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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

Public Records Exemption Passes for Military Voter Registration Record

June 3, 2015 – Crestview, FL – Florida House Bill 185 – providing for the exemption from public release of the records of certain military and their family members – was signed into law on June 2, 2015. Current and former servicemembers of the US Armed Forces, Reserve Forces or National Guard who served after September 11, 2001 are eligible to apply for the exemption. Military spouses and voting-age children are also able to be protected.

Individuals requesting this exemption for their voter registration information must submit a request form to the Supervisor of Elections. In doing so, they must agree to having already made a reasonable effort to protect their identity and location information from being accessible through other means available to the public (Facebook, other social media, websites, etc.).

Voter registration information is public record in Florida with a few exceptions. Information such as your social security number, driver's license number, and the source of your voter registration application cannot be released or disclosed to the public under any circumstances. Your signature can be viewed, but not copied. Other information such as your name, address, date of birth, party affiliation, and when you voted is public information.

Exemption request forms can be found on the Supervisor of Elections website at www.GoVote-Okaloosa.com.

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OKALOOSA COUNTY SUPERVISOR OF ELECTIONS
MILITARY REQUEST FOR EXEMPTION OF VOTER REGISTRATION RECORD
Section 119.071(5) Florida Statutes

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____
Address: _____ Voter ID #: _____
Mailing Address (if different): _____

I hereby certify I am a current or former member of the Armed Forces of the United States, a reserve component of the Armed Forces of the United States, or the National Guard, who served after September 11, 2001.

I also have made reasonable efforts to protect my identification and location information from being accessible through other means available to the public (Facebook, websites, etc).

I hereby request that my voter registration record be exempt from public disclosure. I further request that the voter registration record(s) of my spouse and dependent(s) listed below also be exempt from public disclosure.

Signature

Date

Additional Individuals to Exempt (Spouse and voting age children)
(Name, Date of Birth, Relationship, Address) x3

Please return your completed form to: Paul Lux, Okaloosa County Supervisor of Elections
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