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Voter Registration Deadline Approaching for 2018 City of Gainesville Regular Election

GAINESVILLE, Fla. (Feb. 7, 2018) — The voter registration deadline for the 2018 City of Gainesville Regular Election is Feb. 20.

Registered voters who reside within Gainesville’s city limits are able to vote in this election, which will be held March 20. The following seats on Gainesville’s City Commission are up for election: At-Large Seat 1 and District 1.

All city voters will be eligible to vote in the At-Large Seat 1 race. Only voters who live in District 1 will be able to vote in both races. A detailed map of all City of Gainesville Commission districts can be found at <https://goo.gl/8Eeg24>.

Previously registered voters are encouraged to verify and update voter registrations. This can be done at <https://www.votealachua.com/My-Registration-Status> or by calling 352-374-5252.

There are numerous ways for prospective voters to register:

- Online: As of October 2017, Florida residents can register to vote online. The online voter registration portal — found at RegisterToVoteFlorida.gov — is a safe and secure option for voter registration.
- In person: The Alachua County Supervisor of Elections’ office, located in Gainesville at 515 N. Main St., Suite 300, is open 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. Registrations can also be completed and turned in at any Florida Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles office or Alachua County Library District branch.
- After hours: The Alachua County Supervisor of Elections’ office has an after-hours drop box outside its main entrance. Completed forms received through the drop box by 11:59 p.m. Feb. 20 will be accepted.

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- By mail: Forms are available online at VoteAlachua.com. Mailed forms must be completed and postmarked by the Feb. 20 deadline.

For more information, contact the Supervisor of Elections at 352-374-5252.

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