

Charleston County News Release

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County Reminds Citizens of Important Election Dates and Deadlines

The <u>Charleston County Board of Elections and Voter Registration (BEVR)</u> office reminds the public of important dates regarding the upcoming election on Tuesday, Nov. 2, 2010:

- Saturday, Oct. 2: Deadline to register to be eligible to vote in the Nov. 2, 2010 General Election.
 For more information on how to register, visit:
 - http://www.charlestoncounty.org/departments/BEVR/register.htm
- Saturday, Oct. 2: Board of Elections and Voter Registration office will be open from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.
 - For more information on the location, visit: http://www.charlestoncounty.org/departments/BEVR/index.htm#contact
- Friday, Oct. 29: Deadline for mailing absentee ballots.
 - For more information on absentee voting, visit: <u>http://www.charlestoncounty.org/departments/BEVR/absentee.htm</u>
- Saturday, Oct. 30: Board of Elections and Voter Registration office will be open from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.
 - For more information on the location, visit: http://www.charlestoncounty.org/departments/BEVR/index.htm#contact
- Monday, Nov. 1: Deadline for in-person absentee voting is 5 p.m.
 - For more information on absentee voting, visit: http://www.charlestoncounty.org/departments/BEVR/absentee.htm
- **Tuesday, Nov. 2**: Election Day polls are open from 7 a.m. 7 p.m. 7 p.m. is the deadline for absentee ballots to be returned.
 - For more information on voting on Election Day, visit: <u>http://www.charlestoncounty.org/departments/BEVR/voting.htm</u>.
- Friday, Nov. 5: Challenge/provisional ballot hearing and certification at 10 a.m. at the Elections Office located at 4367 Headquarters Road in North Charleston.

Charleston County recently announced that <u>400 more poll managers are needed</u> to adequately conduct the Nov. 2 election. Poll managers are compensated \$120 (\$60 for training and \$60 for working on Election Day) for each election they work, and they must work Election Day to be paid for the training session.

- For more information on being a poll manager, visit: <u>http://www.charlestoncounty.org/departments/BEVR/pm.htm</u>.
- To download an application and employment verification form, visit: <u>http://www.charlestoncounty.org/departments/BEVR/D-Vote_PollMgr.htm</u>.

For any election related questions, contact BEVR as follows:

- Visit the Web site at http://www.charlestoncounty.org/departments/BEVR/index.htm.
- By e-mail at <u>electionworkers@charlestoncounty.org</u>
- By phone at (843) 974-6421