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### More Than 55,000 City of Tampa Runoff Ballots in the Mail Today

Tampa, FL – Voters living in the City of Tampa who have requested Vote By Mail should start watching their mailboxes. Today, the Hillsborough County Supervisor of Elections sent out 55,762 ballots for the City of Tampa Municipal Runoff Election.

In the 2019 City of Tampa Election, nearly 23,000 voters – 47% of those voting – cast their ballot by mail. The runoff election includes races for Mayor and City Council Districts 1,3 and 5.

“A rainy day like today is a good reminder of the convenience of Vote By Mail,” said Supervisor of Elections Craig Latimer. “And it’s not too late to request a mail ballot.”

Voters can request Vote By Mail by calling the elections office at (813) 744-5900 or visiting [VoteHillsborough.org](http://VoteHillsborough.org). Vote By Mail requests expire after two General Elections.

The voter registration deadline for the runoff election is Monday, March 25, and only registered voters living in the City of Tampa may participate in this election. Voters who are already registered to vote in Florida can update their name or address any time before voting.

Supervisor of Elections Craig Latimer offers these tips for voters who want to vote by mail:

- If you haven’t voted by mail recently, update your signature with a paper or online voter registration application. The online application pulls in the signature that’s on your Florida Driver License Florida ID.
- If you make a mistake on your mail ballot, call the elections office and request a new ballot.
- Don’t forget to sign the envelope before returning the ballot.
- Mail ballots must be received by the elections office no later than 7 p.m on Election Day (April 23).
- Drop your voted ballot in the mail -- no postage necessary -- or drop it off in person at one of our seven Early Voting locations (during Early Voting hours) or one of our four offices.
- Track your ballot at [VoteHillsborough.org](http://VoteHillsborough.org) to see when your ballot was mailed out and when your voted ballot was received by the elections office.

Voters who prefer to vote in person have two options:

- Early Voting is Sunday, April 14 – Saturday, April 20, 10 a.m. – 6 p.m. You can vote in any of the seven Early Voting sites during Early Voting.
- Election Day is Tuesday, April 23, 7 a.m. – 7 p.m. You must vote in the polling place assigned to your precinct on Election Day.

More information is available at [VoteHillsborough.org](http://VoteHillsborough.org).