorial United Methodist Church	2201 Old Bainbridge Rd
3509 Marzuq Shrine Center	1805 N Monroe St
3513 Seminole Baptist Church	3330 Mission Rd
3551 Candlewood Suites	2815 Lakeshore Dr W
4101 Premier Health & Fitness Center	3521 Maclay Blvd
4103 Fellowship Presbyterian Church	3158 Shamrock S
4105 St. Peters Prim. Bap. Church	2565 Centerville Rd
4107 St. Peters Prim. Bap. Church	2565 Centerville Rd
4119 Good Shepherd Catholic Church	4665 Thomasville Rd
4125 Celebration Baptist Church	3300 Shamrock E
4153 Tallahassee Heights United Methodist Church	3004 Mahan Dr
4155 Westminster Oaks	4449 Meandering Way
4157 Lighthouse Childrens Home	7771 Mahan Dr
4159 Miccosukee Community Center	13887 Moccasin Gap Rd
4161 The Retreat at Bradleys Pond	9002 Bradley Rd
4163 Fellowship Presbyterian Church	3158 Shamrock S
4167 Four Oaks Community Church	4500 W Shannon Lakes
4173 Indian Springs Baptist Church	5593 Veterans Memorial Dr
4184 St. Peters Prim. Bap. Church	2565 Centerville Rd
4401 Community of Christ Church	400 Timberlane Rd
4403 Good Shepherd Catholic Church	4665 Thomasville Rd
4405 Wildwood Presbyterian Church	100 Ox Bottom Rd
4408 Summerbrooke Golf Club	7505 Preservation Rd
4451 Premier Health & Fitness Center	3521 Maclay Blvd
4453 FL Association of Court Clerks	3544 Maclay Blvd

PRECINCT LOCATION	ADDRESS
4455 Christ Presbyterian Church	2317 Bannerman Rd
4457 Canopy Roads Baptist Church	925 Bannerman Rd
4459 Epiphany Lutheran Church	8300 Deerlake S
4461 Deer Lake United Methodist	8013 Deerlake S
5101 Westminster Gardens	301 E Carolina St
5103 Courtyard Marriott	1018 Apalachee Pky
5105 Sue H. McCollum Community Center	501 Ingleside Ave
5107 St. Stephens Lutheran Church	2198 N Meridian Rd
5110 United Church of Tallahassee	1834 Mahan Dr
5115 Grace Lutheran Church	2919 Miccosukee Rd
5153 Calvary Chapel	8614 Mahan Dr
5165 Grace Lutheran Church	2919 Miccosukee Rd
5201 Parks & Recreation Dept.	912 Myers Park Dr
5203 Optimist Park	1806 Indianhead Dr E
5204 Parks & Recreation Dept.	912 Myers Park Dr
5205 John Wesley United Methodist Church	1689 Old St. Augustine Rd
5207 Jackson Lodge	2818 Apalachee Pky
5209 Tallahassee Elks Lodge	276 N Magnolia Dr
5211 Towne East Baptist Church	1055 Richview Rd
5212 Capital City Christian Church	6115 Mahan Dr
5214 First Church of the Nazarene	1983 Mahan Dr
5219 Life Point Church	1224 Pedrick Rd
5220 Piney Z Plantation Lodge	950 Piney Z Plantation Rd
5221 Dept. of Agriculture Complex	3125 Conner Blvd
5223 Gospel Light Church	3415 Apalachee Pkwy
5225 Southwood Community Center	4675 Grove Park Dr
5227 Tallahassee Heights United Methodist Church	3004 Mahan Dr
5251 Morningside Baptist Church	1560 Pedrick Rd
5258 Gospel Light Church	3415 Apalachee Pkwy
5260 Woodrun Baptist Church	8203 Apalachee Pkwy
5261 Celebrate New Life Church	3050 Agape Ln
5263 Dorothy Spence Community Center	4768 Chaires Cross Rd
5284 Capital City Christian Church	6115 Mahan Dr
9000 Supervisor of Elections Office	315 S Calhoun St



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