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Media Alert

ELECTION REMINDERS FOR AUGUST 30 PRIMARY

Indian River County, FL – Below is all the information voters should know before heading to the polls on Tuesday, August 30, 2016 for the Primary Election.

- You must vote at your assigned polling place on Election Day.
- Election Day polls are open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.
- FLORIDA IS A CLOSED PRIMARY STATE: Only voters registered with a respective candidate's party may vote in partisan races. All voters, regardless of party affiliation, are eligible to vote for universal primary contests, nonpartisan races and ballot questions.
- Party changes and new applications were due into the Supervisor of Elections office by August 1st.
- Voters must present current and valid, photo and signature ID when voting, such as a Florida Driver's License. If voters do not present proper ID, they may vote a provisional ballot.
- To verify your polling location, visit <u>www.voteindianriver.com</u> and click "Find My Precinct" or call 226-3440.
- Voters who have moved into Indian River County from another Florida county should report their new address to the Supervisors office before Tuesday, August 30th to expedite the voting process.
- Election results will air on Comcast channel 13 in Vero Beach, Comcast channel 25 and U-verse channel 99 in Sebastian and on the Indian River County Government station, Comcast channel 27.
- Up-to-the-minute election night reporting will also be available at <u>www.voteindianriver.com</u>. Simply click the *Unofficial Results* link located on the homepage. Results will be updated periodically throughout the evening until all precincts are counted. For the most up-to-date results, remember to "refresh" the webpage.
- Voter turnout statistics are also available prior to and throughout Election Day. Select the *Voter Turnout* link to view a summary of vote-by-mail, early voting and Election Day turnout. Statistics may be filtered by party, date or precinct.

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