



# Press Advisory

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## INDEPENDENTS NEED TO LET ELECTIONS OFFICE KNOW THEIR BALLOT PREFERENCE

**August 10, 2010 – Phoenix, AZ:** Voters who have registered as an independent need to notify the Elections Department their ballot preference for the 2010 Primary Election. This can be done by calling 602/506-1511 or by visiting the Recorder's website at [www.recorder.maricopa.gov](http://www.recorder.maricopa.gov). "We cannot send an early ballot to the voters who have registered as an independent unless they indicate their ballot choice," said County Recorder Helen Purcell.

**Requests for an early ballot for the August 24<sup>th</sup> Primary Election closes at 5:00pm this Friday, August 13, 2010.** Voters may still vote early in person the last week before the election at any of the three offices of the Maricopa County Recorder, 111 South 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue, Phoenix; 510 South Third Avenue, Phoenix; and 222 East Javelina, Mesa.

Other early voting locations are Mesa City Clerk's Office, 20 East Main Street, Mesa; South Mountain Community Center, 212 East Alta Vista Road, Phoenix; ASU (Safety Escort Office, Palo Verde West Building, 330 East University Dr, Tempe; or Wickenburg Town Clerk's Office, 155 North Tegner Street, Wickenburg. Wickenburg's offices are closed on Fridays. Early voting locations at South Mountain Community Center and two of the Recorder's offices will be open on Saturday, August 14. Please visit the Recorder's website, [www.recorder.maricopa.gov](http://www.recorder.maricopa.gov), for additional information or call 602/506-1511.

Friday, August 20 at 5:00pm is the last day to vote early in person for the Primary. As of August 10, 145,756 early ballots have been returned of 589,907 ballots mailed, requested or voted in person.

## LOS INDEPENDIENTES NECESITAN NOTIFICAR A LA OFICINA DE ELECCIONES SU PREFERENCIA DE BOLETA

**10 de Agosto, 2010 – Phoenix, AZ:** Los votantes que se han registrado como independientes necesitan notificar al Departamento de Elecciones su preferencia de boleta para la Elección Primaria 2010. Ésto se puede hacer llamando al 602/506-1511 o visitando el sitio web del Registrador al [www.recorder.maricopa.gov](http://www.recorder.maricopa.gov). "No podemos enviar una boleta temprana a los votantes que se han registrado como independientes al menos que indiquen su selección de boleta," dijo la Registradora del Condado Helen Purcell.

**Las solicitudes para una boleta temprana para la Elección Primaria del 24 de Agosto cierran a las 5:00pm éste Viernes, 13 de Agosto, 2010.** Los votantes aún pueden votar temprano en persona la última semana antes de la elección en cualquiera de las tres oficinas del Registrador del Condado Maricopa, 111 South 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue, Phoenix; 510 South Third Avenue, Phoenix; and 222 East Javelina, Mesa.

Otros lugares de votación temprana son Mesa City Clerk's Office, 20 East Main Street, Mesa; South Mountain Community Center, 212 East Alta Vista Road, Phoenix; ASU (Safety Escort Office, Palo Verde West Building, 330 East University Dr, Tempe; or Wickenburg Town Clerk's Office, 155 North Tegner Street, Wickenburg. Las oficinas de Wickenburg están cerradas los Viernes. Los lugares de votación temprana en South Mountain Community Center y dos de las oficinas del Registrador estarán abiertas el Sábado 14 de Agosto. Por favor visite el sitio web del Registrador, [www.recorder.maricopa.gov](http://www.recorder.maricopa.gov), para información adicional o llame al 602/506-1511.

El Viernes, 20 de Agosto a las 5:00pm es el último día para votar en persona para la Primaria. Hasta el 10 de Agosto, 145,756 boletas tempranas han sido devueltas de 589,907 boletas enviadas por correo, solicitadas o votadas en persona.