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Burleson County Republican Party Newsletter

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## »»»»»»»»» SPECIAL EDITION ««««««««« 2010 PRIMARY ELECTION

If you're one of the many citizens of this great country who are concerned about the socialist agenda of the current Administration and the future we'll leave to our grandchildren, you can do something about it, you can start by preparing for and voting in the 2010 Republican Primary. In our county, district and state we have some of the most conservative Republican elected officials and candidates on the ballot anywhere in this nation. With your vote and participation in our conventions you will influence the return to conservative principles. Let's get this nation back on the right track!!! Every Vote Counts!!

### SCHEDULE OF 2010 ELECTION EVENTS

- January 1 (Friday) First day for voter to submit an application for an early ballot by mail.
- February 1 (Monday) Last day person may register to vote for the March 2nd primary election.**
- February 16 (Tuesday) First day of Early Voting by personal appearance at the Courthouse, 8am to 5pm.
- February 23 (Tuesday) Last day to receive applications for ballots by mail for the March primary.
- February 26 (Friday) Last day to vote early in person for the March primary.
- March 2 (Tuesday) PRIMARY ELECTION DAY.**  
(POLL WORKERS NEEDED! Call Caressa Inman (567-0080). Training 5:30 p.m. February 18th at Courthouse)
- March 2 (Tuesday) Precinct Conventions, 7:10 p.m. at your voting location.**
- March 20 (Saturday) Burleson County Republican Convention, 10 a.m., Cooks Point Community Center.
- June 11 - 12 (Friday & Saturday) Texas State Republican Convention, Dallas Convention Center.

### VOTER REGISTRATION

Be sure you received your new pastel blue voting card in the mail. Also, make sure all your conservative family members and friends are registered to vote. Last day to register to vote in the 2010 Republican Primary is Monday, February 1st. Call Paula Bartnesky, Burleson Co. Election Administrator at 567-2000, if you did not receive a new voter registration card.

### REPUBLICAN PRIMARY CANDIDATES

- U.S. Representative, District 10: ..... Michael McCaul, Joe Petronis, Rick Martin
- U.S. Representative, District 17: Chuck Wilson, Dave McIntyre, Bill Flores, Timothy Delassandro, Rob Curnock
- Governor of Texas: ..... Rick Perry, Kay Bailey Hutchison, Debra Medina
- Lt. Governor of Texas: ..... David Dewhurst (unopposed in primary)
- Attorney General: ..... Greg Abbott (unopposed in primary)
- Comptroller of Public Accounts: ..... Susan Combs (unopposed in primary)
- Commissioner of General Land Office: ..... Jerry Patterson (unopposed in primary)
- Commissioner of Agriculture: ..... Todd Staples (unopposed in primary)
- Railroad Commissioner: ..... Victor Carillo, David Porter
- Supreme Court of Texas, Place 3: .....Rick Green, Rebecca Simmons, Rick Strange, Jeff Brown, Debra Lehmann, Jim Moseley
- Supreme Court of Texas, Place 5: ..... Paul Green (unopposed in primary)
- Supreme Court of Texas, Place 9: ..... Eva Guzman, Rose Vela
- Texas Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 2: ..... Lawrence "Larry" Meyers (unopposed in primary)
- Texas Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 5: ..... Cheryl Johnson (unopposed in primary)
- Texas Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 6: ..... Michael E. Keasler (unopposed in primary)
- State Senator, District 5: ..... Steve Ogden, Ben Bius
- State Representative, District 17: ..... Tim Kleinschmidt (unopposed in primary)
- Court of Appeals, District 10, Place 3: ..... Felipe Reyna, Al Scoggins
- County Judge: ..... Mike Sutherland (unopposed winner)
- County Commissioner, Precinct 2: ..... Keith Schroeder (unopposed in primary)
- District Clerk: ..... Joy Brymer (unopposed winner)
- Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1: ..... James Baldwin (unopposed winner)
- Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2: ..... Bill Orsak (unopposed winner)
- Justice of the Peace, Precinct 3: ..... Johnny Towslee (unopposed winner)

## Republican Propositions On The Ballot (Vote "Yes" or "No")

**Proposition #1 Photo ID:** The Texas legislature should make it a priority to protect the integrity of our election process by enacting legislation that requires voters to provide valid photo identification in order to cast a ballot in any and all elections conducted in the State of Texas.

**Proposition #2 Government Growth:** Every government body in Texas should be required to limit any annual increase in its budget and spending to the combined increase of population and inflation unless it first gets voter approval to exceed the allowed annual growth or in the case of an official emergency.

**Proposition #3 Federal Income Tax:** In addition to aggressively eliminating irresponsible federal spending, Congress should empower American citizens to stimulate the economy by Congress cutting federal income taxes for all federal taxpayers, rather than spending hundreds of billions of dollars on so-called "federal economic stimulus".

**Proposition #4 Acknowledgment of God:** The use of the word "God", prayers, and the Ten Commandments should be allowed at public gatherings and public educational institutions, as well as be permitted on government buildings and property.

**Proposition #5 Sonograms:** The Texas Legislature should enact legislation requiring a sonogram to be performed and shown to each mother about to undergo a medically unnecessary, elective abortion.

### Precinct Conventions - 7:10 PM, Primary Election Day

The precinct convention is the first step in the process for you to influence the direction of the Republican Party and its candidates. After the polls close at 7:00 pm, give the Election Judges a few minutes to secure the voting machines and close out their paperwork and the Precinct Convention will start at your voting location. We encourage you to join with other voters who want to have input to our political future. Anyone who voted in the 2010 Republican Primary may be a delegate at his/her Precinct Convention.

When you arrive get forms and directions for conducting the convention from the Republican election judge. Then delegates elect a chairman and he/she appoints the officers of the convention. Committee chairmen are appointed. The Credentials Committee assures that the delegates are eligible. The Nominations Committee selects the delegates and alternates who will participate and vote at the County Convention. The Rules Committee is responsible for proposed changes to the Republican Party rules. Similarly, the Resolutions Committee handles resolutions stating the Republican Party's position on issues which will become the party's platform. Both Rules and Resolutions give their recommendations to the delegates on what should go forward to the County Convention. All of the convention delegates vote to approve, change, or disapprove the action coming out of the committees. The precinct convention doesn't take long, but it is paramount to the political and governing process.

### Burleson County Republican Primary Voting Locations

(Your voting precinct number is on the front of your blue voting card.)

Precinct No.	Voting Location
113 . . . . .	Deanville Volunteer Fire Dept., 6298 FM 111, Deanville
114 . . . . .	The People's Center, Assembly of God Church, 107 S. Temple, Caldwell
203 . . . . .	Cooks Point Community Services Center, 300 FM 1362 South, Cooks Point
204 . . . . .	New Tabor SPJST Hall, 2674 CR 225, New Tabor
207 . . . . .	Old Bethlehem Baptist Church, 5306 FM 2039, Tunis
211 & 412 . . . . .	Justice of the Peace/Constable 2 Office, 9434 Slovacek Road, Snook
215 . . . . .	Beaver Creek Gospel Fellowship Church, 727 Beaver Creek Drive, Beaver Creek
301 & 202 . . . . .	County Courthouse, 100 W. Buck Street, Caldwell
305 . . . . .	Black Jack Baptist Church, 10954 FM 908, Black Jack
308 . . . . .	Macedonia Hix Baptist Church, 10822 FM 2000, Hix
309 . . . . .	Chriesman Improvement League Center, 404 FM 1363, Chriesman
406 . . . . .	Justice of Peace 4 Office, Highway 36, Somerville
410 . . . . .	Lyons Community Center, 13705 Pecan Drive, Lyons

### Republican Party of Burleson County - 2010 Dues

If you have not already paid your dues, please do so. Individual membership dues are \$20.00, or \$30.00 will include your entire family. Make check to "RPBC" and send to Don C. Cook, 3411 CR 308, Caldwell, TX 77836. Please include your name, address, phone number, email address, and occupation. RPBC does not share your information with any other entities or individuals.

We welcome non-members on our e-mail list for notices about Republican and Tea Party events, elections, and political action items, please send your email address to Don Cook, Chairman, at [runninc@earthlink.net](mailto:runninc@earthlink.net). Your information will be used strictly for the purposes mentioned here.

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