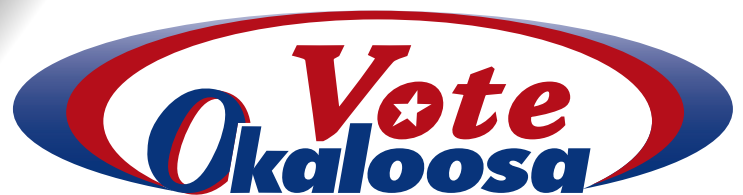


OKALOOSA COUNTY SAMPLE BALLOT

PRIMARY ELECTION AUGUST 28, 2018



Paul Lux, Okaloosa County Supervisor of Elections

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EARLY VOTING

**Early Voting for the August 28, 2018 Primary Election will be held:
Saturday, August 18th - Saturday, August 25th**

Early Voting Hours - 10am-6pm ALL days at the following locations:

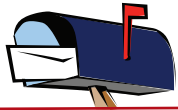
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302 N Wilson St, Ste 102
Crestview, FL 32536

**Okaloosa County
Administration Building**
1250 Eglin Pkwy
Shalimar, FL 32579

Crestview Public Library
1445 Commerce Dr
Crestview, FL 32539

Niceville City Hall
208 N Partin Dr
Niceville, FL 32578

Destin Community Center
101 Stahlman Ave
Destin, FL 32541



VOTE BY MAIL

Move your polling place to your living room. Request your ballot by contacting the Supervisor of Elections Office via telephone, email, mail, in person or by visiting our website. Vote-By-Mail ballots must be received by the Supervisor of Elections office by 7pm on Election Day in order to be counted. The deadline to request a Vote-By-Mail ballot be mailed to you is Wednesday, August 22, 2018.



PRECINCT VOTING

**Polls are open 7am - 7pm on Election Day!
August 28, 2018, Primary Election**

Be sure to bring a current and valid photo ID for precinct and early voting! If the photo ID does not contain your signature, an additional ID that includes your signature shall be required. Approved forms of photo ID are:

- Florida Driver's License
- Florida ID Card issued by the Department of Highway Safety & Motor Vehicles
- Military ID
- Current U.S. Passport
- Debit/Credit Cards
- Student ID
- Retirement Center ID
- Neighborhood Association ID
- Public Assistance ID
- FL Concealed Carry Permit
- Veteran Health ID Card
- Federal, State, or Local Government Employee ID Card

Dear Okaloosa County Voters,

We have prepared this Sample Ballot booklet to help guide you through the races you will be voting on in the August 28th Primary and to update you with any changes in law since the last time you voted.

This year there are three (3) Nonpartisan Races - School Board Districts 1, 3, and 5. These races are open to all voters regardless of party affiliation. We elect our School Board "at-large," so all voters vote for all members regardless of the district in which you live.

While there is a ballot style for every voter—Republican, Democrat, or minor/no party—not everyone will see all the races presented in this booklet. There are many closed primary races, so please make careful note of those. There are several Municipal and Special District Referenda races as well, in which only certain voters are eligible to vote, please note which precinct you live in to determine if you are eligible.

Some important things to remember:

- **Have you moved recently?** Let us know before election day!
- **Did you bring a photo/signature ID?** You must present valid ID!
- **Do you need assistance voting?** Bring a friend or let our Patriot Poll Workers assist you!

If you still have questions after looking this over, please visit our website at www.govote-okaloosa.com, call us, or feel free to e-mail me at plux@myokaloosa.com any time. It is my honor and privilege to serve you.

Sincerely,

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FLORIDA IS A CLOSED PRIMARY STATE



Florida is a closed primary state. Typically, only the two major parties (Republican and Democratic) have primaries, which are nominating elections, and you have to be registered as a member of the party in whose primary you wish to vote.

Pursuant to a change in election law, registered minor parties are eligible to have primaries also. However, all registered voters, regardless of party, vote in a primary on the nonpartisan races, such as School Board members, Judges, and referenda. The only exception to the closed primary is for a Universal Primary Contest.

UNIVERSAL PRIMARY CONTESTS

You always get to vote on who holds office. By State Constitutional amendment in 1998, Florida created the Universal Primary Contest. If only people from one political party sign up to run for any particular office, then every voter gets a chance to vote in that race to decide who the winner will be - regardless of the voter's political party. Please note - there are no Universal Primary Contests for the August 28, 2018 Primary Election.

PROVISIONAL BALLOTS

In order to ensure that no eligible voter is turned away, the law provides a method of voting for a person whose eligibility may be questioned at the polls. If no final determination can be made at the time of voting, or if the voter disagrees with a determination of eligibility, he or she may vote a provisional ballot. This ballot is secured in an envelope and the Canvassing Board will determine whether it is to be counted after research is completed by the elections office.

In addition, the voter has until 5 pm on the second day after the election to provide any further evidence he or she may have to prove his or her eligibility. All provisional voters are given written notice of free access to information on the disposition of his or her own provisional ballot.

Please note: A voter who fails to bring photo and signature ID when voting is required by law to vote a provisional ballot. However, no further proof of eligibility is required by the voter. The voter's signature will be compared to the signature on file and counted if it matches. Voting by affirmation for lack of ID has been repealed.

SIGNATURE UPDATE

Has your signature changed from

 to 

If so, please update your signature at either of our offices. Any voter who needs to update his or her signature must do so before the August 14, 2018, Canvassing Board meeting.

REPUBLICAN Ballot for Precincts 1-52
This composite ballot is for Republican voters county-wide.

- **Instructions: To vote, fill in the oval completely (●) next to your choice. Use only the marking pen provided or a blue or black pen.**
- **If you make a mistake, ask for a new ballot. Do not cross out, or your vote may not count.**

United States Senator (Vote for 1)	Commissioner of Agriculture (Vote for 1)	
<input type="radio"/> Roque "Rocky" De La Fuente <input type="radio"/> Rick Scott	<input type="radio"/> Matt Caldwell <input type="radio"/> Denise Grimsley <input type="radio"/> Mike McCalister <input type="radio"/> Baxter Troutman	
Representative in Congress District 1 (Vote for 1)		
<input type="radio"/> Cris Dosev <input type="radio"/> Matt Gaetz <input type="radio"/> John Mills	Nonpartisan Offices	
Governor and Lt. Governor (Vote for 1)	School Board Member District 1 (Vote for 1)	
<input type="radio"/> Don Baldauf Not Yet Designated <input type="radio"/> Ron DeSantis Not Yet Designated <input type="radio"/> Timothy M. Devine Not Yet Designated <input type="radio"/> Bob Langford Not Yet Designated <input type="radio"/> John Joseph Mercadante Not Yet Designated <input type="radio"/> Bruce Nathan Not Yet Designated <input type="radio"/> Adam H. Putnam Not Yet Designated <input type="radio"/> Bob White Not Yet Designated	<input type="radio"/> Willie Harmon <input type="radio"/> Lamar White	
	School Board Member District 3 (Vote for 1)	
	<input type="radio"/> Alby D. Clendennin IV <input type="radio"/> Linda Evanchyk <input type="radio"/> Joe Slusser	
	School Board Member District 5 (Vote for 1)	
	<input type="radio"/> Diane Kelley <input type="radio"/> Bran McAllister	
	<u>Municipal and Special District Referenda</u> Please find the below ballot measures on pg. 7 of this booklet.	
	(A) Cinco Bayou Town Referendum will appear here. Only voters who reside in Cinco Bayou in Precinct 27 will have this measure.	
	(B) City of Crestview Referenda will appear here. Only voters that reside within the limits of the City of Crestview, in Precincts 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 45, and 52, will have these measures.	
Attorney General (Vote for 1)		
<input type="radio"/> Ashley Moody <input type="radio"/> Frank White	(C) Florosa Fire Control District Referendum will appear here. Only voters within the Florosa Fire District in Precinct 34 and part of Precinct 47 will have this measure.	

DEMOCRATIC Ballot for Precincts 1-52
This composite ballot is for Democratic voters county-wide.

- **Instructions: To vote, fill in the oval completely (●) next to your choice. Use only the marking pen provided or a blue or black pen.**
- **If you make a mistake, ask for a new ballot. Do not cross out, or your vote may not count.**

Representative in Congress District 1 (Vote for 1)	Nonpartisan Offices	
<input type="radio"/> Phil Ehr <input type="radio"/> Jennifer M. Zimmerman	School Board Member District 1 (Vote for 1)	
Governor and Lt. Governor (Vote for 1)	<input type="radio"/> Willie Harmon <input type="radio"/> Lamar White	
<input type="radio"/> Andrew Gillum Not Yet Designated	School Board Member District 3 (Vote for 1)	
<input type="radio"/> Gwen Graham Not Yet Designated	<input type="radio"/> Alby D. Clendennin IV <input type="radio"/> Linda Evanchyk <input type="radio"/> Joe Slusser	
<input type="radio"/> Jeff Greene Not Yet Designated	School Board Member District 5 (Vote for 1)	
<input type="radio"/> Chris King Not Yet Designated	<input type="radio"/> Diane Kelley <input type="radio"/> Bran McAllister	
<input type="radio"/> Philip Levine Not Yet Designated	<u>Municipal and Special District Referenda</u> Please find the below ballot measures on pg. 7 of this booklet.	
<input type="radio"/> Alex "Lundy" Lundmark Not Yet Designated	<div style="border: 1px solid red; border-radius: 50%; width: 30px; height: 30px; display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: center; margin: 0 auto;">A</div> Cinco Bayou Town Referendum will appear here. Only voters who reside in Cinco Bayou in Precinct 27 will have this measure.	
Attorney General (Vote for 1)	<div style="border: 1px solid red; border-radius: 50%; width: 30px; height: 30px; display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: center; margin: 0 auto;">B</div> City of Crestview Referenda will appear here. Only voters that reside within the limits of the City of Crestview, in Precincts 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 45, and 52, will have these measures.	
<input type="radio"/> Sean Shaw <input type="radio"/> Ryan Torrens		
Commissioner of Agriculture (Vote for 1)	<div style="border: 1px solid red; border-radius: 50%; width: 30px; height: 30px; display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: center; margin: 0 auto;">C</div> Florosa Fire Control District Referendum will appear here. Only voters within the Florosa Fire District in Precinct 34 and part of Precinct 47 will have this measure.	
<input type="radio"/> Nicole "Nikki" Fried <input type="radio"/> Jeffrey Duane Porter <input type="radio"/> Roy David Walker		

NONPARTISAN Ballot for Precincts 1-52
This composite ballot is for voters with no party
or minor party affiliation county-wide.

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Nonpartisan Offices

**School Board Member
District 1**
(Vote for 1)

- ☐ Willie Harmon
- ☐ Lamar White

**School Board Member
District 3**
(Vote for 1)

- ☐ Alby D. Clendennin IV
- ☐ Linda Evanchyk
- ☐ Joe Slusser

**School Board Member
District 5**
(Vote for 1)

- ☐ Diane Kelley
- ☐ Bran McAllister

**Municipal and Special
District Referenda**

Please find the below ballot
measures on pg. 7 of this booklet.

**(A) Cinco Bayou Town
Referendum will appear here.
Only voters who reside in
Cinco Bayou in Precinct 27
will have this measure.**

**(B) City of Crestview Referenda
will appear here. Only voters
that reside within the limits
of the City of Crestview, in
Precincts 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 45,
and 52, will have these
measures.**

**(C) Florosa Fire Control District
Referendum will appear here.
Only voters within the Florosa
Fire District in Precinct 34 and
part of Precinct 47 will have
this measure.**

MUNICIPAL AND SPECIAL DISTRICT REFERENDA

The following measures are referenda for the listed municipalities and special districts, and may not appear on every ballot. Please read any instructions included above the measure thoroughly to see if they apply to you.

Cinco Bayou Town Referendum

Only voters who reside in Cinco Bayou in Precinct 27 will have this measure.

Term of Office for Town Council Members To Be Four (4) Years

The Town Charter currently provides that the term of office for Town Council members is two (2) years. This amendment will provide that the term of office for Town Council members shall be four (4) years.

- ☐ Yes FOR adopting amendment to Town Charter
- ☐ No AGAINST adopting amendment to Town Charter

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B

City of Crestview Referenda

Only voters that reside within the limits of the City of Crestview, in Precincts 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 45, and 52, will have the below measures.

Charter Amendment No. 1

Relating to a New City Charter for the City of Crestview Florida.

Much of the current City Charter is obsolete and redundant. Shall the current City Charter be repealed and replaced with a comprehensively reworded Charter that conforms to municipal home rule powers granted by Florida Law; describes and clarifies the duties, responsibilities and authority of City officials; makes format changes; and deletes obsolete and redundant language?

- ☐ YES For adopting the amendment to the City Charter
- ☐ NO Against adopting the amendment to the City Charter

Charter Amendment No. 2

Relating to the Adoption of a Council - Manager Form of Government

The current Charter provides for a Council-Mayor form of Government. Shall the City Charter be amended to provide a Council-Manager form of Government whereby the City Council shall, by majority vote, appoint a City Manager? If adopted, the City Manager will answer to the City Council and will direct all department heads, allowing Council to focus on legislative responsibilities.

- ☐ YES For adopting the amendment to the City Charter
- ☐ NO Against adopting the amendment to the City Charter

Charter Amendment No. 3

Relating to the Office of City Clerk

The City Charter currently provides for an elected City Clerk. Shall the City Charter be amended to provide for a City Clerk that is appointed by a majority vote of the City Council? If the amendment passes it further defines the City Clerk's powers and duties but does not diminish the Clerk's governmental role.

- ☐ YES For adopting the amendment to the City Charter
- ☐ NO Against adopting the amendment to the City Charter

Florosa Fire Control District Referendum

Only voters within the Florosa Fire District in Precinct 34 and part of Precinct 47 will have this measure.

Millage Cap Increase To Enhance Current Florosa Fire Control District Services And For New Construction

In order to enhance Florosa Fire Control District's Fire Rescue Services by hiring paid part-time firefighters and constructing a new fire station for the citizens of the District, shall the District be allowed to increase the millage cap from the current rate of one (1.0) mills, approved in 1974, to three (3.0) mills on non-exempt assessments? This change in no way means the District will immediately raise the current millage to the cap.

- ☐ YES for Approval
- ☐ NO for Rejection

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HOW TO MARK A PAPER BALLOT (OPTICAL SCAN)



OTHER IMPORTANT VOTING INFORMATION

IDENTIFICATION

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- Retirement Center ID
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- FL Concealed Carry License
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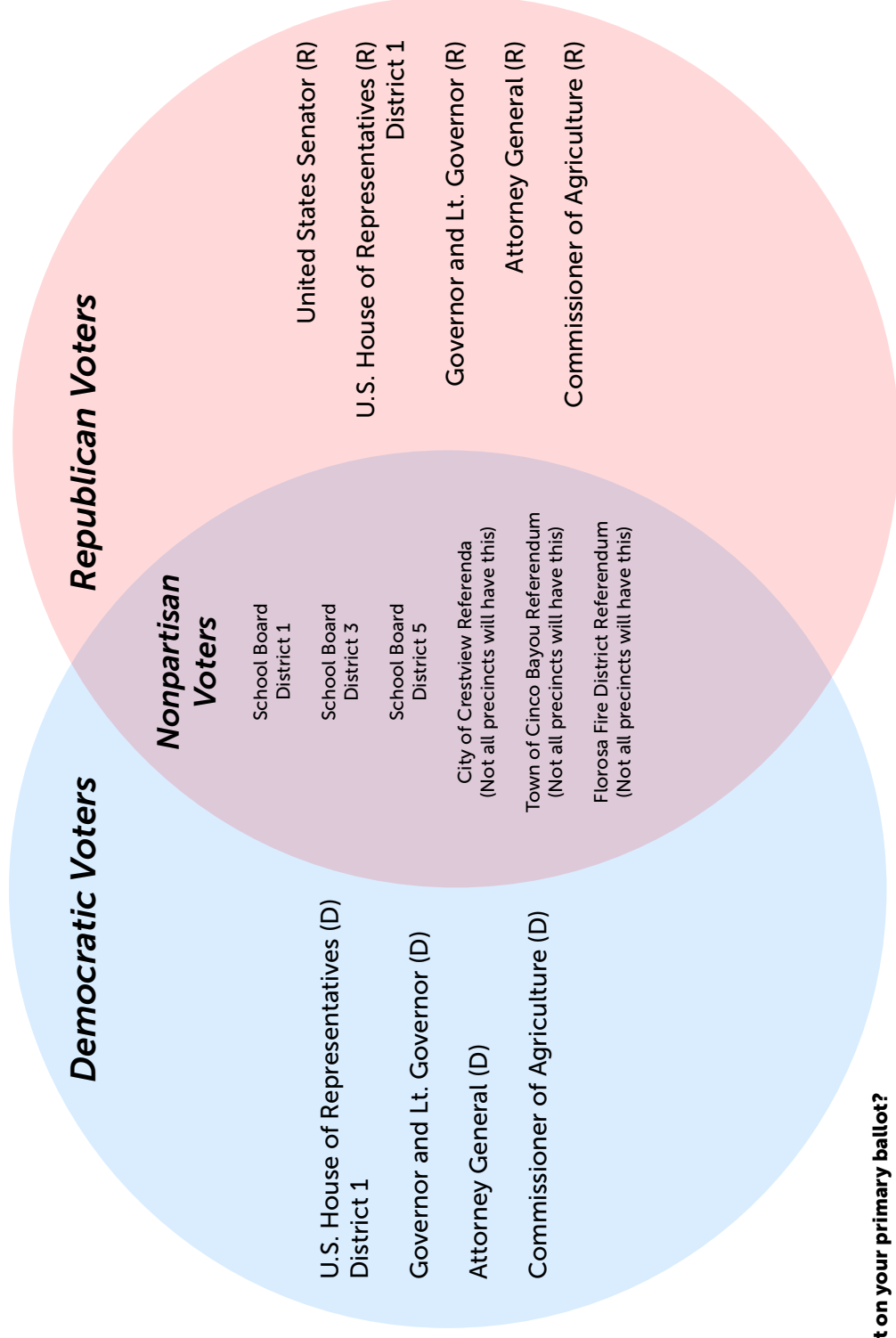
ADDRESS CHANGE

If you have moved recently and have a new address other than the one in the poll register, you will be asked to see the Clerk to determine if you are in the correct precinct. It is a third-degree felony to vote in a precinct other than which you live. If you would like to verify your address with our office before Election Day, just call, email us, or use our online Voter Lookup Tool.

NEED ASSISTANCE AT THE POLLS?

Need assistance to vote? You can bring a friend or family member, but our Patriot Poll Workers are well trained and qualified to assist you. All polling places are accessible to voters with special needs. AutoMARK ballot marking devices are available for voters with disabilities to vote secretly and independently.

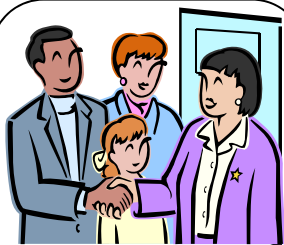
Your August 28, 2018 Primary Ballot at a Glance



What is not on your primary ballot?

Constitutional Amendments
 County Sales Tax Referendum
 Fire Control District Races
 NPA candidates in partisan contests
 Write-in candidates

WHAT TO EXPECT AT THE POLLS



THE BAILIFF

I'm a special deputy who will greet you at the door and provide assistance when needed. I'll remind you to silence your cell phone and to have your ID ready!



THE GREETER

I'm especially helpful to first-time voters, giving ballot demonstrations and answering most questions. I even have special ballots for the kids, too!



EVID INSPECTOR

I have the poll register with your name in it. I'll ask for your ID and check your signature before giving you a Voting Pass. I should never tell you that you can't vote!



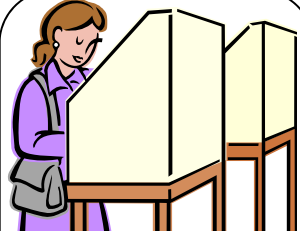
BALLOT INSPECTOR

I take your Voting Pass and give you your ballot in a secrecy folder. Then I'll point your way to the voting booth to mark your ballot.



THE AUTOMARK

The law requires that each precinct have a voting machine for voters with special needs. It helps voters who have visual or other impairments to vote independently.



VOTE!

Vote your secret ballot in the booth provided. ***If you make a mistake, please ask for a new ballot!*** All done? Put your ballot in the folder and head for the Ballot Box.



BALLOT BOX INSPECTOR

I stand near the Ballot Box to assist voters should a problem arise. If one does, I can always call the Clerk!



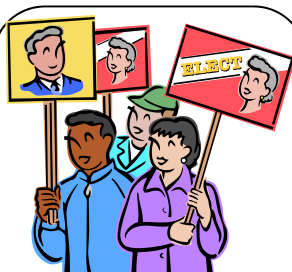
NEED ASSISTANCE?

If you have any special needs that will make your voting experience easier and faster, just ask! There are plenty of friendly poll workers waiting to help!



THE CLERK

I'm in charge of the precinct. If you have any questions or need extra assistance, I'll be happy to help. There's no problem I can't solve!



SOLICITATION

Equally popular and unpopular, the law prohibits any form of solicitation within 100 feet of your polling place.



THANK YOU!

After you slide your ballot into the Ballot Box, you're finished! Don't leave without your "I Voted" sticker and wear it proudly!

OKALOOSA COUNTY POLLING PLACES

<u>PCT #</u>	<u>PCT NAME</u>	<u>POLLING PLACE</u>
1	Baker	Baker Area Recreation Assn. Bldg., 5503 Hwy 4, Baker
2	Blackman	Blackman Community Center, 7590 Hwy 189 N, Blackman
3	Milligan	Milligan Assembly of God Church, 5408 Hwy 4, Milligan
4	Holt	First Baptist Church of Holt, 532 Hwy 90 W, Holt
5	Laurel Hill	First Baptist Church of Laurel Hill, 3972 2nd Ave, Laurel Hill
6	Garden City	Auburn Pentecostal Church, 6144 Hwy 85 N, Crestview
7	Dorcas	Dorcas Baptist Church, Education Bldg, 5880 McCallum Rd, Dorcas
8	Honey Creek	Emmanuel Baptist Church, 3252 James Lee Blvd E, Crestview
9	Yellow River	New Beginnings Church, 412 James Lee Blvd W, Crestview
10	West Wright	The Covenant Community Church, 1007 Gospel Rd, Ft Walton Beach
11	East CV	Lifepoint Church, 400 Ferdon Blvd S, Crestview
12	West CV	Carver Hill School, 461 School Ave W, Crestview
13	North CV	Woodlawn Baptist Church, 824 Ferdon Blvd N, Crestview
14	West NV	St. Jude's Episcopal Church, 200 Partin Dr N, Niceville
15	Valparaiso	First Baptist Church of Valparaiso, 444 Valparaiso Pkwy, Valparaiso
16	Shalimar	Okaloosa County Administration Building, 1250 Eglin Pkwy, Shalimar
17	Central Wright	Wright Baptist Church, 795 Beal Pkwy NW, Ft Walton Beach
18	Ocean City	Beachside Community Church, 200 Racetrack Rd NW, Ft Walton Beach
19	East FWB	Beulah First Baptist Church, 109 McGriff St, Ft Walton Beach
20	West Destin	Destin Community Center, 101 Stahlman Ave, Destin
21	Mary Esther	First Baptist Church, 28 North St, Mary Esther
22	S. Central FWB	St. Mary Catholic Church Parish Life Center, 110 St. Mary Ave SW, Ft Walton Beach
23	Eglin	West Gate Chapel, Eglin Blvd - Bldg 2574, Eglin AFB
24	West FWB	Knights of Columbus, 205 Carol Ave NW, Ft Walton Beach
25	N Central NV	Holy Name of Jesus Catholic Church, 1200 Valparaiso Blvd, Niceville
26	Seminole	Christ Our Redeemer Catholic Church, 1028 White Point Rd, Niceville
27	Cinco Bayou	Cinco Bayou Town Hall, 10 Yacht Club Dr, Ft Walton Beach
28	Garniers	Cinco Bayou Town Hall, 10 Yacht Club Dr, Ft Walton Beach
29	Golf Course	Trinity United Methodist Church, 403 Racetrack Rd NW, Ft Walton Beach
30	Okaloosa Island	Elks Lodge, 1335 Miracle Strip Pkwy, Ft Walton Beach
31	Longwood	Bob Hope Village Welcome Center, 92 Sunset Ln, Shalimar
32	Ferry Park	The Church of Christ, 232 Hollywood Blvd SE, Ft Walton Beach
33	Rocky Bayou	First Presbyterian Church, 1800 John Sims Pkwy, Niceville
34	Florosa	St. Peter Catholic Church, 100 Francis St, Mary Esther
35	North Destin	Destin United Methodist Church, 200 Beach Dr, Destin
36	South NV	Holy Name of Jesus Catholic Church, 1200 Valparaiso Blvd, Niceville
37	Lake Lorraine	Okaloosa County Administration Building, 1250 Eglin Pkwy, Shalimar
38	North Gate	Salvation Army Chapel, 425 Mary Esther Cut-Off, Ft Walton Beach
39*	E Wright	Wright Baptist Church, 795 Beal Pkwy NW, Ft Walton Beach
40	South Bluewater	Christ Our Redeemer Catholic Church, 1028 White Point Rd, Niceville
41	N Central FWB	St. Mary Catholic Church Parish Life Center, 110 St. Mary Ave SW, Ft Walton Beach
42*	New Heights	Santa Rosa Mall Community Room, 300 Mary Esther Blvd, Mary Esther
43	S Central NV	Holy Name of Jesus Catholic Church, 1200 Valparaiso Blvd, Niceville
44	Central Destin	Destin United Methodist Church, 200 Beach Dr, Destin
45*	South CV	InDyne, 4050 Ferdon Blvd S, Crestview
46	North Bluewater	Bluewater Community Church, 4580 Range Rd, Niceville
47	Wynnehaven Bch	St. Peter Catholic Church, 100 Francis St, Mary Esther
48	Westwood	The Meridian at Westwood, 1001 Mar Walt Dr NW, Ft Walton Beach
49	East Destin	Destin City Hall Annex, 4100 Indian Bayou Trl, Destin
50	South Destin	Destin City Hall Annex, 4100 Indian Bayou Trl, Destin
51	Airport Rd	Airport Road Church of Christ, 2845 Airport Rd, Crestview
52	Live Oak	Live Oak Baptist Church, 4565 Live Oak Church Rd, Crestview

POLLS OPEN FROM 7 AM TO 7 PM

39* New location, new name. Formerly Sons of Italy. Precincts 17 and 39 are now combined.

42* New location, new name. Formerly Destiny Worship Center. Formerly Abundant Life Church.

45* New location, new name. Formerly Foxwood Country Club.

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Saturday, August 18th - Saturday, August 25th

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See page 2 for Early Voting Locations

BEAT THE RUSH, VOTE EARLY!

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