



# EARLY VOTING / IN-OFFICE VOTING PROCESS

April 5, 2011 Municipal Primary Election



Overview: The 14-day early voting period is March 19 (Saturday) to April 1 (Friday). In addition, the City of North Las Vegas will conduct "In-Office Voting" from March 16 (Wednesday) to March 17 (Thursday). Only voters registered within the specific [boundaries](#) of Boulder City, Henderson, Las Vegas, Mesquite or North Las Vegas may vote before Election Day and only at an early voting site within their own City. Locations include shopping malls, super-markets, libraries and community centers. [Early voting schedules](#) are in sample ballots, newspapers and on the [Internet](#). **Voters registered in unincorporated areas of Clark County do NOT participate in Municipal Elections.** Login to "[Registered Voter Services](#)" on the Clark County Election Department's home page to find out if you are eligible to vote in the April 5, 2011 Municipal Primary Election.

Voting Machines: All polling places are equipped with [electronic touch-screen voting machines](#). These machines include a voter verifiable paper printout of each ballot. The printout stays with the machine. The machines also provide [Spanish](#) and English ballots and instructions.

Municipal Primary Election Voting: A Primary Election is a preliminary (nominating) election to select, when necessary, candidates who will run in the General Election contests. You may vote for all [offices](#) on the ballot for your precinct, regardless of your party affiliation. Municipal Elections are nonpartisan, meaning candidates' parties will not appear on the ballot. A candidate may be declared elected in the Municipal Primary Election if he or she receives a majority of the votes. Election rules and offices up for election vary by city. For more information about rules and offices, see "[Facts and Figures](#)" or contact the [City Clerk](#).

No Write-Ins: [Nevada Revised Statute \(NRS\) 293.270](#) prohibits write-in candidates.

## Early Voting Process:

- Upon arriving at the site, your voting eligibility and signature will be verified before you are allowed to vote. The election Clerk will announce your name, as required by Nevada law ([NRS 293.285](#)).
  - *NOTE: It is always a good idea to bring picture identification with you when you vote.*
- Computers at each site connect to the Election Department's centralized voter files. After the verification process, the Clerk will immediately update your record, thus preventing anyone from voting twice.
- You will then receive an activation card to take to a voting machine.
- Insert the activation card into a voting machine to activate it for your specific precinct and [vote](#).
- When you finish voting, immediately return the activation card to an election official.

Early Voting Turnout: Daily early voting turnout (total voters per site) will be updated on the [Internet](#) each night between around 9:00 p.m.

Results Tabulation: Tabulated results are not available until after 7:00 p.m. on Election Day and are on the Clark County Election Department's [Internet](#) site or [TV channel 4](#).