

**NEWS RELEASE
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Elections Department, DeKalb County Clerk's Office ~ 815.895.7150

DEKALB COUNTY CLERK, Sharon L. Holmes, wishes to inform voters of the available options for the General Primary to be held on Tuesday, February 2, 2010.

Option #1 ~ ABSENTEE VOTING ~ Voter is unable to vote at polling place on Election Day, (ie; out of county, student away at school, serving as Election Judge, or physically incapacitated). Absentee Voting is offered in-person at the County Clerk's office, 110 E. Sycamore St., Sycamore (December 28th, 2009 through January 8th, 2010 and again January 29th, 2010 through Feb.1, 2010) or by mail (December 28th, 2009 through January 28th, 2010) . Please call (815) 895-7147 or visit our website at: <http://www.dekalbcounty.org/Elections/abaps.pdf>

Option #2 ~ EARLY VOTING ~ Must show government issued ID. Vote at the Specified Early Voting site at the County Legislative Center, 200 N. Main St., Sycamore. Early Voting will be conducted January 11th, 2010 through January 28th, 2010.

Option #3 ~ GRACE PERIOD VOTING ~ Grace period voting (January 6th, 2010 through January 26th, 2010) is for those persons who did not register to vote or change their address before the close of registration. Voter must come to the County Clerk's office or Early Voting site to register or change address during this period. The voter MUST vote at that time and cannot vote at the polling place on February 2nd, 2010.

Please visit our website at

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for other election related questions including polling place information and Absentee/Early Voting dates and times.