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Hillsborough County Presidential Preference Primary Election Update

Hillsborough County, FL – Hillsborough County Supervisor of Elections Craig Latimer is reminding Republican voters that they can vote in the Presidential Preference Primary Election this weekend.

Hillsborough County's in-person Early Voting continues daily through March 17, with 27 sites open 10 a.m. – 6 p.m. Voters can vote at any Early Voting site during this period, and can visit the Early Voting page of VoteHillsborough.gov to find a convenient location and check the wait time.

Voters who have a Vote By Mail ballot can turn in their voted Vote By Mail ballot at a Secure Ballot Intake Station at any of the Early Voting sites during Early Voting hours. Voters should allow at least a week to return their ballot by mail, and are encouraged to drop it off to ensure it is received on time.

All Vote By Mail ballots must be in one of the five Hillsborough County Supervisor of Elections offices no later than 7 p.m. Election Day to be counted. Vote By Mail ballots cannot be turned in at Election Day polling places.

To find unofficial voter turnout for today and throughout Early Voting, visit VoteHillsborough.gov and look for the 2024 Presidential Preference Primary Election page. Turnout is updated throughout the day.

About the Presidential Preference Primary Election

Florida holds closed primaries. This year, only the Republican Party is holding a Presidential Preference Primary in Florida. Some party candidates for president have reportedly suspended or ended their presidential campaigns. If a candidate did not submit a formal withdrawal before December 12, 2023, in accordance with section 103.101(3), Fla. Stat., their name must remain on the Presidential Preference Primary ballot. A vote cast for any candidate nominee appearing on the ballot will count as a vote for that candidate.

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