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PASSAIC COUNTY CLERK DANIELLE IRELAND-IMHOF SHARES IMPORTANT UPDATES FOR VOTERS PREPARING FOR THE JUNE 4, 2024 PRIMARY ELECTION

Get Ready to Vote: Sample Ballots Now Available Online

With the June 4, 2024 Primary Election fast approaching, Passaic County Clerk Danielle Ireland-Imhof is pleased to announce that sample ballots are now accessible on the Passaic County Clerk's Office website: <u>www.passaiccountyclerk.org</u> under the "Elections Division" tab. Sample ballots have also been mailed to voters in accordance with State law and include essential information such as voters' June 4th Election Day assigned polling locations and details about Passaic County's 10 Early Voting sites, open from May 29 through June 2, 2024.

Ballot Design Change to Democratic Primary Ballots (Republican Ballots Unchanged)

Clerk Ireland-Imhof further advises Democratic voters of a change to the design of the Democratic Primary ballot, prompted by a recent statewide federal court order. Unlike previous years where candidates were placed along rows on the ballot, candidates are now listed within separate boxes based on the office they are running for. This change, mandated throughout New Jersey, affects only the Democratic Primary Election, leaving the Republican Primary Election ballot unchanged. To help voters navigate this change to the ballot design, Clerk Ireland-Imhof has posted a short video message on the Clerk's Office website.

"I encourage voters to review their sample ballot before heading to the polls. Familiarizing yourself with the candidates and instructions will ensure a smooth and confident voting experience," said Clerk Ireland-Imhof.

Voters with a vote-by-mail ballot should follow the instructions included with their ballot on how, when, and where to return their voted ballot to the Passaic County Board of Elections. Vote-by-mail ballots must be returned or postmarked no later than Election Day, June 4, 2024.

For questions, please contact the Passaic County Clerk's Office Elections Division by email at CountyClerkElections@passaiccountynj.org or by phone at (973) 881-4127. And, for more election information visit <u>passaiccountynj.org/elections</u> or <u>vote.nj.gov</u>.