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Vote-By-Mail Ballots Are On The Way for the November 5, 2024 General Election

Voters in St. Lucie County can choose from three different voting methods: Vote-By-Mail, Early Voting at seven locations or voting at their designated precinct on Election Day. However, voting by mail offers the unique benefit of avoiding lines during Early Voting or Election Day, especially given a lengthy General Election ballot. By requesting a Vote-By-Mail ballot, voters can take their time and participate in the election process from the comfort of their homes.

Gertrude Walker, St. Lucie County Supervisor of Elections stated, "As of September 27, 2024, our office mailed a total of 40,112 ballots to registered voters with requests on file. I recommend that voters that are interested in voting by mail place their request well ahead of the deadline date of October 24, 2024, to ensure timely delivery."

Once completed, Vote-By-Mail ballots can be dropped off at a Secure Ballot Intake Station located inside any of the four St. Lucie County Supervisor of Elections offices. Secure Ballot Intake Stations are also available for Vote-By-Mail ballot drop off during Early Voting at the locations listed below starting on Monday, October 21, 2024, to Saturday, November 2, 2024, from 9:00 am to 7:00 pm each day and ending on Sunday, November 3, 2024 from 7:00 am to 3:00 pm.

- Indian River State College Veterans Center of Excellence: 500 NW California Blvd., Port St. Lucie
- Renaissance Business Park: 4132 Okeechobee Road, Fort Pierce
- Paula A. Lewis Library: 2950 Rosser Blvd., Port St. Lucie
- Port St. Lucie Community Center: 2195 SE Airoso Blvd., Port St. Lucie
- Zora Neale Hurston Library: 3008 Avenue D., Fort Pierce
- MIDFLORIDA Event Civic Center: 9221 SE Event Center Place, Port St. Lucie
- Robert E. Minsky Gym: 750 SW Darwin Blvd., Port St. Lucie

All Vote-By-Mail ballots must be returned to the Supervisor of Elections office prior to 7:00 pm on Election Day, Tuesday, November 5, 2024. Voters that choose to return their ballot by mail should do so at least 7 days prior to Election Day to ensure timely receipt.

For more information on how to request your Vote-By-Mail ballot or any other election-related inquiries, please visit www.slcelections.com or contact the St. Lucie County Supervisor of Elections office at 772-462-1500.