

# **EARLY VOTING BEGINS IN SUMTER COUNTY FOR THE AUGUST 14, 2012 "PRIMARY 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 August 14, 2012 Primary 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 THE DAY 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  
(Villages Gov. Annex Bldg)  
8033 E. C-466, Suite 401  
The Villages, FL 32162  
352-689-4660

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

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)**

<b>August 04<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.</b>
<b>August 05<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.</b>
<b>August 06<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.</b>
<b>August 07<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.</b>
<b>August 08<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.</b>
<b>August 09<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.</b>
<b>August 10<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.</b>
<b>August 11<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.</b>

**EARLY VOTING ENDS**

**AUGUST 14TH, 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 9:15 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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