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February 2023 aRRgh you ready to vote, **CITY OF TAMPA?**



Blimey! It be busy times here in Tampa.

Just last month, pirates took over our city. Now, voters living in the city will be voting for mayor, several city council seats and four charter amendments. If you live in the City of Tampa, watch your mail later this month for a sample ballot or view your sample ballot online now at VoteHillsborough.gov/SampleBallot.



As you aRRRgh making your plan to vote, I want to remind you of three important Rs:



In Florida, you must be registered to vote at least 29 days before an election to vote in that election. For this election, the registration deadline was February 6. However, if you are already registered to vote in Florida, you can update your name or address at any time – even on Election Day.



If you're a voter who regularly votes by mail, you should know that your last request has expired. New legislation requires you to submit a new request after every general election if you want to receive ballots in the mail.



Find out if you're eligible to vote in this election (you have to live in the city limits), make sure you're registered at your current address (see the *first R*), see who's running for office, and plan when and how you'll vote. The research is easy on my website, VoteHillsborough.gov.

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Three Ways to Vote

Just like there are three important Rs to remember, there are three ways to cast your ballot in Florida – **your choice**, **your voice**!



🚺 Vote By Mail

Voted ballots due in my office by 7 p.m. March 7

Receive your ballot in the mail (by request only). Visit the Vote By Mail page on my website to get started.



Early Voting

February 27 through March 5, 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Cast your ballot in person before Election Day. Choose the time and place that works for you.

EARLY VOTING LOCATIONS



C Blythe Andrews, Jr Public Library 2607 E Dr Martin Luther King Jr Blvd, Tampa

Fred B Karl County Center 601 E Kennedy Blvd, Tampa

Jan Kaminis Platt Regional Library 3910 S Manhattan Ave, Tampa New Tampa Regional Library 10001 Cross Creek Blvd, Tampa

North Tampa Branch Library 8916 N Blvd, Tampa

Robert L Gilder Elections Service Center 2514 N Falkenburg Rd, Tampa

West Tampa Branch Library 2312 W Union St, Tampa

📲 Election Day

March 7, 7 a.m. – 7 p.m.

On Election Day, you can only vote in the polling place assigned to your precinct.

Check the **precinct finder** on my website before you go to vote to see your polling place assignment.



Students, March 10th is the Deadline!



Elementary and middle school students are invited to design a new Future Voter sticker. Finalists will get prizes and Finalists will get prizes and if you're a grand prize winner, your design will be made into stickers that we give out to young people throughout Hillsborough County.

Visit VoteHillsborough.gov/VHContests for all of the details.

Scholarship Opportunity





The Florida Supervisors of Elections (FSE) is offering four \$1,200 scholarships for college students who have finished two years of undergraduate work and are majoring in specific fields.

For complete details and to submit your application, visit VoteHillsborough.gov/Scholarship.

the last word

Your signature can change over time. Use the **online voter registration application** to bring your Florida Driver License or Florida ID signature into your voter record, or use a paper registration application to update your signature.

