

CITY OF PHILADELPHIA

CITY COMMISSIONERS



Election Board Training

2018 Primary Election

City Commissioners

Rooms 130, 132, 134 City Hall Philadelphia, PA 19107 Phone: (215) 686-3460, 3462, 3464 www.philadelphiavotes.com

County Board of Elections

Room 142 City Hall Philadelphia, PA 19107 Phone: (215) 686-3943

Voter Registration Division

Riverview Place, 5th Floor 520 N. Delaware Avenue Philadelphia, PA 19123 Phone: (215) 686-1500



Prior to Election

- Election Materials box, phone, and supplemental pages (if any) must be picked up at their designated locations
- If unsure of where and when to pickup boxes, call 215-686-1530 or refer to p. 55 in the Election Guide
- The person picking up the materials must accept a City-issued cell phone
- All cell phones MUST be turned on by 7:00 AM election morning



Tuesday, May 15, 2018

7:00 AM - 8:00 PM

(Arrive at 6:30 AM to set up)

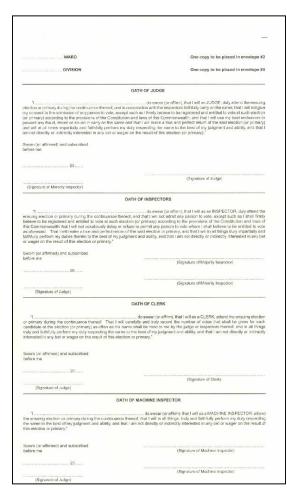


Positions on the Election Board

- Judge of Election
- Majority Inspector
- Minority Inspector
- Clerk
- Machine Inspector
 - 2 voting machines = 1 Machine Inspector
 - 3 voting machines = 2 Machine Inspectors
- Each person can only hold **ONE** position except Bilingual Interpreters who are appointed and certified by the City Commissioners for certain divisions. Please make note that by adding your name to additional positions will **NOT** result in any additional pay; for additional information regarding positions on the Election Board refer to pgs. **5-8** in the Election Guide

Arrival and Administering the Oaths of Office

- Arrive at 6:30 AM
- **TURN ON** the cell phone provided with the election materials
- If your polling place location is not open, call 215-686-1523
- Open ALL voting machines provided
 - Make sure your ward/division of your machine matches those marked on the Election Materials box
- Administer the Oaths of Office
 - 8x14 inch 2 part form
 - Place one copy in #2 Envelope
 - Place one copy in #4 Envelope



Filling Vacancies on Election Day

- If someone is missing/NO show by 7:00 AM:
 - Judge of Election MUST appoint Majority Inspector
 - Majority Inspector MUST appoint a Judge of Election
 - Minority Inspector MUST appoint Clerk
- If you are unable to fill any of these positions, they can be filled via **Curbside Election**
- Elected or Court Appointed Election Board Officials must be seated if they arrive before 7:00 AM
- For more information, refer to p. 8 of the Election Guide



Rights of Voters

- An Elector shall have the right to vote
 - Without use of threat, force, violence or restraint
 - Without intimidation or coercion upon or against his or her person
 - Without any other action intended to deny any individual's right to vote



Electioneering

- The following is prohibited within 10 feet of the Polling Place entrance (where the voting machines are located):
 - Handing out campaign literature
 - Promoting a candidate
 - Discussing candidates or political parties in front of a voter



Machine Technicians

- Periodically throughout Election Day machine technicians employed by the City, directly or through a contractor, will visit polling places to perform courtesy checks on the electronic voting machines.
 - Check for an employee badge/ID card



Poll Watchers

- They represent a candidate or political party to watch polling place activities
- They must have a certificate from the City Commissioners' Office
 - Certificates are good for anywhere in the City
- Only one Poll Watcher per party or candidate at a time may be present in the polling place during voting hours (6:30 AM - Close of Polls)
- If no voters are present:
 - They can request the number of voters who have voted
 - They can view the Poll Books and #2 & #4 Books
 - They can ask for and receive the machine counts
 - They can take pictures inside the Polling Place
- Poll Watchers CANNOT go behind the voting machines
- Poll Watchers SHOULD NOT take pictures of voters in the act of voting
- For additional information, refer to p. 31-32 in the Election Guide



Opening the Polls

(The polling place MUST be open at 7:00 AM)



Posters

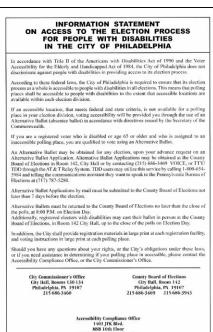
All Posters MUST be Hung Up Inside and Outside Unless Noted Otherwise!

Posters can be found in the extra large envelope with red letters "ATTENTION: Judge of Election" and/or the Election

Box

- **2** Blue Posters (**Inside Only**)
 - Voting Laws and Penalties
 - How to vote and how elections are run
- 4 White Posters
 - People with Disabilities

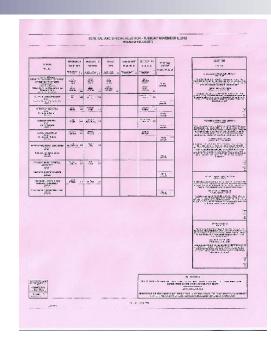


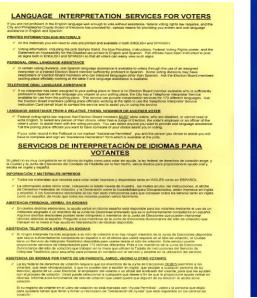


Philadelphia, PA 19102-1677



- 5 Large Pink Posters
 - Sample Ballots
 - English & Spanish
- **2** Pink 8.5 x 11 Cards
- 2 Yellow Posters
 - English as a Second Language
- 2 Blue Accessibility Posters
 - Only necessary divisions (Not all)





NOTICE OF VOTERS' RIGHTS

PHILADELPHIA COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

AN ELECTOR SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO CAST HIS OR HER VOTE:

- WITHOUT THE USE OR THREAT OF FORCE, VIOLENCE OR RESTRAINT:
- WITHOUT THE INFLICTION OR THREAT OF INFLICTION OF INJURY:
- WITHOUT ANY INTIMIDATION OR COERCION UPON OR AGAINST HIS OR HER PERSON: OR
- WITHOUT ANY OTHER ACTION INTENDED TO DENY ANY INDIVIDUAL'S RIGHTS TO VOTE.

AVISO DE LOS DERECHOS DE LOS VOTANTES

JUNTA ELECTORAL DEL CONDADO DE PHILADELPHIA
UN ELECTOR DEBE TENER EL DERECHO A EMITIR SU VOTO:

- SIN EL USO O AMENAZA DE FUERZA, VIOLENCIA O RETENCIÓN;
- · SIN INFLIGIR O AEMENAZA DE INFLIGIR UNA LESIÓN:
- SIN CUALQUIER INTIMIDACIÓN O COERCIÓN EN CONTRA DE SU PERSONA: O
- SIN OTRA ACCIÓN INTENCIONADA A NEGAR A CUALQUIER INDIVIDUO EL DERECHO A VOTAR.

Philadelphia City Commissioners March 2008





QUICK REFERENCE GUIDE – ELECTION DAY PHONE INTERPRETATION

- This guide is available for individuals who require language interpretation services other than those offered at their polling place
- •Have an Election Board Official contact a language interpreter using the hotline provided on the guide
- This guide MUST be posted on the table for public viewing





Plain English Statement for Ballot Questions (if applicable)

- 3 copies in English & Spanish provided
- Please post a copy of each for public viewing

PLAIN ENGLISH STATEMENT REGARDING BALLOT QUESTION NO. __

Ballot Question:

Should the City of Philadelphia borrow ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVEN MILLION TWO HUNDRED NINETY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$137,295,000.00) to be spent for and toward capital purposes as follows: Transit: Streets and Sanitation; Municipal Buildings; Parks, Recreation and Museums; and Economic and Community Development?

Statement:

This ballot question, if approved by the voters, would authorize the City to borrow \$137,295,000 for capital purposes, thereby increasing the City's indebtedness by \$137,295,000. Capital purposes means, generally, to make expenditures that will result in something of value with a useful life to the City of more than five years, for example, acquisitions of real estate, or construction of or improvements to buildings, property or streets.

The money to be borrowed would be used by the City for five identified purposes, namely, Transit; Streets and Sanitation; Municipal Buildings; Parks, Recreation and Museums; and Economic and Community Development, all in specific amounts identified in Bill No. 140511 (approved September __, 2014). City Council would have authority, by ordinance, to change the intended allocation of these proceeds.

Ballot Question Submitted to the Voters By: Bill No. 140511 (approved September ___, 2014).

Plain English Statement Prepared As Required By Section 201.1 of the Pennsylvania Election Code.





Poll Book

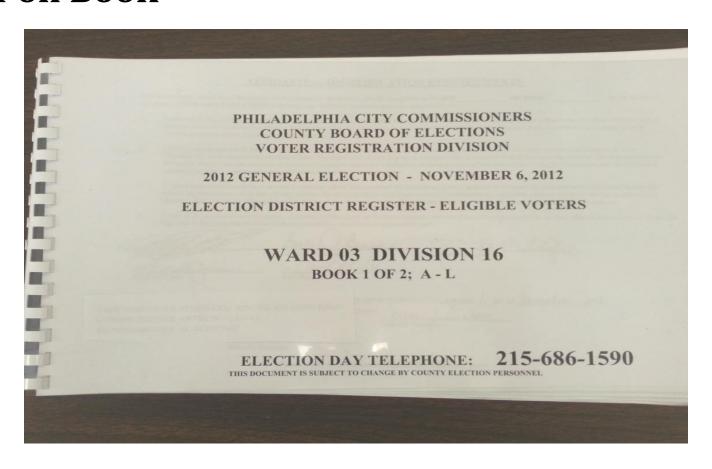
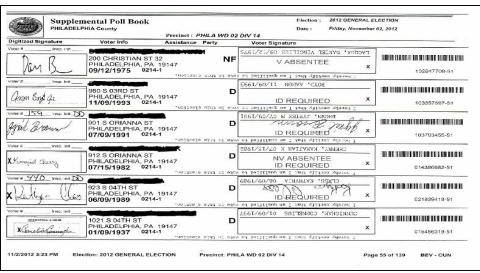


Table Setup (Cont.)

- Supplemental Sheets (If any)
- Admission Slips
- 2 Yellow Books







Voter ID

- Voters should not be asked to show ID unless they are a first time voter in the division
- First time voters in the division will be required to show either photo, or non-photo identification as indicated in the voting signature box "ID Required"
- **Ex:** Valid Driver's License, current utility bill
- For additional information on acceptable forms of ID, refer to p. 16 in the Election Guide

Machine Voting

- Locate voter's name in the Poll Book
- Check the voter's Poll Book signature box for any messages
- Allow Voter to sign in the Poll Book
- Assign an admission number in the Poll Book, Yellow #2 & #4
 Books, and Admission Slips
- Announce voter's name and party during Primary Elections & name only during General and Special Elections
- Set the Voting Machine and have the voter enter the booth;
 remind voter to press the green vote button after voting
- If a voter's name is not in the Poll Book or on a Supplemental Sheet he/she may NOT vote on the machine. He/she may ONLY vote by Provisional Ballot.
- For more information, refer to p. 13-15 in the Election Guide

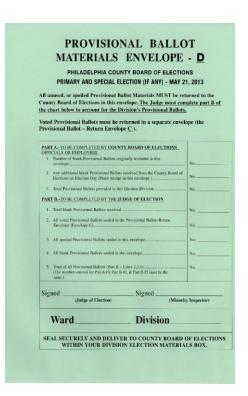
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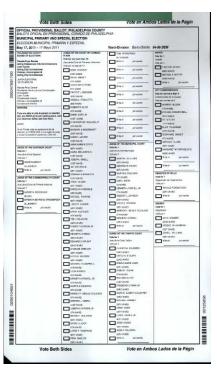
Provisional Voting

- Use a Provisional Ballot when:
 - Voter is not in the Poll Book or Supplemental Pages
 - Voter does not have valid ID where ID is required
 - Voter claims Political Party listed in Poll Book is incorrect (Primary Elections only)
 - On rare occasions:
 - A person with a court order
 - Court ordered extension of polls closing time
- Write the voter's name in the <u>BACK</u> of both Yellow Books
 - Do NOT assign an admission number, instead write "PROV"
 - Voter does NOT sign in Poll Book
- See pages 18-22 for additional information in your Election Guide.

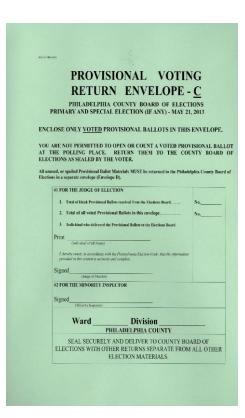
Provisional Voting

Remember: Any voter has the right to request a Provisional Ballot for any reason!





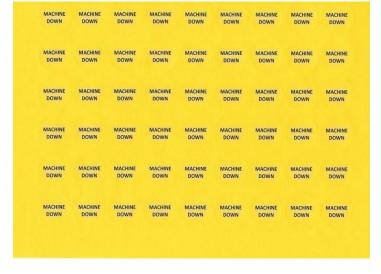






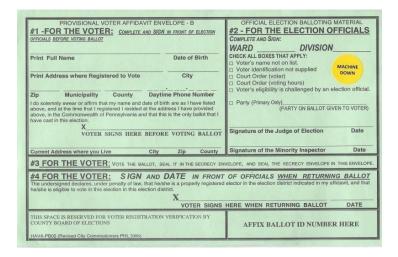
Machine Down Provisional Voting

• Used when **50%** or more of voting machines are not working and there are voters waiting to use the election machines.



STICKERS PROVIDED

 After voter has cast a Machine Down Provisional ballot, place a "Machine Down" sticker in Section 2 of the Provisional Affidavit Envelope "B".



Absentee Voting

- Post Absentee Voters List (if any)
 - Delivered by Police Officer





- Write the voter's name in the back of both Yellow Books
 - Do not assign an admission number, instead write "AB"
- If any voter that sent in an absentee ballot comes in to vote:
 - Write "Void" next to their name from the Absentee Voters List provided by the police officer
 - Have the voter sign the green Absentee Application copy along with the Judge of Elections
 - Assign an admission number in the Poll Book, #2 & #4 books, as well as on the admission slip
 - Allow Voter to sign in Poll Book
 - Allow voter to vote on the machine
 - Place the Absentee Voters List and any voided green Absentee Application copies in the vinyl bag at the end of the night
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- Found at the beginning of each Poll Book
- Used for correcting voter information

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In the spa	es provided below, please provide the	necessary voter information and che	ek off the appropria	nade to the voter registration records in this pollhook. to box for the type of change needed. If you need to provide ion on the voter record that appears in this pollbook.	
Page #	Voter's Name	ID Number	Date of Birth	Change Information	CC
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				Deceased Affirmation, New Address on Vote: Record Moved, New Address Unknown	

Voter Assistance

- If a voter requires assistance operating the voting machine or assistance with a language other than English:
 - Complete an Assistance Declaration
 - White 8.5" x 11" pad
 - Anyone but the Judge of Election, Employer, or Union Representative may assist a voter
- DO NOT offer assistance without being asked
 - No voter assistance is permitted unless the voter requests assistance. It is the voter's choice who assists them.
- Record of Assisted Voters
 - Place completed forms in #2 Envelope

ASSISTANCE DECLARATION Declaration of the Need for Assistance to Vote Voter's Date of Birth: BY REASON OF Reason for Assistance: , LAM UNABLE TO VOTE WITHOUT THE ASSISTANCE OF Person providing assistance Name: Signature / Mark of Voter: Signature of Witness: Ward AYUDA DECLARACIÓN Declaracion de la Necesidad da Ayuda para Votar Nombre de Votante: Dirección de Votante: POR LA RAZON DE QUE Razon por la cual necesita avuda: VOTAR SIN LA AYUDA DE Nombre de la persona dando ayuda: Dirección de la persona dando ayuda: Firma o marca dal votante: Fecha: Atestado por Nombre dal Testigo: Firma del Juez de Elección:

CITY OF PHILADELPHIA - CITY COMMISSIONERS COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS - ELECTION DAY HOTLINE - 686-1590

Form AD Rev 12/95



Affirmation of Elector

- If a registered elector has moved, the voter should inform polling place officials of the address change by completing **Sections A and C** of an Affirmation of Elector form.
- If the voter has moved out of Philadelphia County, their voting record will be cancelled here. Inform them that they are responsible to register to vote in their new county of residence for future elections.

AFFIRMATION OF ELECTOR PHILADELPHIA COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

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If my new address is in the area co	vered by this p	olling place, I w	ish to continu	te to vote here.
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Challenging a Voter

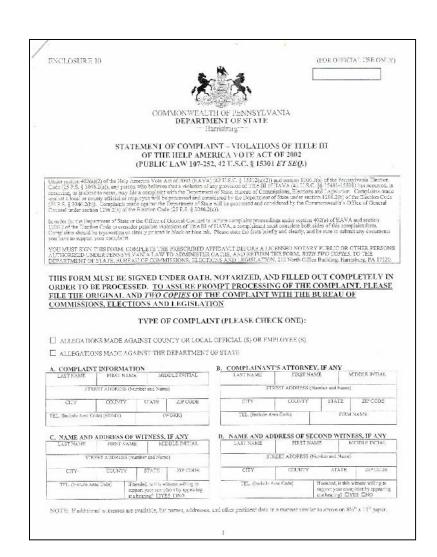
- Anyone can challenge a machine voter's identity (used on rare occasions)
- •Anyone can challenge an Absentee Ballot voter's identity or reason for absence
- For further information, refer to p.24 in the Election Guide
- For assistance with using the Challenge Affidavit, Call 215-686-1590
- There is a \$10.00 fee associated with all Absentee challenges

WARD	CHALLENGE AFFIDAVIT
	AS TO IDENTITY AND RESIDENCE
DIVISION	(TO BE MADE BY PERSON CHALLENGED)
any person, although registered as a voter, m ELECTION DISTRICT, AS PROVIDED FO	ay be challenged by any qualified voter as to IDENTITY or RESIDENCE IN THE R UNDER SECTION 1210 OF THIS ACT.
State of Pennsylvania County of Pennsylvania as:	
NAME OF CHALLENGED VOTER:	DATE OF BIRTH
CHALLENGED VOTER'S ADDRESS	
STATE REASON FOR CHALLENGE:	
	IDENTITY:RESIDENCE:
NAME OF PERSON MAKING CHALLEN	GE:
ADDRESS OF PERSON MAKING CHALL	ENGE:
I, the undersigned, duly sworn according to l registered in the above election district in the	aw say: That I am a qualified voter and that I resided at the above address when I City of Palladelphia and hereby claim that the matter of challenge against me is untru
Sworn (or affirmed) and Subscribed before r	ne
This day of	, 20
(SIGNATURE OF JUDGE OF ELECT	ION) (SIGNATURE OF CHALLENGED VOTER)
	AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESS
State of Pennsylvania	ENTITY OR RESIDENCE OF CHALLENGED VOTER
County of Philadelphia as:	
I, the undersigned, being duly sworn to law City of Philadelphia, that I am personally ac	ay: That I am a qualified voter of the Ward, Division in painted with the challenged voter and I believe his statements to be true and correct.
Sworn (or affirmed) and Subscribed before	10
Thisday of	,20
(SIGNATURE OF JUDGE OF ELECT	TON) (SIGNATURE OF WITNESS)
	(ADDRESS OF WITNESS)
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show you one of the Approved Forms of Ide	HD REQUIRED does not have to complete this Challenge Affidavit but merely has t mification unless the voter is challenged on the basis that the voter is not the individu
listed in the District Register or on the provi	ded Identification. 16-73 (Rev 07/2004)



Complaints

- If someone has any complaints about how the election is conducted
- HAVA Title III
 envelope contains
 complaint forms
- Voter completes and files on his/her own



Closing the Polls

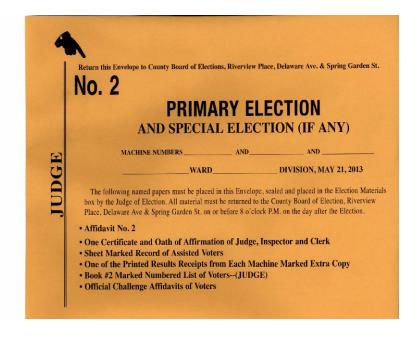


- All polls MUST stay open until 8:00 PM
 - Have an Election Board member stand at the end of the line at 8:00 PM
 - Close All voting machines
 - Sign the Affidavit for Identification Requirements
 - Located at the front of each Poll Book
- Sign the payroll sheet
 - Payrolls MUST NOT be filled out until close of Election

The undergioned members of the	district election board for the election district designated as WARD / DIVISION 3 by the Board of
	OUNTY, having been duly swom according to law, state as follows:
election officer for examin	rrain electors who appear to vote are permitted to cast a ballot in the ordinary manner, the law requires an individual to present to an atom either a proper form of photo identification or, if the individual does not have proper photo identification, a proper form of ename and address of the elector.
responsibility of the respor determine whether the ider	the event that the district register indicates that an elector appearing to vote is required to show proper identification, it is the sible election officer(s) to require the elector to present a proper form of identification and to examine the identification presented to tification is proper and demonstrates to the satisfaction of the inspectors of election and/or the judge of elections that the individual tered and qualified elector of the election district.
district register and to vote	the event that an election officer has examined the identification presented and the elector has been permitted thereafter to sign the in the ordinary manner, the election officer who examined the identification is required to indicate that he or she has examined the flixing his or her initials next to the name of the elector in the district register in the place designated for such purpose.
	erstandings, where my initials appear in the district register indicating that I have examined an elector's identification. I swear under one identification presented by the elector as required by law.
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- Goes inside the Election Materials Box
- Contains:
 - A copy of the completed Oath of Officers
 - A copy of the signed voting machine tape
 - Record of Assisted Voters
 - Official Challenge Affidavits of Voters
 - **4**2 Yellow Book

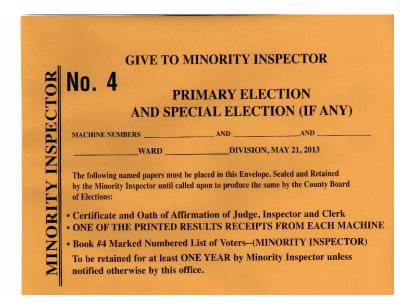


#4 Envelope

- Given to the MinorityInspector
 - Must be retained for one year

Contains:

- A copy of the completed Oath of Officers
- A copy of the signed voting machine tape
- #4 Yellow Book

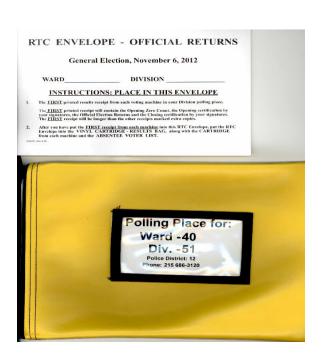


Note: Judge of Election does not take any materials home from the #2 or #4 envelopes



Vinyl Bag

- Given to Police Officer
- Contains:
 - Cartridges from ALL voting machines (opened and unopened)
 - Longest, signed voting machine tape from each machine (contains the zero counts from the beginning of the day and any write-in votes)
 - Absentee voters list
 - Any voided green Absentee Application copies



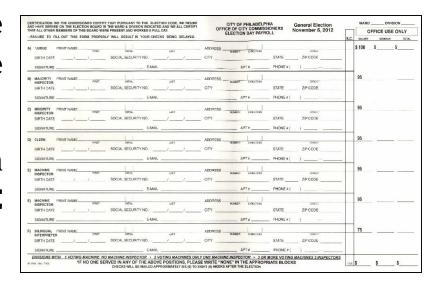


Post Outside the Polling Place

- Post outside the closed Polling Place a signed copy of the Voting Machine tape
- Results tape should be visible to anyone coming after the polls close

Election Materials Box

- All remaining materials should be placed inside the box except the payroll sheet
- Payroll sheet should be handed in separately. DO NOT TAPE TO THE BOX
- •Judge of Elections should retain pink copy of the payroll sheet for records
- Ensure all board workers completed & signed payroll sheet
- Any questions or discrepancies, please call 215-686-1530





After the Election

- Wait for the police officer
 - Give him/her the vinyl bag
- Bring election materials box to 520 N. Delaware Ave. (Delaware Ave. & Spring Garden St.)
 - By 2:00 AM the following day



Election Results

- For unofficial real-time election night results, visit www.phillyelectionresults.com
- For certified results and other voting information, visit
 www.philadelphiavotes.com
- For results by county or statewide (including past elections), visit
 www.electionreturns.state.pa.us