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## *Friday, June 8<sup>th</sup> Update of Ballots Returned For the Special CD 8 Election*

Pima County Recorder, F. Ann Rodriguez reported today that ballots for the Special Congressional District 8 General Election continue to be returned and processed. Updated numbers shown below are as of 3:30 pm Friday, June 8th.

Out of **328,495** registered voters in Congressional District 8, **190,334** vote-by mail ballots have been mailed out to voters in Pima County thus far, a participation rate of more than **58%** of the eligible voters. **126,409** voters have returned their vote-by-mail ballots so far. Therefore, there are still **63,498** vote-by-mail ballots outstanding. This brings the total percentage returned of those vote-by-mail ballots that were mailed to voters to **66%**. The breakdown by party is shown below as to those ballots that have been signature verified and will be processed to be counted.

Democratic	66,947 ballots mailed	47,065 ballots verified	70%
Republican	72,745 ballots mailed	50,980 ballots verified	70%
Green	352 ballots mailed	213 ballots verified	60%
Libertarian	1,013 ballots mailed	494 ballots verified	49%
Independents/ Other	49,271 ballots mailed	28,766 ballots verified	58%

This means that the overall turn out as of today for those registered voters who are eligible to vote in the CD 8 Election is now **38%** have already cast their ballot. Each day we continue processing the signature verification of ballots that we receive. As of the end of the day today, we have finished processing **127,528** ballots, including walk in early voters.

The deadline for any voter to return an early ballot is 7:00 p.m. on Election Day, June 12, 2012. Friday June 8<sup>th</sup> was the last day we suggested to place your vote-by-mail ballot in the United States Postal System. If a voter is still in possession of their early ballot, we recommend that they not return it through the mail system since mail processing procedures may result in it arriving too late to be counted. However, there are many ways the voter can still return their early ballot.

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If a voter wants to deliver their voted ballot directly to the Recorder's Office, they should take it to any of the Recorder's Office locations.

**Downtown**

115 N Church

open 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday and 6:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Tuesday

**Ballot Processing**

6550 S. County Club

open 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday and 6:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday

**Eastside**

6920 E Broadway, Suite D

open 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday and Tuesday.

In addition, voters who still have their voted early ballot on Election Day may drop off their ballot at any Pima County polling location on Election Day. Voters may contact the Pima County Recorder's Office Voter Registration Division at 724-4330 for more information or for the locations of the polling places.