## PUBLIC NOTICE TO SENIOR CITIZENS AND DISABLED VOTERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN of the availability of registration and voting aids for the election to be held on Tuesday, February 25, 2025.

## REGISTRATION

- 1. In person voter registration is available at the DeKalb County Clerk's Office or with a registrar located at Municipal or Township Offices, or other locations throughout DeKalb County. Those who wish to be registered must provide two forms of identification one of which must list the voter's current DeKalb County address. The last day to register to vote in person or by mail is **Tuesday**, **January 28**, **2025**.
- 2. Citizens may register online by visiting https://ova.elections.il.gov/. The last day to register online is **Sunday**, **February 9**, **2025**.
- 3. Grace period registration and voting starts **Wednesday**, **January 29**, **2025** at the DeKalb County Clerk's Election Annex, DeKalb County Administration Building, Lower Level, 110 E. Sycamore St., Sycamore, IL 60178. Grace period registration allows individuals to register and vote on the same day. Those who wish to be registered must provide two forms of identification one of which must list the voter's current DeKalb County address.
- 4. Individuals may register to vote at either of the two Vote Centers available on Election Day. Those who wish to be registered must provide two forms of identification one of which must list the voter's current DeKalb County address.

## **VOTING AIDS**

- 1. All active registered voters in DeKalb County can apply for a Vote By Mail Ballot. After completing the application, a ballot will be mailed to the address provided. The Vote By Mail Ballot must be returned to the DeKalb County Clerk's Office on or before Election Day.
- 2. Voters also can apply for placement on a Permanent Vote By Mail list. If this option is selected, the voter chooses the types of elections for which they automatically will receive a Vote By Mail Ballot.
- 3. Early Voting allows registered voters to vote in person before Election Day. Early Voting is scheduled to begin at the DeKalb County Clerk's Election Annex, DeKalb County Administration Building, Lower Level, 110 E. Sycamore St., Sycamore, IL 60178., on **Thursday, January 16, 2025**.
- 4. Voters requiring assistance may be helped by a friend, relative, or by two Election Judges of opposing parties at an Early Voting location or at their Polling Place/Vote Center on Election Day. Election Judges must be notified and complete a required affidavit.
- 5. For disabled voters unable to enter polling places, Election Judges can, upon advance request, deliver a ballot within 50 feet of the polling place entrance. All polling locations are fully accessible to individuals with disabilities.
- 6. ExpressVote Ballot-Marking Writer allows voters with disabilities to mark a ballot privately and independently. These machines are available at all Early Voting sites and Election Day Polling Places.
- 7. Early Voting locations and Election Day Polling Places all have wheelchair-accessible voting booths.
- 8. A magnifying device is available at all locations to view the ballot in larger format.

For more information on voting, registration, and assistance services, please contact the DeKalb County Clerk & Recorder's Office at 815-895-7147 between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.