



Montgomery County, Texas Election News



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We have had a busy year with the implementation of a new electronic voting system, conversion to a statewide voter registration data base, new laws, March and April primary elections, conducting a May county-wide election for 21 entities, the June Conroe runoff, relocation of our offices and warehouse, and preparation for the November joint election.

In addition to the state, federal and county elections, we will be conducting elections for the Willis ISD bond issue, the City of Houston bond and proposition issues, the College District Trustees and bond issue, and the proposed annexation of Montgomery ISD into the College District.

This newsletter issue contains early voting and election day polling locations and link information to sample ballots and information on our eSlate voting systems.

This year could not have been accomplished without the dedication and major efforts of the entire Elections staff. Many thanks to all of you and, yes, we are all looking forward to the holidays for some much needed rest.



Joint Election

November 7, 2006
7:00 am to 7:00 pm

Learn about our new voting equipment and try it out on your computer from our home page www.MontgomeryVotes.org



View sample ballots from the link at www.MontgomeryVotes.org

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Processing Ballot by Mail

On Friday, September 22, 1373 ballots were mailed to absentee voters thanks to the hard work of full time and part time staff. Of those, 1313 ballots were mailed to our military voters and Montgomery County residents overseas.

I would like to acknowledge the cooperation and efforts of Brian Ensey, Acting Postmaster and Anna Kay, Supervisor from the Conroe Post Office. The U.S. Postal Service has implemented a priority mail system to assure our military voter's ballots will be received by them and returned to us in an expedited manner.

Sandy Hawkins, our Elections Manager, coordinated efforts this summer to update the addresses of our FPCA voters as well as the task of getting all ballots applied for in the mail within a time frame to allow every military ballot to be received and counted by the deadline.



Election Central Has a New Home



We moved our office and warehouse in August to a new building located on the Lone Star Convention Center property. Early Voting for this election will be held at our old location at 225 Collins, Conroe. View a map and directions from our home page.

2006 EARLY VOTING LOCATIONS

Election Central
(Old Elections Office)
225 Collins Street
Conroe, Texas 77301

Malcolm Purvis Library
510 Melton Street
Magnolia, Texas 77354

South County Community Building
2235 Lake Robbins Drive
The Woodlands, Texas 77380

Willis Community Building
*New Location
109 W. Mink Street
Willis, Texas 77378

East County Courthouse Annex
21130 U.S. Highway 59 South
New Caney, Texas 77357

West County Courthouse Annex
(Old Magnolia Library)
19380 Hwy 105 W., Suite 507
Montgomery, Texas 77356

Early Voting Times

October 23 – October 27	8:00 am – 5:00 pm
October 28	7:00 am – 7:00 pm
October 29	12:00 pm – 5:00 pm
October 30-November 3	7:00 am – 7:00 pm

**Montgomery County Polling Locations
November, 2006 Election**

Pct. #	Name of Building	Address of Building City and Zip	Location in Building
1	Willis Community Bldg.	109 W Mink Willis, Texas 77378	
2	Four Corners Fire Station	12051 FM 3083 Conroe, Texas 77301	Meeting Room
3	The Woodlands High School 9th Grade Campus	10010 Branch Crossing Dr. The Woodlands, Tx 77382	Hallway by Front Office
4	Copperwood Apartment Bldg.	4407 S Panther Creek Dr. The Woodlands, Tx 77381	Community Room
5	Longstreet Community Bldg.	20240 Bays Chapel Rd. Richards, Texas 77873	
6	Oak Ridge Sr. High School	27330 Oak Ridge School Rd., Oak Ridge, Tx 77385	Lobby
7	New Caney Special Education Department	20387 FM 1485 W New Caney, Texas 77357	Main Lobby
8	Browder Community Center	Cedar Lane Loop & County Line Rd., Willis, Tx 77378	
9	Dobbin Community Center	695 S FM 1486 Montgomery, Texas 77316	Auditorium
10	Washington Jr. High School	507 Dr. Martin L. King, Jr. Place N, Conroe , Tx 77301	Boy's Gym
11	Lake Conroe Forest Community Bldg.	610 Navajo Montgomery, Texas 77316	
12	Security Community Bldg.	18760 Hwy 105 E Cleveland, Texas 77328	
13	Decker Prairie Community Bldg.	32434 Decker Prairie Rd. Magnolia, Texas 77355	
14	Crippen Elementary School	18690 Cumberland Blvd. Porter, Texas 77365	ESL Room
15	River Plantation Fire Station	Country Club Dr. Conroe, Texas 77302	Bays
16	Splendora Intermediate School	26175 FM 2090 Splendora, Texas 77372	Front Gym
17	Cut-N-Shoot VFD Community Building	14419 E Hwy 105 Conroe, Texas 77306	
18	Malcolm Purvis Library	510 Melton Magnolia, Texas 77354	Community Room
19	Arnold-Simonton House	905 Stewart Montgomery, Texas 77356	
20	Travis Intermediate School	1100 N. Thompson Conroe, Texas 77301	Lobby
21	Conroe High School	3200 W. Davis Conroe, Texas 77304	Porter Gym
22	Lake Conroe Hills Community Bldg.	13319 Lake Breeze Willis, Texas 77318	
23	Cargill Education Support Center	204 W Rogers Willis, Texas 77378	Board Room

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24	Needham Road Fire Station	9430 Hwy 242 Conroe, Texas 77385	
25	ESD 5 Fire Station #172	13821 FM 1314 Conroe, Texas 77302	Bays
26	East County Courthouse Annex	21130 Hwy 59 S New Caney, Texas 77357	Community Room
27	Rice Elementary School	904 Gladstell Conroe, Texas 77304	Main Hallway
28	Decker Prairie Elementary School	27427 Decker Prairie Rosehill Rd. Magnolia, Texas 77355	Cafetorium Stage
29	Southwest Montgomery County Annex	31350 Industrial Ln. Magnolia, Texas 77355	Courtroom
30	Magnolia High School	14250 FM 1488 Magnolia, Texas 77354	Library
31	Shenandoah City Hall	29955 I-45 North Shenandoah, Texas 77381	Council Chambers
32	Wilkerson Intermediate School	12312 Sawmill Rd. The Woodlands, Tx 77380	Science Lab
33	South County Community Bldg.	2235 Lake Robbins Dr. The Woodlands, Tx 77380	Room 102
34	Lakewood Estates Civic Bldg.	15339 Lake Lamond Rd. Conroe, Texas 77384	
35	Robinson Road Community Bldg.	27434 Robinson Rd. Oak Ridge, Texas 77385	
36	Bennette Estates Fire Station	15038 Calhoun Rd. Conroe, Texas 77302	
37	Friendship United Methodist Church	22388 Ford Rd. Porter, Texas 77365	New Family Life Center
38	Cape Conroe Fire Station	100 Cape Conroe Dr. Montgomery, Texas 77356	Day Room
39	Honea Baptist Church	16430 FM 2854 Montgomery, Texas 77316	Fellowship Hall
40	West Conroe Baptist Church	1855 Longmire Rd. Conroe, Texas 77304	
41	Splendora Jr. High School	23411 FM 2090 Splendora, Texas 77372	DAEP Room
42	Grangerland Community Bldg.	15961 FM 3083 Grangerland, Texas 77302	
43	Panorama City Hall	99 Hiwon Dr. Panorama, Texas 77304	Board Room
44	Lone Star Convention Center	9055 FM 1484 Conroe, Texas 77303	Yellow Rose Room
45	Timber Lakes/Timber Ridge Fire Station	3434 Royal Oaks Dr. Spring, Texas 77380	Bays 1& 2

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46	Rayford Rd Community Bldg.	2325 Rayford Rd. Spring, Texas 77386	Room B
47	Spring Woodlands Church of Christ	1021 Sawdust Rd. Spring, Texas 77380	Atrium in main entrance
48	Sally K Ride Elementary School	4920 W Panther Creek Dr. The Woodlands, Tx 77381	Front foyer
49	David Elementary School	5301 Shadowbend Pl. The Woodlands, Tx 77381	Lobby
50	Far Hills Utility District Building	10320 Cude Cemetery Road Willis, Texas 77318	Meeting Room
51	VFW Hall	1303 W. Semands Ave. Conroe, Texas 77301	Bingo Hall
52	New Caney ISD Transportation Center	21026 Loop 494 New Caney, Texas 77357	Main Lobby
53	New Caney Fire Station	585 Roman Forest Blvd. New Caney, Texas 77357	Station Bay
54	Peach Creek Baptist Church	25963 FM 1485 E New Caney, Texas 77357	Fellowship Hall
55	Grangerland Fire Station #41	16723 FM 2090 Grangerland, Texas 77306	Meeting Room
56	Conroe Fire Station #4	250 Harpers Landing Blvd. The Woodlands, Tx 77385	Station Bay
57	Stow Away Marina Café	13988 Calvary Rd. Willis, Texas 77318	Sunset Grill
58	South County YMCA	6145 Shadowbend Pl. The Woodlands, Tx 77381	Multipurpose Room
59	Powell Elementary School	7332 Cochrans Crossing Dr. The Woodlands, Tx 77381	Lobby
60	Montgomery County Juvenile Facility	200 Academy Dr. Conroe, Texas 77301	
61	The John Cooper School	One John Cooper Dr. The Woodlands, Tx 77381	Gym lobby
62	Collins Intermediate School	6020 Shadowbend Pl. The Woodlands, Tx 77381	Lobby
63	Montgomery ISD District Office	13159 Walden Rd. Montgomery, Texas 77356	Board Room
64	Whispering Pines Baptist Church	15200 FM 1485 Conroe, Texas 77306	FLC Dining Room
65	J L Lyon Elementary School	27035 Nichols Sawmill Rd. Magnolia, Texas 77355	Gym
66	Outback Western World & Feed	30405 Dobbin Huffsmith Rd. Magnolia, Texas 77354	Longbranch Pavilion
67	Lamar Elementary School	1300 Many Pines Rd. The Woodlands, Tx 77380	Old workroom
68	Ford Elementary School	25460 Richards Rd. Spring, Texas 77386	Lobby

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69	Barbara Bush Elementary School	7420 Crownridge Dr. The Woodlands, Tx 77382	Front foyer
70	Bear Branch Recreation Center	5310 Research Forest Dr. The Woodlands, Tx 77381	Game room and/or small activity room
71	Buckalew Elementary School	4909 W Alden Bridge The Woodlands, Tx 77382	Lobby
72	Bentwater Yacht Club	200 Bentwater Harbor Rd. Montgomery, Texas 77356	Harborview Room
73	Conroe YMCA	10245 Owen Dr. Conroe, Texas 77304	
74	Smith Elementary	28747 Hardin Store Rd. Magnolia, Texas 77354	Parent Room
75	Windsor Hills Club House	1 Windsor Hills Circle The Woodlands, Tx 77384	Ballroom
76	Woodland Place Baptist Church	5148 FM 1488 Magnolia, Texas 77354	Family Life Center
77	April Sound Property Owners' Association	100 April Park Drive Montgomery, Texas 77356	Park Center room
78	Galatas Elementary School	9001 Cochrans Crossing Dr. The Woodlands, Tx 77381	Front foyer
79	Glen Loch Elementary School	27505 Glen Loch Dr. The Woodlands, Tx 77381	Hall outside Principal's office
80	Tamina Community Park	Sleepy Hollow and Main Oak Ridge, Texas 77385	
81	Mitchell Intermediate School	6800 Alden Bridge The Woodlands, Tx 77382	Attendance hallway
82	Kingwood College Fine Arts Bldg.	500 Royston Dr. Kingwood, Texas 77339	Fine Arts Building Commons
83	Security Community Bldg.	18760 Hwy 105 E Cleveland, Texas 77328	
84	South Montgomery Fire Station #1	335 Volunteer Ln @ Budde Spring, Texas 77380	Meeting Room
85	Northridge Baptist Church	10681 FM 1484 Conroe, Texas 77303	

Montgomery County Election Administration

Our Mission Statement

The Montgomery County Commissioners' Court created the Office of the Elections Administrator on January 1, 1981, pursuant to Section 31.031 of the Texas Elections Code. The Montgomery County Elections Administrator's office has the responsibility of conducting all Federal, State, and County elections in Montgomery County, as well as elections at the request of local governmental entities. The office also maintains the Montgomery County voter registration database and geographic information system.

We understand elections are the foundation of democracy and good government. Elections must accurately reflect the intent of the electorate. Access, security, accuracy, privacy, and integrity are vital voter rights.

We are committed to maintaining public confidence in elections by assuring all of our elections are conducted in a fair, efficient and accurate manner with the highest level of integrity and vote security. The staff commits to excellence in maintaining up-to-date, accurate voter registration rolls to provide fair and equal opportunities for all qualified voters to participate in the democratic process.

Vote! It's your voice. Use it.

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