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PRESS RELEASE

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TODAY IS THE FIRST DAY OF EARLY VOTING

Early voting for the November 4, 2014 General Election has started and Ms. Rodriguez, the Pima County Recorder, wants to encourage everyone to use the voting resources available to them.

"The number of vote-by-mail ballots, to be mailed in the first wave is over **293,000**. These ballots will be mailed out beginning on Thursday, October 9th," Ms. Rodriguez commented, "Because of the volume of vote-by-mail ballots being delivered statewide, voters need to be patient. Over 1.5 million vote-by-mail ballots are being mailed out through the United States Postal System for Arizona Voters all on one day. Voters need to allow for additional days to receive their ballot in the mail."

Voting early is easy and convenient with two different methods for early voting:

BY MAIL:

- Voters who are on the Permanent Early Voting List will automatically receive a ballot in the mail, and <u>do not need to request one</u>. Watch for the GREEN envelope in your mailbox.
- When voters receive their ballots, the ballot can be voted thoughtfully and leisurely in the comfort and privacy of your home.
 - Vote your ballot
 - Place your voted ballot into the white ballot affidavit envelope
 - Be sure to sign your name where indicated on the white ballot affidavit envelope

- Place the white ballot affidavit envelope containing your voted ballot into the yellow postage paid return envelope
- Drop in the mail to go back to the Pima County Recorder's Office.
- Voters not on the Permanent Early Voting List (PEVL) can just call the Recorder's office at 724-4330 to order a ballot to be sent to you.
- You can order a vote-by-mail ballot until Friday, October 24, 2014.

IN PERSON:

Any registered Pima County voter is invited to visit any one of the satellite early voting sites throughout Pima County to cast their ballot early. A list of early voting sites and hours is available on the Pima County Recorder's website at <u>www.recorder.pima.gov</u>, click on Early Voting/Replacement Ballot Sites. All of the Recorder's Office sites open on Thursday, October 9, 2014.

Sites will open on Monday, October 13 on the Northwest side, Midtown, Downtown, Sahuarita, the University of Arizona main campus, the Eastside and the Southside.

Additional sites will open in Ajo and Sells on Monday, October 27, 2014

(for media, please refer to list of early voting sites attached)

"We have early voting sites located throughout Pima County so that no matter where you live, there is a convenient walk-in early voting site somewhere," said Ms. Rodriguez.

For more information, voters may log onto the Recorder's office web site at <u>www.recorder.pima.gov</u>, or call the Pima County Recorder's office at 724-4330. Out-of-town residents may call 1-800-775-7462 and ask for extension 44330.





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EARLY VOTING SITES 2014 GENERAL ELECTION

DOWNTOWN

Recorder's Main Office 115 North Church Avenue Located downtown in the historic Old Pink Courthouse with the green tiled dome

SOUTH SIDE

Pima County Recorder's Office Annex 6550 S. Country Club Rd. Located 1 block south of Valencia on the west side of street, northeast corner of the building

EAST SIDE

Recorder's East Side Annex Suite D 6920 East Broadway Boulevard Located at the southwest corner of Broadway and Kolb, west of the Gaslight Theater

DATES/TIMES OPEN

SITE OPEN: Thursday 10/9/14 – Friday 10/31/14 Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

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NORTH SIDE

ST. Odilia's Church 7570 N. Paseo Del Norte – Classroom #7 Off of Ina – West of Oracle Rd. – North on Paseo del Norte, past Tohono Chul Park SITE OPEN: Monday 10/13 –Friday 10/31/14 Monday – Friday 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.



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MID-TOWN

Sacred Heart Church 601 East Ft. Lowell Road Located 1 block West of 1st Avenue Modular Unit in Parking Area

University of Arizona 1209 E. University Building 19, Room 325 W 3rd Floor Student Union

SAHUARITA/GREEN VALLEY AREA

Sahuarita Town Hall 375 West Sahuarita Center Way Conference Room in Town Hall

AJO (ONLY)

Salazar Ajo Library 15 W. Plaza Street, #179 Small Meeting Room

PASCUA YAQUI TRIBE (ONLY)

KPY 100.3 FM Radio Station 7474 S. Camino de Oeste

TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION (ONLY)

TOHONO O'ODHAM LEGISLATIVE CHAMBERS SELLS

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EMERGENCY VOTING DOWNTOWN & SOUTH SIDE LOCATIONS <u>MONDAY 11/3/2014</u> 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. THESE ARE THE ONLY SITES OPEN FOR EMERGENCY VOTING