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CHANNEL CURRENTS

Early Voting starts Monday, Oct. 24

Democrats bring Star power to Campaign

OCT. 24-NOV,4 Early Voting in North Channel

Locations:

San Jac College Generation Park, 13455 Lockwood Rd. 77044
C.E. King 9th Grade Center 8530 CE King Pkwy. 77044
North Channel Branch Library, 15741 Wallisville Rd. 77049
Flukinger Comm. Center 16003 Lorenzo St. Channelview, 77530
Baggett Community Center 1302 Keene St. Galena Park 77547
Lusk Activity Center 1022 Mercury Dr. Jacinto City, 77373

November General Election -

Early Voting:
October 24 [Monday]: 7am – 7pm
October 25 [Tuesday] – October 29
(Saturday]: 7am – 7pm
October 30 [Sunday]: 12pm – 7pm
October 31 [Monday] - thru
November 2 [Wednesday]: 7am – 7pm
November 3 [Thursday]: 7am – 10pm
November 4 [Friday]: 7am – 7pm

November General Election -

Election Day: (Voting Hours) Nov. 8 (Tuesday): 7am – 7p HOUSTON – Hundreds of potential voters turned out last Tuesday night at the Escapade club on the Eastex Freeway in East Aldine, to hear campaign talks from Gubernatorial candidate Beto O'Rourke and Attorney General candidate Rochelle Garza. But the featured speaker of the evening was Lin-Manuel Miranda, star of the hit Broadway show "Hamilton."

Introductory remarks and welcome were given by State Representative Armando Walle, and then fiery speeches were delivered by BETO and Lin-Manuel. The crowd enthusiastically listened and applauded the message of need for change in Texas government.

Democrats are making a strong push near the end



Appearing at a Rally last Tuesday night at the Escapade club in Aldine were Gubernatorial candidate Beto O'Rourke, Attorney General candidate Rochelle Garza, and Broadway star Lin-Manuel Miranda of "Hamilton" fame. A crowd of about 500 attended and expressed their enthusiasm.

of the campaign, as their Republican opponents are showing strength in the polls. BETO has trailed incumbent governor Abbott through the whole race, and although he was with in a few points last week, the most recent Rice University poll shows him losing ground, trailing by over 10 percentage points.

In a similar fashion, incumbent County Judge Hidalgo has faced a well financed strong campaign



On Saturday, the Democratics brought Hollywood star and activist Jane Fonda to a rally and block walk for incumbent Harris County Judge Lina Hidalgo and the TOP Texas Organizing Project. They met at Mason Park on the city's East side. Fonda was also promoting her climate PAC.

for her opponent, Alexandra Mealer. Mealer has shown her own star power, with an endorsement from the popular Mattress Mack.

EARLY VOTING

Election Day is Novem-

ber 8th, only two weeks away. Before that Early Voting starts on Monday, October 24 and runs

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NS Mustangs tame Humble Wildcats 58-14

By Allan Jamail

Humble, TX. - October 21, 2022 the visiting GPISD Eastside Boys easily defeated the Humble Wildcats at Turner Stadium; 56 – 14. Head Coach Jon Kay's offensive line made both the running and passing game work like a fine tuned watch. Again and again their only weakness is pass defense. The defensive line is rock solid and all season they've given up few yards.

This season more often than not the Mustangs have had weak opponents. Having weak opponents continually can be a disadvantage when preparing to enter stiff playoff competition.

However Kay's Eastside Boys next game may be their first real challenge this season.



#7 Jayven Anderson defensive back intercepts a Wildcat pass for a pick-6, 33 yd. TD. This is his 2nd consecutive game for a pick-6 TD. In last season's state title game he shut down Duncanville's last minute attempt to defeat the Mustangs by an interception to let NS run out the clock (Photo by Allan Jamail)



ABOVE: #8 QB David Amador runs 55 yds. on end sweep for a NS TD. He made 3 TD's in the game. (Photo by Allan Jamail)

RIGHT: #34 Rashaad Johnson catches a David Amador pass and gallops 72 yds. for a NS TD. (Photo by Allan Jamail)



Kay's reigning 21 6-A State Champion Mustangs travel this Thursday again to Humble to take on the Atascocita Eagles. Both teams have lots on the line, they're both undefeated in district play and the winner will be the District Champions. The Eastside Boys have their eyes on another state title but the Eagles want a state title too and intend to derail the Mustangs.

The 8-0 Mustangs travel to play the Atascocita Eagles 7-1 at the Humble ISD Turner Stadium, Thursday October 27 @ 7pm. Both teams are undefeated in their conference. Linda Jamail, statistician.

Latest UH poll shows Judge race very close

Beto ahead of Abbott in Harris County

Harris County Judge's Race Too Close to Call

HOUSTON, October 24, 2022 – The race for chief executive in Texas' most populous county is too close to call, with concerns about crime helping to propel Republican Alexandra del Moral Mealer into a statistical dead heat with Democratic incumbent Lina Hidalgo.

A poll from the Hobby School of Public Affairs at the University of Houston, released Monday on the first day of early voting, found 47% of likely Harris County voters say they will support Mealer, a political newcomer running for

GIANT BALLOT RUNS OVER 70 PAGES

Voters should plan on taking some time, with a ballot that runs over 70 pages, and new style two step voting machines.

Local races of interest include the Governor's race(Abbott vs O'Rourke), the Harris County Judge (Hidalgo vs Mealor), Pct. 2 Commissioner (Garcia vs Morman) and House District 128

(Cain vs Crews). Voters can also choose from 70 judge positions.

School District Trustees will be elected in Crosby, Huffman, Channelview and Sheldon. U.S.House of Representa-

tives seeking re-election in

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Harris County judge. Hidalgo drew support from 45%.

Democratic gubernatorial candidate Beto O'Rourke is leading Gov. Greg Abbott by eight points (50% to 42%) among likely Harris County voters, while Republican Jack

Cagle, the incumbent Harris County Precinct 4 commissioner, leads Democratic challenger Lesley Briones, 40% to 35%.

"Crime and public safety are the top concerns cit

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Furr High School Class of '82 holds Reunion



Furr High School Class of 82 Reunion (Photo by Allan Jamail)

L – R: Left to right

Kneeling- CSM Carlos Alvarado, XO Keyshia Calderon, S4 Brianna Rodriguez,

Row 2- Current Furr Principal Tammie R. Moran, Karen Harris, Kimberly Narcisse Robinson, Luis Rodriguez, Richie McGhee Gradney, Battalion Commander Shaval Long, Kay Claiborne, Zazalleesha Swanson.

Back Row- Lee (Pop) Parker, Reginald Oliver, Wil Howray, Thad Ross, Sheldon Haynes, Byron Nicholas.

SHELDON ISD NEWS

KHS Band Advances to **Area Marching Contest**

On Saturday, October 15, the King High School Marching Band performed their "Checkmate" show in the UIL Region 33 Marching Contest at Spring ISD's Planet Ford Stadium. The band compet-

ed alongside neighboring school districts and earned a 1st Division Superior Rating. This provides them with the opportunity to perform at Area F Marching Contest on Saturday, October 29.



Sheldon to Host Town Hall Meeting November 2

In an effort to educate residents and community members about the upcoming ter at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, November 2. All meetings will be streamed live on the district's website and Facebook page. To learn more about what is on the ballot visit www.sheldonisd.com/

Early voting is October 24-November 4 and Election Day is November

bond election, Sheldon ISD has scheduled opportunities to learn about the bond election at Town Hall Meetings. The final Town Hall Meeting will be held at King High School in the Performing Arts Cen-

Sheldon ISD's First Blue **Card Member Luncheon**



On September 12, approximately 30 senior citizens attended Sheldon ISD's first Blue Card Member luncheon, sponsored by Oak Street Health. Members receive free entry to games, performances and a luncheon!

GALENA PARK ISD NEWS

The Galena Park ISD Education **Foundation Prize Posse**

The Galena Park ISD Education Foundation Prize Posse was on a mission to deliver innovative teaching grants to unsuspecting educators throughout the district on Wednesday, October 19th,

Earlier in the year, GPISD educators had the opportunity to apply for grants to fund instructional resources for their classrooms, departments, or campuses. The Education Foundation Grant Selection Committee carefully considered each application and awarded thirteen grants totaling over \$32,600 at 11 GPISD cam-

The Education Foundation was created in 1998 by Dr. Shirley J. Neeley, former GPISD Superintendent of Schools and Texas Commissioner of Education, to provide funds for educational programs and activities not traditionally funded by the normal operating budget. These funds provide scholarships for students, extend classroom experiences, and expand community involvement. Every donation to the Education Foundation provides additional educational opportunities for the students of Galena Park ISD.

2022-2023 Innovative Teaching **Grant Recipients:**

Galena Park Elementary School: An Alternative to Energy-Kaneice Washing-

Jacinto City Elementary School: Lego Leader- Sharon Dixon

Pyburn Elementary School: Code Me a Story- Debbie Reynolds

Tice Elementary School: Sculpture and Crafting for Elementary Students- Norma Perez

Williamson Elementary School: Warm Through Winter-Jessica Cocom

Woodland Acres Elementary School: Strolling Strings-Victoria McMillion and

Sonia Llovd

Woodland Acres Elementary School: First Gets a Hands-On Upgrade- Karla Flores, Kaylan Sherrard, Gady Velazquez, and Daisy Villatoro

North Shore Middle School: Typing.com Premium- Mary Browder

Galena Park High School: Life Skills in the Loft-Marissa Cole, Prisca Diaz, and Aisha Lee

Galena Park High School: Hydration

Stations to Prevent Dehydration-Jessica Pfannstiel, Ambreya Ousley, and Spiridon Amarantos North Shore 10^{th} Grade Center: The

Calming Room- Danna Guillory-Moten, Angie Cruz, and Cydnee Williams

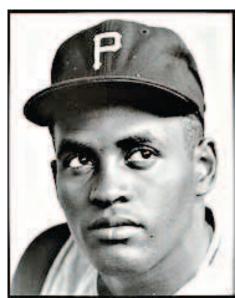
North Shore Senior High School: Engineering Notebook- Brian King (sponsored by LyondellBasell)

Zotz Education Center: Bring Social Studies to Life through Virtual Reality-Jessica Flatt, Robert Flatt, T'Erra Brown, and Stephen Rouse



HISPANIC HERITAGE: Roberto Clemente

Hispanic Heritage Month: Roberto nrique Clemente Puerto Rican professional baseball right fielder who played 18 seasons in Major League Baseball (MLB) for the Pittsburgh Pirates. After his early death in a plane crash while on a humanitarian mission to Puerto Rico, he was posthumously inducted into the National Baseball Hall of Fame in 1973, becoming both the first Caribbean and the first Latin-American player to be enshrined.



Election Campaign brings out Star power,

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through Friday November 4th.

In commenting on the Rally, Armando Walle said "I was honored to welcome Beto, Lin-Manuel Miranda, and Rochelle Garza to House District 140 at Escapade 2001 in Aldine. Our families matter and the persons who will lend voice to our concerns are Beto

and Rochelle. The energy and excitement from the crowd felt like an Astros game. I was proud that Beto has made several stops in Aldine. Thanks also to Escapade 2001 @ Imagen Venues."

BETO's campaign issued the following statement: "Beto O'Rourke and Lin-Manuel Miranda host-

ed the free Get Out the Vote Rally in Houston ahead of Early Voting on Tuesday evening at Escapade club in Aldine, Imagen Venues Escapade, 11903 Eastex Fwy, Hous-

Beto O'Rourke, Democratic Nominee for Attorney General Rochelle Garza and award-winning composer Lin-Manuel Miranda rallied supporters in Houston ahead of Early Voting the following week. The 7:00 p.m. rally is part of Beto's growing grassroots campaign to defeat Greg Abbott's extremism and deliver for all the people of Texas as this

state's next governor.

During the event, Beto, Rochelle and Lin-Manuel shared their vision for bringing Texans together around the popular things that we want to accomplish: creating great jobs, investing in world-class schools, expanding health care so more people can see

a doctor, restoring abortion access, keeping Texas kids safe in their classrooms and lowering costs so families can afford to live in this state."

Joining with Beto O'Rourke were Rochelle Garza, and Luis A. Miranda, Jr., Lin-Manuel Miranda father.



BETO O'Rourke was the featured speaker for the evening at the Escapade club, attracting a crowd of about 500. Beto spoke about the issues, the need for change, and implored the audience to get out the vote in the coming days before the election, emphasizing the importance of this election.



Armando Walle, State Representative for the Aldine area, gave a welcoming talk and introduced the guests and the speakers.



Attending the rally were many local politicians, including at left State Senator Carol Alvarado, and then Luis A. Miranda, Jr. (Lin's father), Lin-Manuel Miranda, and Beto O'Rourke.

CHARLOTTE'S By Charlotte Jackson

Take Time

Have you taken the time to research the candidates on the November ballot? Have you reached out to find out the issues that are important to them? Have you asked others about why they support the candidate? If you have heard rumors about the candidates, such as that they have been arrested for driving under the influence or they been charged with domestic violence, have you reached out to the candidate to ask about it? I know, some people would think they should not ask but if you were the candidate, you would rather answer questions than just let people vote for your opponent. Right?

You have been drawn into the conversations about if a candidate meets the residency qualifications to run for an office. Sometimes there are candidates running for the School Board and they do not have children enrolled in school. People may question why you would volunteer for position for several years without having children affected by the decisions you are making. You as a stakeholder have a right to ask questions.

There are issues on the ballot that affect your property taxes or homeowner association rules. Please do not just vote. Research the issues and make an informed decision.

If an issue makes it to the ballot, it is something that will impact lives. Do not just vote because you recognize a name or because they represent a certain political party. Understand why the candidates and their motives. Is that candidate running for an office to push their philosophy on others? Is it their opinion or did someone or some special interest group fund the campaign?

Is a candidate enthusiastic about an issue because it directly has impacted their life? Someone who is against a woman's right to choose may be a victim of rape or someone close to them has been. Someone who is prolife may be the survivor of a botched abortion. Many men have found out that a former lover had an abortion. They were upset that were not consulted. They have taken on a strong stand against abortion.

There have been many lives lost to drunk drivers. Often, their loved ones join forces with others to work for more restricted laws.

With all the deaths in the past few years by those who were already out on bond, there is a large amount of concerned community members who want new judges elected who are stronger on bail reforms. Perhaps if there were more requirements for a candidate to hold a position, there would be more attorneys running for the position of judge. Many people are shocked to realize that is not a require-

There are some individuals who have been elected and realized the need for more education. I applaud those individuals who have continued to pursue an education that better qualifies them for that office. One question we should ask candidates is not only about their previous education and experience, but also about what they plans are for continued professional development. Every professional should strive to be a better employee, no matter what profession they work in.

Research, ask questions and vote. Take others with you to the voting location. Encourage others to do the





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Candidates & **Propositions on** Ballot,

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clude District 2 Dan Crenshaw, D-18 Sylvia Jackson Lee, D-29 Sylvia Garcia, and D-36 Brian Babin

ESD#14 has a Proposition that would extend Highlands Fire Protection to McNair.

Large bond packages will be on the ballot, with Harris County seeking \$1.2 Billion for Improvements, Crosby MUD \$42 Million, Newport DA2 MUD seeking \$73.35 Million, and Sheldon ISD \$247.7 Million.

ON THE BALLOT:

County Judge R - Alexandra del Moral Mealer

D - Lina Hidalgo County Commissioner Pct. 2

- Jack Morman D - Adrian Garcia

Justice of Peace Pct. 3 Place 2 R - Denise Graves D - Lucia Bates

County Commissioner Pct. 4 - Jack Cagle D - Lesley Briones

District Clerk R - Chris Daniel D - Marilyn Burgess

County Clerk R - Stan Stanart D-Teneshia Hudspeth

County Treasurer R - Kyle Scott D - Carla L. Wyatt

Harris County Prop. A \$100 Million Public Safety Bonds Harris County Prop. B \$900 Million Roads & Drainage Harris County Prop. C \$200 Million Parks & Recreation

Baytown City Council District 2

- Sarah Graham - Michael Emmanuel
- District 3 - Ken Griffith
- Charles Johnson

Crosby ISD At Large Trustee Position 6

- Victoria Garcia-Hernandez
- Kevin Day - Phillip Chapman
- Marvin Webb - Christopher Destin
- Melody Fontenot Crosby ISD
- **Trustee District 1 Position 1** - Karen St. Julian Thomas
- Trustee Dist. 2 Pos.2
- Kea Lynn Lewis - Sharyl Upchurch Fain
- Rachel Hood - John "Jay" Killough
- Trustee Dist. 3 Pos. 3 - J.R. Humphries
- Trustee Dist. 4 Pos. 4 Lisa Kallies - Patricia Kay
- Trustee Dist. 5 Pos. 5
- Trustee Dist. 7 Pos. 7

Jennifer Roach

- **Huffman ISD**
- **Trustee Position 1** - Vernon Reed
- Jared Dagley - Greg Nason
- **Trustee Position 2**
- Dean Warren - Barbara Carroll
- **Trustee Position 3**
- Ray Burt Clint Fischer
- Robert B. Baten
- Crosby MUD Proposition A
- Tax up to \$.25/100 Operation & Maintenance
- Crosby MUD DA2 - Designation of Defined Area 2 **Crosby MUD DA2 Proposition B** - \$42 Million Water & Sewer &
- Crosby MUD DA2 Proposition C - Unlimited Rate Tax - Operation & Maintenance
- Harris County ESD#14 Prop. A - Add McNair to Service Area Harris County ESD#14 Prop. B McNair to pay its share of Debts & Taxes of ESD#14

Harris County MUD 50 Director Election

- Jerome A. Chenevert Daryl "Eagleton" Johnson
- McNair Area ESD#14

Annexation & Assumption Prop.A

McNair Defined Area Prop. B Assume its share of Debts & Taxes ESD#14

Newport MUD DA2 Prop. A - Designation of Defined Area Newport MUD DA2 Prop. B \$55 Million Bonds - water, sewer & drainage

Newport MUD DA2 Prop. C - \$18.35 Million to Refund Exist. **Bonds**

Newport MUD DA2 Prop. D - Unlimited Rate Tax - Operation & Maintenance

TEXAS STATE GOVERNMENT

Governor R - Greg Abbott

- D Beto O'Rourke
- L Mark Tippetts
- G Delilah Barrios Lieutenant Governor
- R Dan Patrick
- D Mike Collier L - Shanna Steele
- Attorney General
- R Ken Paxton D - Rochelle Mercedes Garza
- L Mark Ash Comptroller R - Glenn Hegar
- D Janet T. Dudding L - V. Alonzo Echevarria-Garza
- **General Land Office**
- R Dawn Buckingham
- D Jay Kleberg
- G Alfred Molison, Jr
- Agriculture Sid Miller D - Susan Hays
- **Railroad Commissioner**
- R Wayne Christian
- D Luke Warford
- L Jaime Andres Diez G - Hunter Wayne Crow

State Representative District 128 R - Briscoe Cain

D - Charles "Chuck" Crews

State Senator Dist. 15 R - George Brian Vachris

D - John Whitmire

U.S. GOVERNMENT Reprresentative District 2

- R Dan Crenshaw
- D Robin Fulford **Representative District 18**
- R Carmen Maria Montie D - Sheila Jackson Lee
- L Phil Kurtz
- I Vince Duncan **Representative District 29** R - Robert Schafranek
- D Sylvia Garcia **Representative District 36**
- R Brian Babin D - Jon Haire

Channelview ISD Trustee Election

- **Trustee Position 4** - Ramiro Granados
- Patrick Lacy **Trustee Position 5**
- Steve Dennis
- Frank Renard Bryant **Trustee Position 6**
- Lynette Breedlove - Ellie Llanas **Trustee Position 7**

- Raquel Dobbins - Dennis Cedillo

- Sheldon ISD **Trustee Position 5**
- Kristin Williams-White - Ken Coleman **Bond Election Proposition A**
- \$240.8 Million New Buildings, Sites, Buses **Bond Election Proposition B**

- \$6.9 Million - Technology

ASK DIAMOND JIM



Diamond Jim: "What is the **Largest Gold Nugget Found** in the U.S.A?"



The largest gold nugget ever found in the U.S.A was found in Alaska and is named the "Alaska Centennial

It weighs a whopping 294.10 troy ounces (9.14 Kilograms, 20.16 pounds), and was found near the town of Ruby, Alaska in 1998. Barry Clay was placer mining an area along Swift Creek that was known for producing large nuggets. He was pushing dirt with his bulldozer when something unusual caught his eye. He jumped out of the dozer and picked up the object.He immediately knew by the weight that he had unearthed a huge gold nugget. He immediately buried the nugget under a nearby tree until he could figure out what to do with it. When he finally took it into town for further examination, it was determined that he had found the largest nugget ever found in Alaska, and the second largest nugget ever found in the Western Hemisphere behind the Boot of Cortez found

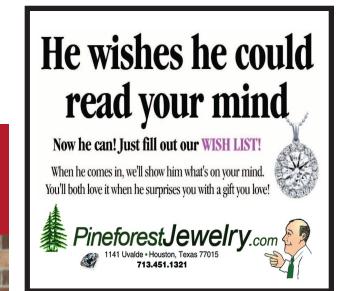
It was named the Centennial nugget because it was found on the 100th anniversary of the Klondike Gold Rush, which brought thousands of men north to Alaska in search of gold. Its discovery in 1998 shows that there is without a doubt lots of huge gold nuggets left to be discovered. They haven't all been discovered, not by a long shot! With the record high gold prices in recent years and the renewed interest in gold mining, there is a very good chance that more big gold nuggets will be found in the very near future. Many other large nuggets have been found in the Ruby Mining District as well, including numerous nuggets that weighed over a pound. Alaska has by far the most commercial mining operations compared to other states, mainly due to its miner friendly regulations in comparison to other states. Alaska has a reputation for large nuggets as well. Overall gold produced here is not as high as other states like California and Nevada, but if you want to find a huge gold nugget in the United States, Alaska is the best place to look.

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OPINION PAGE *



The Art of Disagreement

The French philosopher, Michel de Montaigne, once quipped that, "there is no conversation more boring than the one where everybody agrees." My experience is that only talking to people with whom we agree with (or only watching people on TV with whom we agree) is not only boring, it makes us less informed. I rarely learn anything from talking to people who agree with me.

When I was running companies, I found that having staff around me who only agreed with everything I said was a sure-fire way to get into trouble. But as the media has Balkanized into ideological strains, Americans have increasingly listened only to those voices which reflect what they already believe, thereby reinforc- Michel de Montaigne, ing those beliefs.



French Philosopher, 1533-1592

Psychologists tell us that hearing something that conflicts with our beliefs is emotionally painful because the possibility that we have been wrong, especially about fervently held beliefs, lowers our self-esteem. Psychologists refer to this as cognitive dissonance. To avoid it, we naturally tend to avoid and are hostile to such input.

But I have learned some simple rules over the years that helped me embrace engaging with those who disagree with me, and I would like to share them with you.

Acknowledge the possibility you might wrong. No one is right all the time, therefore, there will be occasions when your conclusion is wrong. Routinely stop and think about whether that may be the case.

Look for evidence that contradicts your own beliefs. Because we don't like to hear things that negate what we believe, we have a natural tendency to seek out evidence that supports our preconceptions and ignore evidence that does not. So, do the opposite. Look for evidence that questions your opinions. And do it in a good faith attempt to challenge your conclusions. If nothing else, understanding evidence will help you defend your position if you do not change your mind. Every good lawyer looks for holes in their own

Recognize that two intelligent people of good faith may reach different conclusions. As much as we think of our brains as a computer, they are infinitely more complex. Our opinions and beliefs are the result of a lifetime of continual inputs along with an element of genetic diversity. No two people have exactly the same life experiences or genetic makeup. Those two elements may lead two honest and bright people to look at the same set of data and reach different conclusions. And that is okay. The ability to see different approaches to a problem is a strength of our species.

Don't Call People Names or Label Them. When someone starts calling someone who disagrees with them a name or applies some label, it is a sure sign they have run out of anything intelligent to add to the discussion. Also, it is completely ineffective if you hope to persuade anyone. Calling someone a "socialist" or a "Nazi" may make you feel righteous for "calling them out," but you have accomplished little else.

Assume Good Faith in Others. I regularly see extremists from both sides assert that the other side is trying to destroy the country. Really? I do not think I have ever met anyone whose purpose was to destroy America. Indeed, I have rarely met any American that does not love this country. While you may think their prescriptions for the country will damage it, they almost certainly do not see things that way. Assume that the vast majority of Americans want good things for our country and for their fellow Americans, even if they may have different views of how to

There is no reason to hate someone that disagrees with you. This is the most important one. There is no one in our lives that we agree with on everything. It is a waste of spirit to go around demonizing people who come to a different conclusion. We should always keep in mind the words of former Wyoming Senator, Alan Simpson: "Hatred corrodes the container in which it is carried." Hating someone because they disagree with you does not hurt that person. It only hurts you.

Happy disagreeing.

achieve those goals.

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Early Voting Begins Oct. 24

Early voting in the Nov. 8 general election begins Oct. 24 and runs through Nov. 4. Applications for voting by mail must be received by Oct. 28, according to the secretary of state's office.

Texans are eligible to vote by mail if they are 65 or older; sick or disabled; are expected to give birth within three weeks of Election Day; will be absent from the county where they vote during early voting and on Election Day; or are in jail but otherwise eligi-

If voting by mail, Texans are urged to carefully read the instructions before putting their ballot in the mail. More than 12% of mail-in ballots were rejected in the March primary for not complying with tighter voting regulations enacted in the last legislative session, according to kut.org.

Meanwhile, the latest poll shows the race between Gov. Greg Abbott and Beto O' Rourke has tightened since the Sept. 30 debate between the the Corpus Christi Caller Times reported. The latest poll by Marist College shows Abbott's lead has dropped to 4 percentage points.

As the race hits the homestretch, O' Rourke reports having slightly more cash on hand in the latest three-month reporting period, which ended Sept. 29. He also outraised Abbott by a slight margin during the same period.

EPA SUED OVER POLLUTION FROM TEXAS COAL PLANTS

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency has been sued by two national environmental advocacy groups for allegedly failing to ensure eight Texas coal-fired power plants are meeting approved emission standards.

The Austin American-Statesman reported the suit was filed last week after the EPA missed a deadline to stop the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality from exempting the coal plants



from regulations limiting particulate matter emissions.

An attorney with one of the groups, the Environmental Integrity Project, said the groups have been challenging the TCEQ exemptions since 2010.

"Essentially, Texas has these emission limits for particulate matter," Clark-Leach told the American-Statesman. "Particulate matter is soot, it's the black stuff you see coming out of smokestacks. It's a bad idea if vou've got people living nearby to emit in excess of those limits."

The EPA's website says that exposure to particulate matter can be harmful and is linked to lung and heart issues. Since being exempted by TCEQ in 2010, the plants have increased emissions as much as 33-fold. However, four of the plants have in recent years either switched to natural gas or shut down completely.

DROUGHT CONDITIONS **EXPECTED TO RETURN**

A warmer and drier September and the continued presence of La Nina conditions mean drought conditions are likely to return to the parts of Texas that got some relief in August, according to Dr. Mark Wentzel, a hydrologist with the Texas Water Development Board.

At the end of September, drought conditions covered 61% of the state, Wentzel wrote, which was down 15 percentage points from the end of August.

However, the National Weather Service expects a third straight fall and winter of La Niña conditions. meaning below-average rain and above-average temperatures across Texas during the fall and early winter. Those conditions are expected to dissipate early next year, hopefully bringing drought relief and possibly complete recovery by the end of next spring. AVIAN FLU SHOWS UP IN

BACKYARD POULTRY FLOCK

The highly contagious avian influenza was recently detected in a backyard poultry flock in Dallas County, prompting health experts to recommend owners of domestic birds to limit all unnecessary contact with wild birds. The virus is easily transmitted not just by actual contact but through contaminated equipment, clothing and even shoes of caretakers.

Symptoms include diarrhea, incoordination, lethargy, coughing, sneezing and sudden death, according to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Depart-

Game bird hunters are urged to wear gloves when disposing of carcasses, and disinfecting tools with a bleach solution. Those who find birds who have signs consistent with avian influenza should contact their local TPWD biologist, whose contact information can be found on the agency's website.

NEW ERCOT CHIEF VOWS GRID STABILITY

The new CEO of the Electric Reliability Council of Texas said at a press conference last week that one of his main duties is convincing Texans they can stop worrying about the electric grid.

"The key is going to be continued reliable execution," Pablo Vegas said. "Achieving reliable operations over extreme weather conditions, that's how

you continue to build trust." He made the comments at a press conference held jointly with Peter Lake, chair of the Public Utility Commission. Both Lake and Vegas said improvements and operational changes made since the February 2021 freeze have made the grid much more reliable.

They pointed out there were no systemic outages during one of the hottest summers on record, which spurred a record demand for power, the Austin American-Statesman reported.

"We continue to be tested, (and) we continue to pass those tests," Vegas

COVID-19 CASES DROP SIGHTLY

The number of COVID-19 cases reported in the past week in Texas by the Coronavirus Resource Center at Johns Hopkins University decreased slightly to 13,442, with 92 deaths reported. Texas Department of State Health Services reported 1,147 labconfirmed COVID-19 hospitalizations across the state.



Sharing Books with Stranger

I love Little Free Librar-

If you don't have these in your neighborhood, they are little boxes that look like tiny houses-not much larger than a big birdhouse-with a glass door on the front and books inside. People leave books they have read and pick up books they want to read and, somehow, the whole thing seems to work out pretty well most of the

During the pandemic, I noticed that some little libraries went empty. The regular libraries were closed, and people ran out of things to read. Then everyone started ordering books, and the little libraries had more than they could hold. I saw some stacked three books deep.

I walk by a free library every day, and I always check the inventory. Most of the time, my little library is modestly full, and the inventory seems to be constantly changing. I find a book I've never heard of before and read the first few pages, standing on the sidewalk, in front of someone's house.

"Well, this looks like a lot of fun!" I'll think. I stick it in my bag and take it home, knowing I could always return it if I don't enjoy it—or even if I do.

But I usually do enjoy it. I discover a lot of books I would never have heard of otherwise. As I'm reading, I wonder who left the book there. I wonder if they enjoyed it as much as I am. I wonder how many people have read it. The free library doesn't tell me. The free library keeps its secrets.

But cooler weather is coming, and people must be reading a little more, because it seems to be kind of slim pickings at my free library.

"Classroom Discipline: Guiding Adolescents to Responsible Independence" was one new offering the other day. Who is going to want to read that? I wondered.

The only person who would be interested would be a teacher, and do they really want to curl up after a hard day's work and get more information on the topic? Unsurprisingly, when I checked several days later, the book

was still there. Next to it was an enormous tome entitled "The Reformation: A History." The Reformation is certainly interesting, but this book had more than 700 pages. I'm thinking there's a pretty small audience for half a million words on the Reforma-

"Frommer's New England 1991" also seemed unlikely to go anywhere. I think if you're planning a visit to New England, you might want to read something about either 1791, or the present day. It's hard to believe many of the restaurants listed would still be around, and a hotel can change a lot in 31 years.

I started to feel bad for my Little Free Library. So I sorted through my bookshelf. I looked for books I had already read and enjoyed, and I made a small pile. The next day, I brought them to the free library and nestled them next to "New England 1991" and closed the little glass door behind me.

"There!"

It felt good to leave some nice surprises for the next person who came to the library. I know there are people who keep every book they've ever read, and even more who keep every book they've especially enjoyed, but I am not one of them.

I like to set my books free after I've read them. I like sharing books with a stranger—and possibly preventing someone from having to learn more than they ever wanted to know about the Reformation.

Till next time,

Carrie

Photos from the column and a link to YouTube videos befoundCarrieClasson.com.



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GP/JC CIP, Port Houston Tour



The Galena Park~Jacinto City CIP members moments before boarding the M/V Sam Houston vessel for a tour of the Port of Houston's waterfront. (Photo by Allan Jamail)

By Allan Jamail

October 6, 2022 The Galena Park~Jacinto City Community-Industry Partnership (CIP) went on an evening boat tour of the Port of Houston waterfront side.

Diane Sheridan, CIP Facilitator booked the port tour of about 55 community and industry members. "The port tour was particularly educational for CIP members, it gave them a view of industries along the waterfront, 6 of the 9 GP/JC CIP industry members are located on the ship channel," Sheridan said.

The GP/JC CIP's community members are from Galena Park, Jacinto City, Woodland Acres, Clinton Park, and Fidelity. Plant members are from Clinton Drive in Galena Park, American Petroleum Road, and Pasadena south and east of Galena Park. Serving an area bounded by Loop 610, I-10, Federal Road, and Houston Ship Channel, it's one of 9 community-industry forums in east Harris County.

The Industry Members are Chevron Galena Park Terminal, Chevron Pasadena Refinery, Gulf Coast Authority, Houston Cement, Kinder Morgan Galena Park Splitter, Kinder Morgan Galena Park Terminals, LyondellBasell Houston Refinery, Shell Lubricants and Targa Resources

The ship channel tour was aboard the M/V Sam Houston, Port Houston's public tour vessel which made its inaugural voyage in 1958; it operates on low-emission fuel engines and generators. The 95-ft. vessel holds up to 100 passengers and features air-



A tanker unloading crude oil at a Houston refinery to be converted to gasoline for the Texas markets. The Houston Ship Channel complex (Port of Houston) is home to a multi-billion petrochemical complex, the largest in the nation and second largest in the world. (Photo by Allan Jamail)



A partial glimpse of the 200 public and private terminals along Houston's Ship Channel, making it the nation's largest port of waterborne tonnage. (Photo by Allian Jamail)

conditioned lounge seating, as well as standing room outside on the boat's

The group boarded the M/V Sam Houston from the dock through the Port of Houston's gate 8 on Clinton Drive. Industry members identified the names of the waterfront industries and answered questions from community members making it a very educational tour. A meal was provided courtesy of the Port of Houston.

For more than 100 years, Port Houston has owned and operated the public wharves and terminals along the Houston Ship Channel. The port supports the creation of nearly 1.35 million jobs in Texas and 3.2 million jobs nationwide, and economic activity totaling \$339 billion in Texas – 20 percent of Texas' total gross domestic product (GDP) – and \$801.9 billion in economic impact across the

CIP is a voluntary organization based on a mutual responsibility and trust between local community members and industry. Its members work in partnership through an ongoing dialogue, toward the goal of implementing actions that will improve the quality of life for communities.

You can stay up-to-date with the CAER online system that's managed by the East Harris County Manufacturers' Association (EHCMA). It informs residents in the member cities of the Houston Ship Channel Region about operational updates and events in member facilities, such as incidents about noise, odors, smoke, flaring, pipelines, railcars, tanker trucks and more. Visit: ehcma.org/ caeronline and download the app on your cell

FOOTBALL SEASON WEEK 9:

Aggies look to bring down No. 7ranked Ole Miss: Texans, Cowboys look for home victories

It's been a rough season thus far for Texas A&M fans. The season started with much optimism as Jimbo Fisher's Aggies entered the season ranked No. 6 in the nation. Well, that ranking went by the wayside rather quickly as the Ags dropped a home game to Appalachian State, lost road games to Mississippi State and Alabama and entered last week's game at South Carolina with a 3-3 record.

A&M had an open week prior to taking on the Gamecocks and Aggie fans are hoping the extra week of practice allowed Fisher and his staff time to improve a mediocre offense that has struggled so far this season to generate points and yards.

This Saturday at Kyle Field, the Aggies host the No. 7-ranked Ole Miss Rebels and Aggie fans would like nothing more than to had Lane Kiffin's team its first loss of the season (Ole Miss did have a tough road game at LSU last week).

An upset of the Rebs could do be the springboard Fisher's team needs to finish strong and get the wolves off of his front door. I don't think Fisher is in any danger of losing his job. A&M has invested way too much money and resources in the former Florida State head coach, but those same folks are getting tired of 8-4 seasons.

A win over a top-10 ranked team could soothe a lot of nerves in College Station.

In other key games this weekend, there's another good one in the Big 12 as the No. 11-ranked Oklahoma State Cowboys will travel to Manhattan to take on the No. 17-ranked Kansas State Wildcats. The winner remains in the hunt for a spot in the Big 12 title game in December, while the loser will be on the inside look-

In the Big 10, No. 2-ranked Ohio State travels to State College to take on No. 16-ranked Penn State. The Nittany Lions saw their undefeated season come to an end two weeks ago with a 41-17 loss at No. 4-ranked Michigan. PSU fans would like nothing more than to spoil the Buckeyes unblemished season. That's going to be a tall order against one of the most balanced, and loaded, offenses in the coun-

In the NFL, the Cowboys host the Bears looking to go to 6-2 heading into their bye week. Two weeks ago, Dallas dropped a 26-17 decision at Philadelphia as the Pokes got down 20-3 before rallying in the third quarter behind reserve QB Cooper Rush (1,020 yards, 5 TDs) to pull within 20-17 before the Eagles scored the game-clinching touchdown midway through the fourth quarter. Dallas should have starting QB Dak Prescott back for this game, which should be a big boost to the offense. Dallas still has one of the best defenses in the league.

While the Cowboys host the Bears, the Texans will host AFC South rival Tennessee. Things kickoff on Thursday Night Football with Baltimore visiting Tampa Bay, in a meeting of teams that have been struggling lately.

Speaking of struggling, the Green Bay Packers, who dropped a 27-10 home decision to the Jets two weeks ago, get the pleasure of visiting the Buffalo Bills on Sunday Night Football. You'd better believe Bills fans will be juiced up for this one having all day to "prepare" for Aaron Rodgers and the Packers. Two weeks ago, Buffalo QB Josh Allen outdueled KC QB Patrick Mahomes



rest of the AFC with their 24-20 road win. At this point of the season, Buffalo appears to be the class of the AFC, but there's a lot of football left.

Before we take a look at this weekend's schedule, let's review last week's record. Well, well, we finally have something to crow about. A 10-2 week upped the season record to 49-35 (58%).

Now, onto this weekend's game.

NCAA

Mississippi at Texas A&M: The Aggies need a big win, and beating the 7th-ranked team in the country would certainly count as a big win for Jimbo Fisher's team. As stated earlier, this season began with so much hope, but has turned into another disappointing campaign. An upset of a very good Ole Miss team would be a huge confidence builder for the rest of the Aggie's season. If the Ags are to pull off the upset, their defense, which has played well this year, will have to slow down a very strong Rebel running game led by running backs Quinshan Judkins (720 yards, 10 TDs) and Zach Evans (605 yards, 7 TDs). Ole Miss also has a good QB in Jaxson Dart (1,488 yards, 11 TDs/371 rushing yards) and a big-play wide receiver in Jonathan Mingo (22 receptions, 507 yards, 3 TDs). The A&M defense played well against Alabama's high-powered offense on Oct. 8, but then again, that came against Bryce Young's backup, Jalen Milroe. Look for the A&M defense to set the tone early in this one to give QB Haynes King (763 yards, 5 TDs), running back Devon Achane (528 yards, 3 TDs) and young but talented wide receiver Evan Stewart (15 receptions, 291 yards, 2 TDs) and Moose Muhammad (13 receptions, 199 yards, 2 TDs) time to settle down and make plays on offense. Fisher and his team need a boost, and it says here they get that boost with a huge win on Saturday at Kyle Field. My pick, Texas A&M 31, Mississippi 26

NFL

Baltimore at Tampa Bay: Week 9 begins with a Thursday Night Football meeting between the Ravens and the Bucs in Tampa. Both teams have struggled as of late. Two weeks ago, the Ravens blew a lead against the Giants and lost late in the game, while the Bucs dropped a 20-18 decision to what was a one-win Pittsburgh team. Both teams have issues on offense. Baltimore QB Lamar Jackson (1,277 passing yards, 13 TDs/451 rushing yards, 2 TDs) has decent numbers, but is having trouble finishing off drives once he gets his team into the Red Zone. TB QB Tom Brady (1,652 yards, 8 TDs) is also having trouble getting his team into the end zone. It's strange, because he has weapons in running back Leonard Fournette (343 rushing yards, 1 TD/ 32 receptions, 232 yards, 3 TDs) and wide receivers Mike Evans (24 receptions, 358 yards, 3 TDs) and Chris Godwin (22 receptions, 250 yards). Look for the Bucs' defense to be the difference maker in this one as Brady rallies the troops and get his team rolling in

the second half of the season. My pick, Tampa Bay 26, Baltimore 23

Chicago at Dallas: The Bears visit the Cowboys on Sunday and if this one isn't over by halftime, then Cowboy fans might not have such a good feeling about their team. To put it simply, the Bears are a horrible offensive football team. QB Justin Fields (869 passing yards, 4 TDS/282 rushing yards, 1 TD) has no one to throw to and struggles getting the ball downfield. The Dallas defense needs to be aware of his running ability and stay in their lanes. They left Philadelphia two weeks ago with 24 sacks. Look for Micah Parsons and Co. to add more sacks against the sad-sack Bears. Dak Prescott should return at QB for the Cowboys (he was expected to start against Detroit on Oct. 23d) and that should give the offense a boost. Look for Ezekiel Elliott (386 yards, 2 TDs) and Tony Pollard (292 yards, 2 TDs) to set the tone early in the running game, which will set up Prescott to find WR CeeDee Lamb (33 receptions, 409 vards, 2 TDs) for some big plays in the passing game. Look for Dallas to dominate as they head into their bye week. My pick, Dallas 34, Chicago 13

Tennessee at Houston: The Titans come calling on Sunday at NRG Stadium in a rare 3:05 p.m. kickoff. The Houston defense will need to deal with running back Derrick Henry (408 yards, 5 TDs) as he appears back to his old self after missing much of last season with a foot injury. When Henry is running wild, that gives QB Ryan Tannehill (965 yards, 6 TDs) to make plays downfield to WR Robert Woods (17 receptions, 204 yards, 1 TD). The Texans need better play from QB Davis Mills (1,048 yards, 6 TDs) and will look for rookie running back Dameon Pierce (412 yards, 3 TDs) to take some pressure off of him. My pick, Tennessee 26, Houston

Green Bay at Buffalo: Are we watching the end of the Packers dynasty in the NFC North? Two weeks ago, in their 27-10 home loss to the Jets, Green Bay looked bad on both sides of the ball. Star QB Aaron Rodgers (1,403 yards, 9 TDs) struggled to make plays in the passing game, while running back Aaron Jones (409 yards, 1 TD) could not get anything done on the ground. WR Allen Lizzard (20 receptions, 285 yards, 4 TDs) and tight end Robert Tonyan (90 receiving yards in the Jets game) were the lone highlights on offense. The defense was also suspect and if that unit doesn't improve by Sunday night, it could be a long evening in Western New York when they take on Josh Allen (1,980 passing yards, 17 TDS/257 rushing yards, 2 TDs), Stefon Diggs (49 receptions, 656 yards, 6 TDs) and Gabe Davis (14 receptions, 383 yards, 4 TDs). The Buffalo defense is pretty good as well, so Rodgers might be in for another long night. The Bills picked up a load of confidence two weeks ago when they won at Kansas City, 24-20 and had an extra week to prepare for this game. Look for the Bills to be at peak performance when the Packers come calling on Sunday night. My pick, Buffalo 33, Green

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ed by voters in the county races, and that is more pronounced among voters who support Mealer and Cagle," said Renée Cross, senior executive director and researcher at the Hobby School. Eight out of 10 likely voters listed crime, public safety and government corruption as very important to their decision about which candidate to support for county judge.

"Hidalgo remains popular with voters concerned about voting rights, abortion rights and racial equity, but overall, her support has softened," Cross said.

Mark P. Jones, senior research associate at the Hobby School and political science fellow at Rice University's Baker Institute for Public Policy, said the local races reflect many of the same passions driving midterm elections across the country.

"Republicans and independent voters told us they are concerned about crime and immigration and border security," he said. "Democratic voters listed voting rights and abortion rights as their top concerns, with crime and public safety issues ranking lower.

Overall, Jones said, concerns about crime and public safety appear to be boosting Republican candidates, even in a county that has seen a steady growth in Democratic voters. A plurality of likely voters said they believe Mealer would do a better job than Hidalgo on issues involving crime, immigration and border security and government corruption.

Among the poll's find-

-Overall, 81% of likely voters said crime and public safety will be "very important" in choosing a candidate. That rose to 98% of likely Mealer voters and 99% of Cagle voters. 64% of likely Hidalgo voters agreed, with voting rights (95%), racial equity & equality (89%), abortion (87%), election administration (77%), flooding (75%) and government corruption (70%) all ranking higher.

-49% of voters have an unfavorable opinion of Hidalgo, compared with 28% who have an unfavorable opinion of Mealer. Almost one-third (29%) said they didn't know enough about Mealer to have an opinion, compared to only

8% for Hidalgo.

—The battle for Latino voters remains tight, with 47% supporting Mealer and 44% backing Hidalgo; 9% are undecided. Mealer holds a 19 point advantage among white voters (56% to 37%), while Hidalgo holds a 56 point advantage among Black voters (73% to 17%).

-There is a clear gender gap - 56% of men favor Mealer, while 52% of women favor Hidalgo.

—One in four likely voters remain undecided in the Harris County Commissioner Precinct 4 race, with 48% saying they do not know

enough about Cagle to have an opinion of him, and 71% saying the same of Briones.

—Two of the three Harris County bond propositions appear to have majority support, including 63% for Proposition B authorizing uр \$900,000,000 in spending for roads and 52% for Proposition C, authorizing up to \$200,000,000 for parks.

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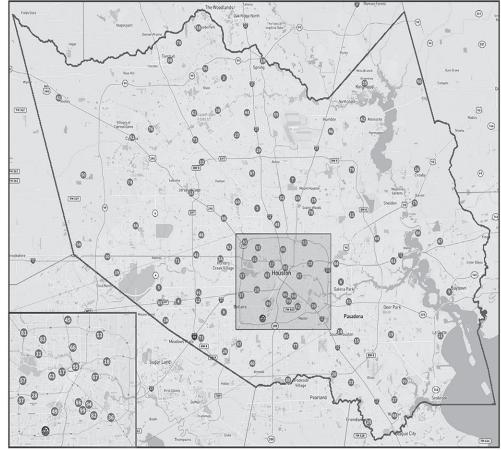
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Polling places and Address

Precinto Número

Lugar de votación y dirección

Phân khu Số 選區

編號

141

220

381

460

Các phòng phiếu và địa chỉ

投票站和地址

Martin Flukinger Community Center 16003 Lorenzo St., Channelview, TX 77530 L W Kolarik Education Center, 1120 Sheldon Rd., Channelview, TX 77530

Alice Johnson Jr. High School, 15500 Proctor St., Channelview, TX 77530

North Channel Library, 15741 Wallisville Road, Houston, TX 77049 Viola Cobb Elementary School, 915 Dell Dale Dr., Channelview, TX 77530

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November 8, 2022

		Noveill	Dei 0, 2022			
Early Voting Hours of Operation				Giờ Mở Cửa Bầu Cử Sớm		
Days	Dates	Hours	Ngày Trong Tuần	Ngày Tháng	Giờ Mở Cửa	
Monday – Saturday	October 24-29	7 am – 7 pm	Thứ Hai – Thứ Bảy	Ngày 24 – 29 Tháng 10	7 sáng – 7 tối	
Sunday	October 30	12 pm – 7 pm	Chủ Nhật	Ngày 30 Tháng 10	12 trưa – 7 tối	
Monday - Wednesday	October 31 – November 2	7 am – 7 pm	Thứ Hai – Thứ Tư	Ngày 31 Tháng 10 – Ngày 2 Tháng 11	7 sáng – 7 tői	
Thursday	November 3	7 am – 10 pm	Thứ Năm	Ngày 3 Tháng 11	7 sáng – 10 tối	
Friday	November 4	7 am – 7 pm	Thứ Sáu	Ngày 4 Tháng 11	7 sáng – 7 tői	
	Horas de Funcionamie	ento		提前投票日期及開放時間		
Días	Fechas	Horarios	星期	日期	時間	
Lunes – Sábado	24 – 29 de octubre		星期一 至 星期六	10月24日-10月29日 10月30日	上午7-晚上7 下午12-晚上7	
Domingo	30 de octubre	12 pm – 7 pm	星期一至星期三	10月30日	上午7-晚上7	
Lunes – Miércoles	31 de octubre – 2 de noviembre	7 am – 7 pm	星期四	11月3日	上午7-晚上10	
Jueves	3 de noviembre	7 am – 10 pm	星期五	11月4日	上午7-晚上7	
Viernes	4 de noviembre	7 am – 7 pm				

- 38. HCPL Barbara Bush Branch, Elliot Roon
- 39. HCPL Maud Smith Marks Branch Library,
- Meeting Room 1815 Westgreen Boulevard, Katy 77450
- 40. Hiram Clarke Multi Service Center, Auditorium 3810 West Fugua Street, Houston 77045
- 41. Hockley Community Center, Room ABC 28515 Old Washington Rd, Hockley 77447
- 42. Holiday Inn Express & Suites Atascocita Humble Kingwood an IHG Hotel, Meeting Room 5619 FM 1960 East, Humble 77346
- 43. Holiday Inn Express & Suites Houston Memorial City Centre, City Centre Room 10500 Katy Freeway, Houston 77043
- 44. Hosanna Lutheran Church, Fellowship Hall 16526 Ella Boulevard, Houston 77090
- 45. Houston Community College Northline 8001 Fulton Street, Houston 77022
- 46. Humble Civic Center, Meeting Rooms 1 4 8233 Will Clayton Parkway, Humble 77338
- 47. J D Walker Community Center, Large MultiPurpose Room 7613 Wade Road, Baytown 77521
- 48. John Knox Presbyterian Church, Fellowship Hall 2525 Gessner Road, Houston 77080
- 49. John P McGovern Texas Medical Center, Commons - 1st Floor 6550 Bertner Avenue, Houston 77030
- 50. John Paul Landing Environmental Education Center, 9950 Katy Hockley Road, Cypress 77433
- **51. John Phelps Courthouse, Training Room** 101 South Richey Street, Pasadena 77506 52. Juergens Hall Community Center. Dance Hall
- 53. Kashmere MultiService Center,
- Conterence Room 4802 Lockwood Drive, Houston 77026
- 54. Katy Branch Harris County Public Library, Meeting Room 5414 Franz Road, Katy 77493
- 55. Kingwood Community Center, Auditorium B
- 102 Rustic Woods Drive, Kingwood 77345 56. Klein Multipurpose Center, Room 401 & 402
- 57. La Quinta Inn & Suites by Wyndham Houston Galleria Area, Large Meeting Room 1625 W Loop S, Houston 77027
- 58. Lone Star College Creekside, Room 116 8747 West New Harmony Trail, Tomball 77375

- 61. Martin Flukinger Community Center.
- 62. Masjid AlSalam, Gym 16700 Old Louetta Road, Spring 77379
- 475 West Gray Street, Houston, 77019
- 1022 Mercury Drive, Houston 77373
- 6233 Tres Lagunas, Houston 77083
- 67. Neighborhood Centers Inc Ripley House Campus,
- **68. North Channel Branch Library, Meeting Room** 15741 Wallisville Road, Houston 77049
- 69. North East Community Center
- 71. Nottingham Park Building, Meeting Room
- 9449 Grant Road, Houston 77070
- 9301 West Bellfort Boulevard, Houston 77031
- 8440 Greenhouse Road, Cypress 77433

- 77. Saint Philip Neri Catholic Church,
- Room A 1728 Hufsmith Road, Tomball 77375

- 59. Lone Star College North Harris, Career and Skilled Trades Technology Center Rooms
- 60. Lone Star College Victory Center, Room 102
- arge Assembly Room 6003 Lorenzo Street, Channelview 77530
- 63. Metropolitan MultiService Center, Gym
- 64. Milton Lusk Activity Center, Meeting Room
- 66. Moody Park Community Center, Gym
- 6ym 4410 Navigation Boulevard, Houston 77011
- 70. Northeast Multi-Service Center, Auditorium
- 72. Prairie View A&M University Northwest,
- 73. Raindrop Turkish House, Turkistan Room and Selcuk Room
- 74. Richard and Meg Weekley Community Center, Room
- 75. Riley Chambers Community Center 808 1/2 Magnolia Avenue, Crosby 77532
- 76. Saint John Lutheran Church and School, Chapel
- Hospitality Room 10960 MLK Boulevard, Houston 77048 78. Samuel Matthews Park Community Center,
- 79. San Jacinto College Generation Park, Room G-2.125 13455 Lockwood Road, Houston 77044

- 80. San Jacinto Community Center.
- Grand Assembly Room 604 Highland Woods Drive, Highlands 77562 81. Sheraton Houston Brookhollow Hotel,
- 3000 North Loop West Freeway, Houston 77092 82. Shrine of the Black Madonna Cultural and Event
- 83. SPJST Lodge Num 88,
- 85. Sunnyside Multi Service Center, Auditorium 189 9314 Cullen Boulevard, Houston 77051

84. Steve Radack Community Center, Auditorium 18650 Clay Road, Houston 77084

86. Texas Southern University, Terry Library 3100 Cleburne Street, Houston 77004 87. The Collective-The Power Center, Green Room

12401 South Post Oak Road, Houston 77045

- 88. The Grand Tuscany Hotel, The Plaza
- 89. Tom Bass Park Community Center, Section Three Auditorium 15108 Cullen Boulevard, Houston 77047
- 90. Tomball Public Works Building, Training Room 91. Tracy Gee Community Center, Art Rooms 1 & 2
- 92. Trini Mendenhall Community Center, Auditorium 1414 Wirt Road, Houston 7705

93. University of Houston Clear Lake, Bayou 1510 /

- Garden Room (First Floor of the Bayou Building) 2700 Bay Area Boulevard, Houston 77058 94. University of Houston Student Center,
- Room 214 Space City 4455 University Drive, Houston 77004 95. University of Houston-Downtown,
- GSB 307 Milam & Travis Rooms 201 Girard Street, Houston 77002 96. Vera Brummet May Community Center
- 97. Victory Houston, Event Center 98. Webster Civic Center, Civic Center
- 99. Wheeler Avenue Baptist Church, Gymnasiu

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郵寄選票申請必須在以下日期辦公結束前寄達

October 28, 2022 28 de octubre de 2022 Ngày 28 tháng Mười, 2022 2022年10月28日

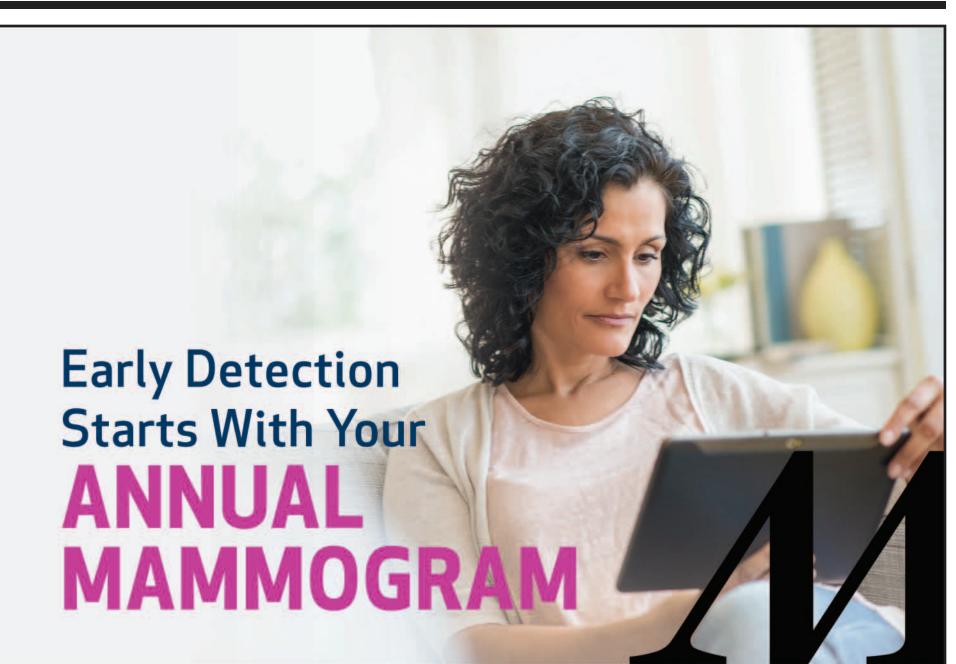
Issued this the 20th day of September 2022 Emitido este día 20 de septiembre de 2022. Ban hành ngày 20 tháng Chín, 2022 發佈日期: 2022年9月20日

> Signature of Presiding Officer Firma del Funcionario que Preside Chữ ký của Viên Chức Điều Hành 主審法官簽名



Harris County Elections Administrator

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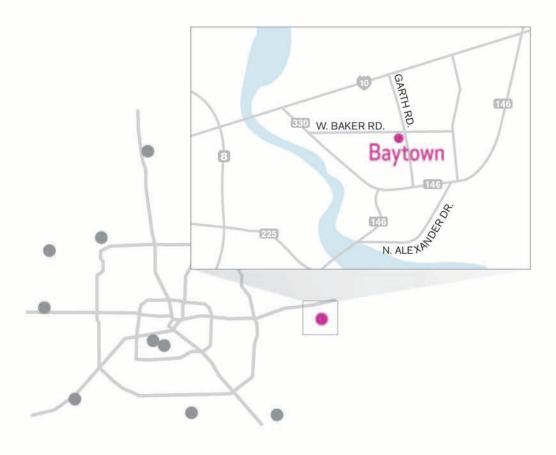
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