

STAN STANART

COUNTY CLERK

Recording the Major Events of Your Life

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Early Voting for the Long Awaited Primaries Begins May 14, 2012



Houston, TX – Early voting by personal appearance for the long awaited May 29 Republican and Democratic Party Primary Elections will begin Monday, May 14, 2012, and continue through Friday, May 25, 2012. Traditionally held in March, the Texas primaries were delayed by the redistricting process.

The Primary elections are conducted by the two major political parties to select nominees that will represent their respective sides in the November General Election. In a Primary election cycle, voters can choose to participate in the election activities of only one of the political parties.

County Clerk and Chief Election Officer of the County Stan Stanart says "There will be 37 early voting locations across Harris County where any qualified voter may vote in one of the Primary Elections. There are many important contests on the ballots and I am excited that we are finally able to provide voters on both sides of the political spectrum the opportunity to participate in the major parties' candidate nomination process."

This year on the Republican ballot there are 201 candidates vying for 99 offices at various levels of government, including 10 Federal, 30 State, 20 County and 39 Judicial offices. There are also five non-binding ballot propositions. The Democratic Party has 149 candidates on the Primary ballot vying for 94 positions, including 11 Federal, 25 State, 22 County and 36 Judicial. There are three non-binding referendums in which voters can either support or reject.

To vote during this election, voters may use one of the following documents: Voter Registration Certificate; A driver's license or personal identification card issued to the person by the Department of Public Safety or a similar document issued to the person by an agency of another state, regardless of whether the license or card has expired; A form of identification containing the person's photograph that establishes the person's identity; A birth certificate or other document confirming birth that is admissible in a court of law and establishes the person's identity; A United States citizenship papers issued to the person; A United States passport issued to the person; Official mail addressed to the person by name from a governmental entity; A copy of a current utility bill, bank statement, government check, paycheck, or other government document that shows the name and address of the voter; or Any other form of identification prescribed by the Secretary of State.

To find an early voting location and view the early voting schedule please visit <u>www.harrisvotes.com</u> or contact the Harris County Clerk's Office at 713.755.6965 Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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Harris County Early Voting Locations for May 29, 2012 Primary Elections							
SRD	Location	Address	City	Zip			
1 MO	Harris County Administration Building	1001 Preston, 1st Floor	Houston	77002			
126C	Champion Forest Baptist Church - Multi Purpose Bldg.	4840 Strack Road	Houston	77069			
126W	Lone Star College University Park	20515 State Hwy 249	Houston	77070			
127K	Kingwood Branch Library	4400 Bens View Lane	Kingwood	77345			
128C	Crosby ISD Administration Building	706 Runneburg Road	Crosby	77532			
128P	Harris County Courthouse Annex #25	7330 Spencer Highway	Pasadena	77505			
129	Freeman Branch Library	16616 Diana Lane	Houston	77062			
130C	Cypress Top Park	26026 Hempstead Highway	Cypress	77429			
130T	Tomball Public Works Building	501B James Street	Tomball	77375			
131	Greater Saint Matthew Baptist Church	14919 South Main	Houston	77035			
132	Franz Road Storefront	19818 Franz Road	Katy	77449			
133M	Nottingham Park	926 Country Place Drive	Houston	77079			
134M	Metropolitan Multi-Service Center	1475 West Gray	Houston	77019			
134H	Harris County Public Health Environmental Service	2223 West Loop S	Houston	77027			
135	City of Jersey Village - City Hall	16327 Lakeview Drive	Jersey Village	77040			
137B	Bayland Park Community Center	6400 Bissonnet	Houston	77074			
137T	Tracy Gee Community Center	3599 Westcenter Drive	Houston	77042			
138B	Bear Creek Park Community Center	3055 Bear Creek Drive	Houston	77084			
138S	Trini Mendenhall Sosa Community Center	1414 Wirt Road	Houston	77055			
139	Acres Home Multi Service Center	6719 W. Montgomery	Houston	77091			
140	Hardy Senior Center	11901 West Hardy Road	Houston	77076			
141C	Northeast Multi-Service Center	9720 Spaulding St, Bldg. #4	Houston	77016			
141H	Octavia Fields Branch Library	1503 South Houston Avenue	Humble	77338			
142K	Kashmere Multi-Service Center	4802 Lockwood Dr.	Houston	77026			
142W	North Channel Branch Library	15741 Wallisville Road	Houston	77049			
143G	Galena Park City Hall	2000 Clinton	Galena Park	77547			
143R	Ripley House	4410 Navigation Boulevard	Houston	77011			
144B	Baytown Community Center	2407 Market Street	Baytown	77520			
145C	H.C.C.S Southeast College, Learning Hub	6815 Rustic, Bldg. D	Houston	77087			
145P	IBEW Hall #66	4345 Allen Genoa Road	Pasadena	77504			
146F	Fiesta Mart, Inc.	8130 Kirby	Houston	77054			



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146S	Sunnyside Multi-Service Center	4605 Wilmington	Houston	77051
147	Palm Center	5300 Griggs Road	Houston	77021
148M	Moody Park Community Center	3725 Fulton	Houston	77009
149A	Henington-Alief Regional Library	7979 South Kirkwood	Houston	77072
149G	Glen Cheek Education Building	16002 Westheimer Pkwy	Houston	77082
150	Champion Life Centre	3031 FM 2920 Road	Spring	77388
	EV location change			