



# News Release

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## Poll Managers Needed in Areas of Charleston County for Nov. 4<sup>th</sup> Election

*Earn \$120 and provide a valuable service to your community at the same time!*

The [Charleston County Board of Elections and Voter Registration \(BEVR\)](http://www.charlestoncounty.org/departments/bevr/) is in need of additional [poll managers](#) for the upcoming statewide election on Tuesday, Nov. 4, 2014. BEVR needs about 400 poll managers in the following areas: Mt. Pleasant, Isle of Palms and James Island.

"Poll managers have a unique opportunity to serve the community, meet their neighbors and become involved in the democratic process," said Joseph Debney, BEVR's Executive Director.

**Poll managers are compensated \$120 (\$60 for training and \$60 for working on Election Day) for each election they work. The poll manager must work Election Day to be paid for the training session.**

Election Day duties include: processing of voters, ballot distribution, activation of the voting system machines, compliance with election law and procedures, and general voter assistance.

### **Applicants must be:**

- A registered voter in Charleston County or an adjoining county (Dorchester, Berkeley, Georgetown or Colleton County). Students ages 16 and 17 may apply as well, although they are not registered voters.
- Willing and able to attend a Poll Manager Training Session (two to three hours in length) and pass a written certification test.
- Prepared to work the entire Election Day, from 6 a.m. until approximately 7:30 p.m.
- Non-partisan and neutral when working an election.

### **To apply for a poll manager position:**

Visit <http://www.charlestoncounty.org/departments/bevr/files/PM-Application.doc> to download an application and employment verification form.

For questions, please contact [pmarthur@charlestoncounty.org](mailto:pmarthur@charlestoncounty.org) or by phone at (843) 974-6421.

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