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Media Alert

## **INITIAL ABSENTEE BALLOT MAILING FOR MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS**

**Indian River County, FL** – City of Sebastian and the City of Vero Beach voters who have an absentee ballot request on file should be on the lookout for their mail ballot. On Tuesday, September 29<sup>th</sup> the Supervisor of Elections Office sent an initial mailing of 1,733 ballots to domestic voters for the November 3<sup>rd</sup> Municipal Elections. An additional 22 absentee ballots were sent to military and overseas voters.

The deadline to request an absentee ballot to be delivered by mail for the November 3<sup>rd</sup> Municipal Elections is 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 28, 2015. After October 28<sup>th</sup>, voters may pick up an absentee ballot at the Elections Office, located at 4375 43<sup>rd</sup> Avenue in Vero Beach. On Election Day, voters must vote at their assigned voting precinct.

Voted absentee ballots must be received by the Elections Office no later than 7:00 p.m. on Election Day in order to be counted. Voters must place the ballot inside the official return envelope provided and sign the voter certificate on the backside of the envelope. Absentee ballots may be returned to the Elections Office in person or by mail. To track the status of an absentee ballot go to [VoteIndianRiver.com](http://VoteIndianRiver.com) and click "Track My Absentee Ballot" on the homepage.

All registered voters are eligible to vote by absentee ballot. Absentee ballots may be requested online, in person, by phone, fax, mail, or email. Call (772) 226-3440 or visit [www.voteindianriver.com](http://www.voteindianriver.com) to place your request. Supervisor of Elections Leslie Swan reminds voters to make sure that the address on file with the Elections Office is the address where they wish to have their ballot mailed. By law, absentee ballots cannot be forwarded, so a valid mailing address is required.

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