TALLAHASSEE SENIOR SERVICES 2020 Election Voter Information

Voting Options

With the 2020 General Election approaching, and the COVID-19 crisis still prevalent in our community, it is important to consider all of your voting options. There are three ways to vote: early voting, voting by mail, and voting at your local precinct on election day. Information on early voting sites, dates and times can be found at leonvotes.org/Voters/Early-Voting/Early-Voting-Polls. Be sure to bring a picture ID with your signature, to verify your identity. You can cast your ballot at the early voting location convenient to you, up to two weeks prior to the election. Requesting a Vote-by-Mail ballot is the next option:

To request a Vote-by-Mail ballot visit <u>leonvotes.gov/votersonthego</u> or call **(850) 606-8683**. To return your Vote-By-Mail ballot, either mail it in at least 5 days in advance of election day, or put it in a drop box at any of the early voting sites or the elections office. *All requests for mail-in ballots must be made at least 10 prior to the election to have it mailed to you*. Further information about Vote-By-Mail ballots can be found at <u>leonvotes.org/vote-by-mail/vote-by-mail-information</u>.

Finally, your last option is to vote at your local precinct on election day. In order to avoid congestion, try to vote at times other than the morning and evening rush hours, as well as the noon time rush. Also, don't forget to bring a picture ID with your signature.

If you are not registered to vote in the state of Florida, or if you need to update you voter registration call (850) 606-8683, or visit <u>leonvotes.org</u>. Once there, click on the Voters tab at the top of the page and select either Register to Vote or Update Voter Registration. If you have not voted in the past two federal primary elections, you may want to verify your active voter status prior to election day.

Candidate Information

A candidate list for all races in the 2020 general election can be found here. Additional information about each client can be found at vote411, launched by the League of Women Voters Education Fund, is a one-stop-shop for nonpartisan election related information. Everything from ballot information and voting options, to polling place locations and factual data on candidates can be found here. Click on the Vote 411 link above, and scroll to the bottom of the page. Click the **Explore Now** button under **Your Voting Guide** on the right-hand side of the page. Now, enter your address and click **Submit**. Choose your political party affiliation and click **Go to My Races**. Here you will find a side-by-side comparison of candidates for all of the local races in your area, including their background and experience as well as responses to questions that highlight how they intend to address the challenges they will face if elected.

The Tallahassee Democrat is partnering with the League of Women Voters of Tallahassee to put on virtual forums introducing voters to the candidates running in local races. The forums will include candidates running for Leon County School Board, District 4; Tallahassee City Commission, Seats 1 and 2; Sheriff; Leon County Commission, At Large Group 1; and Representative in Congress, District 5. More information regarding these forums, including dates and times, can be found at lwvtallahassee.org/.

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The League of Women Voters, a nonpartisan political organization, encourages the informed and active participation of citizens in government, works to increase understanding of major public policy issues, and influences public policy through education and advocacy.

The League of Women Voters Education Fund works to register voters, provide voters with election information through voter guides as well as candidate forums and debates.

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