

NEWS RELEASE

For Immediate Release

February 4, 2015

Contact: Jason Latimer, Communications Director

(727) 464-4498 or 464-6108

Voter Registration Deadline Approaching for March 10 Municipal Elections; Citizens Encouraged to Register and Vote in Honor of National Salute to Veteran Patients Week

Registration is required for new voters by February 9 deadline in order to participate in the election

Pinellas County Supervisor of Elections Deborah Clark reminds residents of eight municipalities conducting elections on March 10 that <u>MONDAY, FEBRUARY 9</u> is the deadline to register to vote in these municipal elections.

In honor the upcoming U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs' National Salute to Veteran Patients Week (Feb. 14) and the veterans who have sacrificed for the right to vote, Supervisor Clark encourages the residents of Belleair, Belleair Beach, Indian Rocks Beach, Kenneth City, Oldsmar, Safety Harbor, St. Pete Beach and Treasure Island to register to vote and participate in the upcoming March 10 Municipal Elections.

Registration is required for new voters by this deadline in order to participate in the election. Voters who are already registered to vote in Florida do not need to re-register.

Voter registration applications are available at any Supervisor of Elections office, public library, tax collector office, government office handling social services or online at VotePinellas.com.

Address changes can be made online at <u>VotePinellas.com</u> or by calling (727) 464-VOTE (8683) or emailing <u>Election@VotePinellas.com</u>, with birth date included. Name and party changes may be made by sending a signed, written statement to the Supervisor of Elections including birth date or voter ID number. Any updates, including signatures, can be made by completing and signing a voter registration application and returning it to the Supervisor of Elections. All new applications received by mail must be postmarked by **Monday, February 9** in order to be valid for this election.

For an updated list of voter registration events, visit <u>VotePinellas.com</u> and select News and Events/Voter Education & Registration Events on the home page menu. To request a ballot by mail or for more information, call (727) 464-VOTE (8683) or visit <u>VotePinellas.com</u>.