

**NOTICE OF PRIMARY ELECTION
GRAYS HARBOR COUNTY, WASHINGTON
TUESDAY, August 1, 2017**

NOTICE IS GIVEN THAT on Tuesday, August 1, 2017, in Grays Harbor County, Washington, there will be a Primary Election for the qualified voters for the following:

Fire Districts 3, 11 and 14, and the City of Westport – Creation and Funding the South Beach Regional Fire Authority

Offices/Positions Participating in the Election:

Hospital District 1 Position 1
Aberdeen Council Ward 1 Position 2
City of McCleary Mayor, Position 3
City of Ocean Shores Positions 1, 3, and 5
Sch Dist 5 - Aberdeen School 5 Position 1
Sch Dist 99 -Cosmopolis Director Districts 1, and 4 (at large)
Fire District 5 Position 1

Voter Registration Deadlines:

July 3, 2017 – Deadline for mail/online voter registrations, and transfers. Voters currently registered to vote in the State of Washington must update their registration, including changes of address by this date to vote in the General Election.

July 24, 2017 – Persons not registered to vote in Washington must register in person at the County Auditor's Office by this date to vote in this election.

Registering to vote:

- By mail – form may be obtained by calling the County Auditor's Office at 360-964-1553 or online at www.vote.wa.gov
- In person –County Auditor's Office 100 W. Broadway Suite 2 Montesano, WA 98563
Office hours- Monday – Friday 9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. closed 12:00 p.m. -12:30 p.m.
- Online – www.vote.wa.gov

Ballots will be mailed to all active registered voters in participating districts by July 12. Voters may obtain a replacement ballot by calling the Grays Harbor County Auditor's Office at 360-964-1556.

A 24 hour ballot drop box will be available starting July 13 through 8:00 pm on Election Night at the following locations:

- **Grays Harbor County Auditor's Office (AVU is available only at this location)
100 W. Broadway Suite 2, Montesano, WA 98563**
- **Grays Harbor YMCA 2500 Simpson Ave., Hoquiam, WA**

Election Day drop-off locations are list below. They are open from 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. election day only.

- **McCleary VFW 158 Summit Rd., McCleary**
- **Montesano Auditor's Office 100 W. Broadway, Suite 2, Montesano**
- **Ocean Shores Convention Center, 120 W. Chance Ala Mer Ave, Ocean Shores**
- **Westport Council Chambers 506 N. Montesano St, Westport**

The Grays Harbor County Canvassing Board shall meet at the following times:

The County Canvassing Board or Delegates will convene at 9 a.m. on July 18th and will continue each day until 4:00 p.m. to determine the status of special ballots and challenged ballots. These meetings will continue until August 14, 2017. This will take place at the County Elections Building, 121 W Spruce, Montesano, WA.

The Canvassing Board will hold a public meeting at 10:30 a.m., August 15, at the County Auditor's office, located in the County Elections Building, 121 W Spruce, Montesano, WA, to certify the results of the Primary Election held on August 1, 2017.

Logic and Accuracy Vote Tallying Test

On Thursday, July 6, 2017 at 2:00 pm test ballots will be scanned and resolved for the official L&A test, pursuant to WAC 434-335-270 thru 434-335-335.

This testing and certification will take place in the Grays Harbor County Elections Building, 121 W Spruce, Montesano, WA.

VERN SPATZ, Auditor

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