

EARLY VOTING BEGINS IN SUMTER COUNTY FOR THE NOVEMBER 6, 2012 “GENERAL ELECTION”

ATTENTION VOTERS: WE ARE EXPECTING A HIGH VOTER TURNOUT FOR EARLY VOTING. THERE MAY BE LINES AT CERTAIN TIMES THROUGHOUT THE DAY. WE ASK THAT YOU PLEASE BE PATIENT AS WE WORK DILIGENTLY TO GET YOU THROUGH THE VOTING PROCESS AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE. PLEASE HAVE YOUR PHOTO AND SIGNATURE I.D. READY FOR THE INSPECTOR.

Please see the Early Voting Schedule listed below for the (4) locations, dates and times for the November 6, 2012 General Election.

NOTE: (Extremely Important) 101.043 Florida Statutes, requires photo and signature identification when you go to vote or you will vote a Provisional Ballot. Acceptable forms of identification include: Florida driver’s license, Florida I.D. card issued by the Dept. of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles, United States Passport, Debit or Credit card, Military I.D., Student I.D., Retirement Center I.D., Neighborhood Association I.D., and Public Assistance I.D. AGAIN, IF you DO NOT have proper identification, you will be given a Provisional Ballot and allowed to vote. ALSO, if your eligibility to vote cannot be determined, you will be allowed to vote a Provisional Ballot.

COMPLIMENTARY TRANSPORTATION TO VOTING POLLS

THE SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS OFFICE AND SUMTER COUNTY TRANSIT ARE WORKING TOGETHER TO SERVE OUR SUMTER COUNTY VOTERS. SUMTER COUNTY TRANSIT WILL BE PROVIDING TRANSPORTATION TO SUMTER COUNTY RESIDENTS ON THE FOLLOWING DATES LISTED BELOW (excluding Saturdays and Sundays) BUT INCLUDING ELECTION DAY. THE FARE IS WAIVED FOR THIS SERVICE!

RESIDENTS MAY UTILIZE THIS SERVICE BY BOARDING AT A DESIGNATED “SHUTTLE” STOP OR FOR DOOR TO DOOR SERVICE CALL 568-MOVE (6683) BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 8:00 A.M. AND 1:00 P.M. AT LEAST (3) DAYS BEFORE GOING TO VOTE. (excluding Saturdays and Sundays)

SUMTER COUNTY EARLY VOTING LOCATIONS

**Supervisor of Elections Office
900 North Main Street
Bushnell, FL 33513
352-569-1540**

**Supervisor of Elections Office
The Villages Sumter Co. Svc. Ctr.
7375 Powell Rd., Suite 145
Wildwood, FL 34785
352-689-4530**

**Supervisor of Elections Office
(Villages Gov. Annex Bldg)
8033 E. C-466, Suite 401
The Villages, FL 32162
352-689-4660**

**The Villages Library
325 Belvedere Blvd.
The Villages, FL 32162
352-689-4690**

PLEASE NOTE: IN 2011 THE FLORIDA LEGISLATURE MADE A CHANGE TO THE EARLY VOTING SCHEDULE. EARLY VOTING WILL NOW BE CONDUCTED FOR 8 DAYS ONLY (NOT 12 DAYS AS IN THE PAST)

EARLY VOTING BEGINS: (we are open through the lunch hour)

October 27 th	7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
October 28 th	7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
October 29 th	7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
October 30 th	7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
October 31 st	7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
November 1 st	7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
November 2 nd	7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
November 3 rd	7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

EARLY VOTING ENDS

NOVEMBER 6TH, 2012 ELECTION DAY - VOTE AT YOUR PRECINCT 7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. PLEASE DO NOT GO TO THE EARLY VOTING SITES ON THIS DAY.

ELECTION DAY THE SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS OFFICE IN THE VILLAGES ANNEX WILL BE OPEN FROM 8:00 UNTIL 3:00 P.M. AND THE VILLAGE SUMTER COUNTY SERVICE CENTER WILL BE OPEN FROM 8:00 A.M. UNTIL 3:00 P.M. AS STAFF IS NEEDED AT THE BUSHNELL OFFICE. IF YOU WILL BE DROPPING OFF AN ABSENTEE BALLOT AT EITHER OF THESE SATELLITE OFFICES, PLEASE DO SO DURING THE ABOVE HOURS.

TO AVOID HAVING TO VOTE A PROVISIONAL BALLOT: IF YOU HAVE MOVED INTO SUMTER COUNTY FROM ANOTHER COUNTY AND HAVE NOT CHANGED YOUR ADDRESS, PLEASE TAKE A MOMENT AND CALL OUR OFFICE BEFORE GOING TO VOTE AND CHANGE YOUR ADDRESS NOW. THIS WILL SAVE YOU TIME IN FILLING OUT PAPERWORK AT THE POLLS.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION PLEASE CALL 352-569-1540

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Sumter County, Florida**

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