

Election Judge Training Newsletter #6

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A MESSAGE FROM THE COUNTY CLERK

Dear Election Judge:

This is the 6th in a series of 12 newsletters which covers the All-Purpose Voter's Affidavit. The All-Purpose Voter's Affidavit is a sworn statement made in writing and may also require the completion of a supporting oath and presentation of current valid identification. The All-Purpose Affidavit is located in the clear pocket in the "Polls are Open Tab" of the Election Day Binder.

Reasons requiring All-Purpose Voter's Affidavit

- ★ Federal Voter – still residing at same address or moved more than 30 days within Will County
- ★ Change of Address – within precinct within 27 days of election
- ★ Change of Address – to another precinct in Illinois within the last 30 days
- ★ Name Change – changed their name preceding election, but still reside at same address
- ★ Assisted Voter – language assistance/disability assistance
- ★ Armed forces – engaged as a member of the U.S. Armed Forces within the last 60 days and has been unable to register to vote and also has maintained a legal residence in this precinct for at least 30 days preceding the election
- ★ Absentee ballot – Absentee voter may vote in the precinct if:
 - Voter gives voted/unvoted absentee ballot or portion of the ballot to the Judge.
 - Voter applied for an absentee ballot but never received one, or voter was informed by County Clerk that their absentee ballot had not been received.
- ★ 9-1-1 Address Change – Voter has not changed their residence, but their address has changed as a result of implementation of a 9-1-1 emergency telephone system.

When an All-Purpose Voter's Affidavit is required, the voter must:

- Complete and sign their name and address information at the top of the affidavit.
- Show 2 forms of ID (other than their voter's card) with the current address when required.

Election Judges must:

- Place a (✓) in the appropriate box and fill in any information required.
- Sign the All-Purpose Voter's Affidavit and any Supporting Affidavits when required.
- Mark the corresponding box on voter's pre-printed application.

If you have any questions on Election Day, please refer to your manual. If you have further questions, call the County Clerk's Office. (See inside front cover of your manual for phone numbers)

This newsletter covers pages 42-45 in your Election Judge Manual