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Voter Registration Statistics As of 12/27/2013 TOTALS UPDATED DAILY AT

WWW.VOTELEVY.COM

DEMOCRATS:	10,583
REPUBLICANS:	10,520
OTHERS:	4,678
TOTAL	25,781

# Levy County Supervisor of Elections NEWS & VIEWS



#### Supervisor's Message

Greetings from the Supervisor of Elections office! The new year is an exciting time ringing in many new year resolutions. The elections office has made the resolution to make sure that Levy County is the best place in America to vote!

Two elections are scheduled in 2014. We are in the midst of preparing for the Primary Election on August 26th. On a local level we have two County Commissioner seats (Seats 2 & 4) and three School Board Member seats (Seats 1, 3 & 5) up this year. There have been many changes in campaign financing for our candidates. We have made publications available for candidates on both our website and hard copies in our office.

Always striving to improve, we made two polling place changes for the 2014 election cycle. Those changes are precinct 6 and 8. For more details see page 2 of this brochure.

Our new website has received raved reviews. It is full of valuable information. Our site is available 7 days a week and 24 hours a day. You are encouraged to browse through the various features and explore links on our site at www.votelevy.com.

As the election season approaches we want to remind you of your right to vote by mail. Florida is a no excuse state, meaning you can request a ballot to be mailed to you for any reason.

I am enthusiastic about being your partner in democracy. As always, please feel free to contact me if you would like any additional information or have any ideas to share about how I can better serve you.

Tammy Jones

Scan here with your Smartphone to find election information on our website. www.votelevy.com





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# **Oting Precinct Changes**

## Precinct 6 - Gulf Hammock Church of God 3510 SE CR 326, Gulf Hammock

We have moved the voting precinct from the Gulf Hammock fire station to the Gulf Hammock Church of God.

#### **Precinct 8 - Morriston Baptist Church** 3141 SE Hwy 41, Morriston

The new polling place will now be at the newly constructed Morriston Baptist Church located on Hwy 41.

All registered voters with polling location changes will receive a new voter information card in the Spring of 2014.

# VOTE IN HONOR OF A VET

On November 15th we had the privilege of dedicating the Veteran's Honor Wall inside the Levy County Courthouse for our Vote in Honor of a Vet program. We would like to thank all those who helped make this wall possible; the veterans and family members of veterans who submitted pictures, the Levy County Board of County Commissioners, the committee who helped organize this ceremony and to all those who participated in the dedication of the wall. Please note that this is an ongoing project. We are still

accepting biographies and photographs. Once again we would like to thank all of our veterans past and present!

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# **3 Easy Ways to Vote**

Early Voting

Primary - August 11, 2014 - August 23, 2014 General - October 20, 2014 - November 1, 2014

Vote by Mail

General - Deadline to Request Ballot to be Mailed - October 29, 2014

Early Voting Location: Levy County Supervisor of Elections Office 421 S. Court Street Bronson, FL 32621

Primary - Deadline to Request Ballot to be Mailed - August 20, 2014

## **Precinct Voting**

Check the status of your ballot at www.votelevv.com

Primary Election - August 26, 2014 General Election - November 4, 2014 Polls are open 7am - 7pm on Election Day!

Be sure to bring a current and valid ID that includes your picture and signature for precinct and early voting! If the picture ID does not contain your signature, an additional ID that includes your signature shall be required. Approved forms of ID are:

Florida Driver's License Florida ID Card Debit/Credit Cards

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Military ID Current U. S. Passport Student ID

**Retirement Center ID** Neighborhood Association ID Public Assistance ID

#### Poll Worker Corner

The Elections Office is looking forward to working with our poll workers as the 2014 election grows closer. Within the next week poll workers that worked in the 2012 Election Cycle will be receiving a letter from our office about availability for the upcoming elections.

We are always seeking more poll workers to join our team. If you know of anyone who you feel would make a great poll worker please send them our way. As you know we value the input of all of our poll workers. With your help we hope to make this election year a great one. An application can also be filled out on our website at www.votelevy.com.

We will be holding poll worker orientation on April 3rd at 10:00 AM for those interested in becoming a poll worker. For more information, call Mindy at (352) 486-5163, ext. 6.

#### Outreach

We have been busy conducting Homecoming Elections for various schools within the county. This year is the first time Williston High School has voted on our equipment. A great deal of the students commented on how neat it was to be able to cast their vote on actual voting equipment. We also visited Chiefland High School and allowed their student body to vote on our Accu-Vote Touch Screens as well. If you know of an event you would like our office to attend or a need in the community please contact us at (352)486-5163.



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On this website, you will find information about voter registration, the voting process, election day voting, early voting, vote by mail, voting equipment, and election dates.

We also maintain information about current elections, polling places, sample ballots. becoming poll worker. а elected officials and voter statistics. With the help of this site, we hope to encourage citizen participation, to enhance public confidence in the election process and to educate citizens of all ages.

In addition, this site is mobileenabled offering voters on-the- go convenience.

#### Welcoming a New Addition to the Elections Office



We will now be using the Imagecast Evolution by Dominion Voting within all of our precincts. This voting machine provides voters with all they need to cast their vote. The Imagecast Evolution is 2 machines in one. It offers both optical ballot scanning and ballot marking. We will be holding an open house to share with the public our new voting equipment on May 13, 2014 at the Elections Office starting at 10:00 A.M.

## 2014 ELECTION SCHEDULE



# August 26

Primary Election (Books Close July 28)



#### **November 4** General Election

(Books Close October 6)

View a list of local candidates on our website! www.VoteLevy.com

#### FLORIDA RUNS CLOSED PRIMARIES

In Florida, Primary Elections (unlike in municipal, general and special elections), you may only vote for party candidates of the party for which you are registered. Party changes must be made no later than 29 days prior to an election.

#### **Tammy Jones**

**Supervisor of Elections** 

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**Our Mission:** 

- ☆ Ensure the integrity of the electoral process
- ☆ Enhance public confidence
- Encourage citizen
  participation

