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Ballots Mailed to Military and Overseas Voters for March 15 Presidential Preference Primary and Municipal Elections

The Pinellas County Supervisor of Elections Office mailed a total of **1,579** ballots to absent military and overseas voters today (January 29) for the March 15, 2016 Presidential Preference Primary and Municipal Elections.

Absent military and overseas voters include all active-duty military, their spouses and dependents currently absent from their places of residence, and civilians who are U.S. citizens residing outside the United States.

A ballot mailing to more than 203,000 domestic voters is tentatively scheduled for **February 9**. State law requires domestic ballots to be mailed between 35 and 28 days prior to an election. Domestic voters are civilian voters residing within the United States and active-duty military voters residing in Pinellas County.

Additional mail ballot requests will be fulfilled daily as received. To request a mail ballot, visit VotePinellas.com, call (727) 464-VOTE (8683), or email Absentee@VotePinellas.com. The deadline to request that a ballot be mailed is March 9 at 5:00 p.m.

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

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