

# **FACT SHEET**

October 24, 2016

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## **November 8, 2016 General Election**

**ELECTION DAY:** Tuesday, November 8, 2016 - Polls are open 7:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

TOTAL PRECINCTS: 301

TOTAL POLLING PLACE LOCATIONS: 202 (Polling Place list available at VotePinellas.com)

**TOTAL REGISTERED VOTERS:** 647,776 (as of today)

**REP**: 230,848 **DEM**: 232,215 **NPA/OTHER**: 184,713

**BALLOT INFORMATION:** Composite Sample Ballots, Precinct-Specific Ballots and Audio Sample Ballot –

Available at VotePinellas.com

## On the Ballot

President/Vice President United States Senator

Representative in Congress, Districts 12, 13

State Senator, Districts 16, 19, 24

State Representative, Districts 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70

Justice of the Supreme Court (Retention)
Second District Court of Appeal (Retention)

**Sheriff** 

**Property Appraiser** 

**Board of County Commissioners, District 3, At Large** 

School Board Member, District 1, At Large

School Board Member, District 5, Single Member

City of Dunedin, Mayor

City of Dunedin, Commissioner, Seat 1 City of Dunedin, Commissioner, Seat 3 City of Largo, City Commissioner, Seat 3 City of Seminole, Council Member

East Lake Tarpon Special Fire Control District, Seats 1, 5

**Lealman Special Fire Control District, Seat 3** 

Palm Harbor Special Fire Control & Rescue District, Seats 1, 5
Eastlake Oaks Community Development District, Seat 4

## AMENDMENTS AND REFERENDUM QUESTIONS

**Proposed State Constitution Amendments (4)** 

**County Charter Amendments (6)** 

**County Referendum Question** 

**Town of Belleair Charter Amendments (4)** 

**Town of Redington Beach Referendum Question** 

City of Treasure Island Charter Amendments (3) and Referendum Questions (6)

**Pinellas Suncoast Fire & Rescue District** 

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## **Turnout to Date**

**Ballots Mailed** (through Oct. 23): **293,911** (REP: 114,623 DEM: 113,136 NPA/OTHER: 66,152) **Voted Mail Ballots Returned** (through Oct. 23): **109,358** (REP: 43,004 DEM: 44,360 NPA/OTHER: 21,994)

LAST DAY TO REQUEST A BALLOT TO BE MAILED: 5:00 p.m., Wednesday, November 2, 2016

PLEASE NOTE: Postal delivery service has changed. <u>Voters are advised to allow at least ONE WEEK for their ballot to be returned by mail to the Supervisor of Elections office</u>. Voted mail ballots must be received at one of the three Supervisor of Elections Offices by 7:00 p.m. on Election Day.

Mail ballots may be dropped off at any of the three Supervisor of Elections Offices. Mail ballots may also be dropped off at one of 12 remote ballot drop-off sites throughout Pinellas County through November 7. Check <u>VotePinellas.com</u> for hours and locations. Voted mail ballots cannot be accepted at polling places.

Daily ballot requests, ballot mailing updates and statistics on voted ballots received by the Supervisor of Elections are available at VotePinellas.com.

#### **Early Voting**

Early voting will be conducted **Monday, October 24 through Sunday, November 6** from **7:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. daily** in the following locations:

- Election Service Center, 13001 Starkey Rd., Largo (Starkey Lakes Corporate Center)
- Pinellas County Courthouse, 315 Court St., Room 117, Clearwater (first floor, north side)
- County Building, 501 First Ave. N., St. Petersburg (entrance on 5<sup>th</sup> Street)
- Centre of Palm Harbor, 1500 16th St., Palm Harbor
- Gulfport Neighborhood Center, 1617 49th St. S., Gulfport

## **Election History: GENERAL ELECTIONS**

YEAR	REGISTERED	REP	DEM	OTHER	MAIL/ABSENTEE	EARLY	ELECTION	TOTAL	TURNOUT
	VOTERS				BALLOTS	VOTING	DAY	BALLOTS	
2014	623,605	220,400	225,151	178,054	204,056	18,988	133,748	356,941	57.24%
2012	626,348	226,010	233,325	167,013	248,665	39,569	172,605	461,806	73.73%
2010	604,912	221,120	231,511	152,281	159,037	10,068	140,751	310,069	51.26%
2008	643,423	237,749	249,454	156,220	184,137	46,385	237,430	468,447	72.81%
2006	617,958	236,703	232,239	149,016	50,318	35,325	208,564	294,535	47.66%
2004	590,989	231,652	223,544	135,793	88,625	69,902	299,201	457,848	77.47%
2002	579,762	237,293	217,424	125,045	37,431*	15,635*	285,596	338,721	58.42%
2000	574,961	242,077	214,161	118,723	46,690	N/A	360,266	406, 956	70.78%

<sup>\*</sup>In 2002, Pinellas County voters could vote an in-office voting machine ballot during an "Early Voting" period; 15,635 voters cast in-office voting machine ballots and 37,431 voters voted on absentee/mail ballots.

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