

ELECTION NOTICE

Commission Office Location, Hours, Contact Information and Voters with Disabilities & Elderly Voters

PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE AND SUMNER COUNTY PRIMARY ELECTIONS TUESDAY, MARCH 5, 2024

Notice is hereby given that a **PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE AND SUMNER COUNTY PRIMARY ELECTIONS** will be held in all voting precincts of Sumner County, Tennessee on **TUESDAY, MARCH 5, 2024** between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. for the purpose of electing officials to fill the Offices listed below:

PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE PRIMARY ELECTION

Republican and Democratic Presidential Candidates
Republican Delegates at Large – Committed and Uncommitted
Republican Sixth Congressional District Delegates – Committed and Uncommitted

SUMNER COUNTY PRIMARY ELECTION

Assessor of Property
General Sessions Judge Division III (unexpired term)
School Board Districts 2,4,6,8,10
School Board District 9 (unexpired term)

Qualifying Deadline—12:00 p.m. NOON, December 14, 2023

Withdrawal Deadline—12:00 p.m. NOON, December 21, 2023

Last Day to Register to Vote—February 5, 2024

First Day to Request an Absentee Ballot—December 6, 2023

Last Day to Request and Mail an Absentee Ballot—February 27, 2024

Early Voting—February 14 thru February 27, 2024

Petitions for the Sumner County Primary Election are available at the Sumner County Election Commission Office. To qualify, all nominating petitions must be signed by at least twenty-five (25) voters who are eligible to vote for that candidate and must be submitted to the Sumner County Election Office no later than **12:00 p.m. NOON, December 14, 2023**. Each voter who signs a petition must supply their residential address.

VOTERS WITH DISABILITIES & ELDERLY VOTERS

Pursuant to section T.C.A. § 2-3-109, notice is hereby given that voters with disabilities or elderly voters (persons 60 or older) assigned to vote in precincts where the polling place is inaccessible may vote at the Sumner County Election Commission Office on Election Day **OR** vote early by personal appearance during the dates specified for early voting at the Sumner County Election Commission Office **OR** vote by Absentee Ballot. Any voter with a disability or an elderly voter desiring to vote at the Sumner County Election Commission Office must notify the Sumner County Election Office in writing by mail, in person, fax or by email and include a completed affidavit that states their voting location is inaccessible. **AFFIDAVITS must be received by our Office no later than February 24, 2024.** Affidavits are available at the Sumner County Election Commission Office.

To vote an Absentee Ballot, the voter must make the **REQUEST** by one of the following means:

In writing by mail, in person, via fax or via e-mail to the Sumner County Election Commission. Information sent must include: * Voter Name (as registered) * Social Security Number * Date of Birth * Residence Address * Mailing Address (if different from residence address) * the election(s) in which the voter wishes to vote * the reason the voter is requesting to vote an Absentee Ballot * and the Voter Signature. The Absentee Ballot **REQUEST must be received by our Office no later than February 27, 2024.**

The Sumner County Election Commission does not discriminate on the basis of disability. Voters with impaired hearing who use text telephones or Telebraille may call the Tennessee Relay Service at 1-800-848-0298 or voice telephone users can call 1-800-848-0299.

Voters who vote in person must have a Federal Government or Tennessee State issued Photo ID. If no photo identification is provided, the voter will vote a provisional ballot and will have two business days after Election Day to return to the Sumner County Election Commission Office and present a valid Photo ID, or the ballot will be rejected. **Forms of acceptable Photo Identification include: Tennessee Driver License with Photo, United States Passport with Photo, Tennessee State Department of Safety Photo ID, Photo ID issued by the Federal or Tennessee State Government, United States Military Photo ID or Tennessee Carry Permit with Photo.**

The Sumner County Election Commission is located at:

355 North Belvedere Drive, Room 106, Gallatin, TN 37066

Telephone 615-452-1456 Fax 615-230-6147

Please call, or visit www.votessumner.tn.gov or

e-mail elections@sumnercountyttn.gov if you have any questions.

Office hours: Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Sumner County Election Commission

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