

# Election Notice for the March 3, 2020 Presidential Preference Primary & Meigs County Republican & Democratic Primary

Pursuant to TCA § 2-112-111(a) notice is given that a Presidential Preference Primary Election will be held in Meigs County, TN on Tuesday, March 3, 2020. The purpose will be to declare preference for candidates for the office of President of the United States and for selecting delegate candidates to attend the National Convention, if the party chooses popular vote method.

In conjunction with the PPP, Meigs County will also hold a Republican and Democratic Primary Election for the position of **Assessor of Property for Meigs County**.

**Federal Election for:** Presidential Candidates and Delegates at Large and Fourth Congressional District (committed and uncommitted)

- The first day a nominating petition for non-nationally recognized presidential party candidates for the Presidential Preference Primary may be issued is **Wednesday, September 4, 2019**. Qualifying deadline will be **Tuesday, December 3, 2019 at 12:00 NOON** to qualify for the March Presidential Preference Primary election, political party candidates nominated by petition must file with the State Election Commission on this day, **no later than 12:00 NOON prevailing time**.
- The first day a nominating petition for delegate-candidates for the presidential preference primary may be issued is **Friday, September 13, 2019**. Qualifying deadline will be **Thursday, December 12, 2019 at 12:00 NOON** to qualify for the March Presidential Preference Primary election, delegate candidates must file their nominating petitions with the State Election Commission on this day, **no later than 12:00 NOON prevailing time**.
- The withdrawal deadline for delegate candidates, will be **Thursday, December 19, 2019 at 12:00 NOON**.

**Meigs County Republican & Democratic Primary and Independent Candidates for:  
Assessor of Property.**

- The first day a nominating petition for Meigs County Primary and Independent Candidates may be issued is **Tuesday, October 15, 2019**.
- Qualifying deadline will be **Thursday, December 12, 2019 at 12:00 NOON** for those running as a **Republican, Democratic or Independent candidate**.
- The Withdrawal deadline will be **Thursday, December 19, 2019 at 12:00 NOON**.

#### **Registration**

- The last day to register to vote in person or by mail postmark for the March 3, 2020 Primary Election will be **Monday, February 3, 2020**. TCA § 2-2-109

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#### **Public Notice for Elderly Voters or Voters with Disabilities**

Any Elderly voter or voter with a disability whose polling place is inaccessible may vote early by absentee ballot or at the Election Commission on Election Day. TCA § 2-3-109 (e) (1)

If the voter chooses to vote at the Election Commission Office on Election Day, they must complete an affidavit at the Election Commission Office no later than Friday, February 19, 2016, stating that their designated voting location is not accessible.

#### **NEW PHOTO ID REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL VOTERS**

Federal or Tennessee State Government issued photo ID is now required to vote, unless an exception applies. College student IDs will not be accepted. To learn more about the new law and its exceptions, please call our office or visit [GoVoteTN.com](http://GoVoteTN.com).

#### **The Election Commission will be closed for the following holiday schedule:**

**Columbus Day: October 14th, Veteran's Day: November 11, 2019**

**Thanksgiving: November 28 & 29, 2019, Christmas: December 23, 24 & 25, 2019 &**

**New Year's: December 31, 2019 - January 1, 2020**

#### **Meigs County Election Commission**

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