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Last Day to Register to Vote is Fast Approaching

Supervisor of Elections Leslie Swan reminds Indian River County residents that they **MUST** be registered to vote by October 10, 2011 in order to be eligible to vote in the November 8th, 2011 Municipal General Elections.

To be eligible, voters must be 18 years of age, US citizens, and legal residents of the State of Florida and Indian River County. Persons who have been convicted of a felony or adjudicated mentally incapacitated with respect to voting must have their right to vote restored before they are eligible to vote.

To register to vote, voter registration applications are available at the Supervisor of Elections office, public libraries, county offices, city halls or state agencies that provide public assistance. Applications are also available on the Supervisor of Elections website at www.voteindianriver.com. Completed applications must be signed, dated and returned to the Supervisor of Elections office by the close of business on October 10, 2011.

It is important to keep your voter information up to date. The information you provide determines your voting precinct and voter eligibility. In accordance with Florida Statute 97.055, the registration books close on the 29th day before each election. Once the registration books are closed, voter registration and party changes may be accepted for the purpose of subsequent elections only.

Registered voters may check their status at www.voteindianriver.com. To do so, click "Am I Registered?" on the website. Then, insert your last name, birthdate and the house number of your address and follow the online instructions.

Please remember that several polling places have been consolidated due to budget cuts. All voters affected by the change will receive a letter indicating their new polling location. Voters are encouraged to verify their polling place by calling the Elections Office or clicking "Find Your Precinct" on the Supervisor of Elections website.