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Media Alert

## **UPDATE YOUR VOTER RECORD**

**Indian River County, FL** – The 2016 Presidential Election cycle is quickly approaching and the Indian River County Supervisor of Elections Office wants to ensure that each voter’s record is up-to-date. All registered voters should be on the lookout for a mailing from the Elections Office which provides voters with the opportunity to update their address and/or signature with the Elections Office, as well as request absentee ballots for future elections.

“Many voters move or their signatures change over time, and they forget to notify the Elections Office. Your address determines your voting precinct and voter eligibility, and signatures are used to verify absentee ballots, petitions, and voter eligibility at the polls. Therefore, it is important to keep your information updated. The outgoing mailer enables voters to update both their address and signature and request absentee ballots,” said Elections Supervisor Leslie Swan.

Voters who are unsure of their status may go to [www.voteindianriver.com](http://www.voteindianriver.com) and select “Am I Registered?” on the homepage. Insert your last name, birthdate and the house number of your residential address to check your record.

Those who are going out of town or do not want to wait in line to vote may use the attached form to request absentee ballots. Simply select the elections you wish to receive absentee ballots and either opt to have your ballot sent to your residential address, or provide the address where you wish your absentee ballot to be mailed. Remember absentee ballots cannot be forwarded, so a valid mailing address is required.

All updates, including absentee ballot requests require a signature. If you wish to update your signature, please check the signature update box. Once completed, follow the steps provided to fold and return the form to the Elections Office. Please seal with tape, not glue, add a first-class stamp and drop it in the mail. If you do not need to update your address or signature or request absentee ballots, it is not necessary to return the form.

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