

# from the desk of...



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## Elections & More Elections

No spring fever around here

Election Day for the City of Tampa was March 3, but it isn't over yet. We're preparing for a March 24 City of Tampa Runoff Election, an April 7 Plant City Election and an April 21 House District 64 Special Election. All three elections will include Vote By Mail and Early Voting, too, so we find ourselves meeting milestones for more than one election in the same week, and taking great care to be very, very organized!

For example, at the same time we were fulfilling Vote By Mail requests from City of Tampa voters, we were also mailing Plant City ballots to overseas voters. And while Plant City Vote By Mail requests are being fulfilled, we'll be mailing out HD64 ballots.

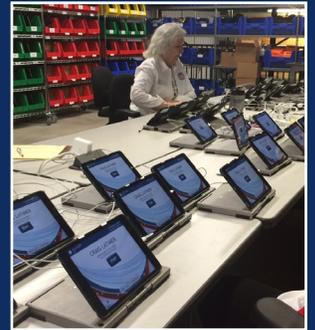
We conduct a "logic and accuracy" test on our ballot tabulators before every election, so we'll have done four in less than three months. And we definitely have the packing and unpacking, loading and unloading of our voting equipment down to a science!

As always, the best way to stay informed about when, where and how to vote is to visit [VoteHillsborough.org](http://VoteHillsborough.org), and follow us on Facebook and Twitter. Regardless of how big or small an election is, if it's an election in your district, I hope you'll appreciate the opportunity to have your say in our government.

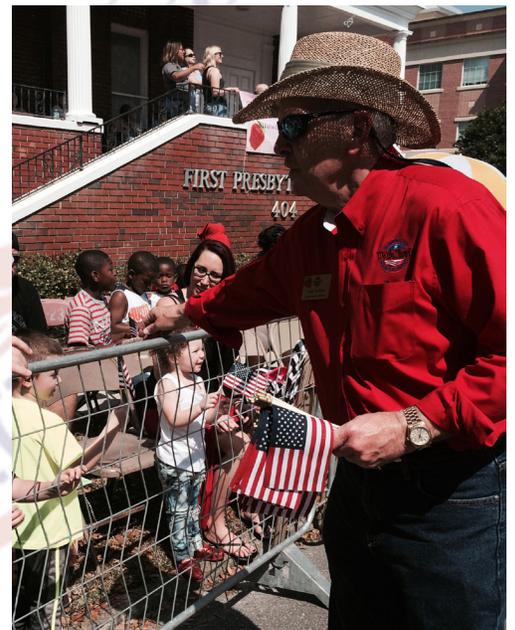


### BY THE NUMBERS: City of Tampa Election

- 93 Precincts
- 7 Early Voting Sites
- 80 Polling Places
- 650 Poll Workers
- 35 Poll Worker Training Sessions
- 199 Electronic Poll Books for Voter Check-in



*Handing out flags to future voters at the Plant City Strawberry Parade!*



the flip side



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# ALL IN THE FAMILY



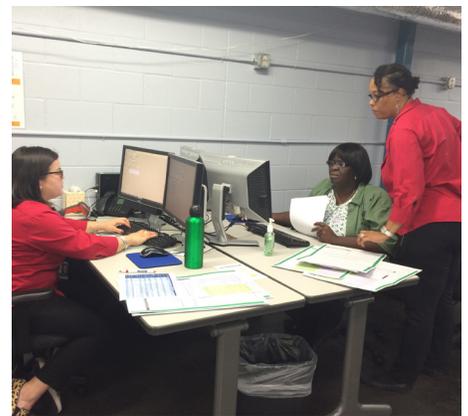
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Austin Morgan (pictured above on the left) is a 19-year-old who used to research candidates and discuss them with his parents before he was even old enough to vote. Once he reached voting age, he signed up to be one of our poll workers. Austin hopes he is setting an example for young adults. He thinks everyone should care about and get involved in our democracy. Of course, he didn't have to go far to find his own role models. His grandmother Lynda, grandfather Roger and mother Teresa are all veteran poll workers. It was my honor to spend some time with the Morgan family and congratulate them on having three generations of poll workers working one election!

## BOE & VALENCIA



While Boe (pictured left) was serving at one of our polling places, his sister Valencia (pictured far right) was in our office managing Voter Services staff members. As an Adopt A Precinct participant, the money Boe earned on Election Day will be used to support youth arts and education. Valencia has been working for our office full time for 19 years. I'm proud to have both of them serving our voters!



## the last word

Have you ever seen, actually SEEN, what it takes to put on elections in the 4th largest county in Florida? We are happy to host tours of our warehouse for local organizations. Classes, cub scouts, clubs...get in touch with Jeff (jziegler@hcsoc.org) and schedule us in for your next meeting.