

PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE TO ELDERLY VOTERS (65+) AND VOTERS WITH DISABILITIES
DEKALB COUNTY, ILLINOIS
MARCH 17, 2026 GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to elderly persons (65 years of age and older) and voters with disabilities in **DeKalb County, Illinois**, that the DeKalb County Clerk & Recorder's Office will provide voter registration and voting services in compliance with applicable federal and state law, including assistance for those unable to vote independently at Vote Centers or polling locations for the Primary Election to be held **Tuesday, March 17, 2026**.

REGISTRATION

All in-person registrations require two forms of identification, one of which must list the voter's current DeKalb County address.

1. In-person voter registration is available at the DeKalb County Clerk's Office or with designated registrars at Municipal or Township Offices and other authorized locations throughout DeKalb County. The last day to register in person or by mail is **Tuesday, February 17, 2026**.
2. Online voter registration is available at <https://ova.elections.il.gov/>. The last day to register online is **Sunday, March 1, 2026**.
3. Grace period registration and voting begins **Wednesday, February 18, 2026**, at the DeKalb County Legislative Center Gathertorium, 200 N. Main St., Sycamore, Illinois. Grace period registration allows eligible voters to register and vote on the same day.
4. Election Day registration is available at Vote Centers and polling locations on Election Day.

VOTING AIDS

1. All active registered voters in DeKalb County may apply for a Vote by Mail ballot. Ballots must be returned in accordance with Illinois law and received or postmarked by Election Day.
2. Voters may request placement on the Permanent Vote by Mail list and select the types of elections for which ballots will be automatically issued.
3. Early Voting begins **Thursday, February 5, 2026**, at the DeKalb County Legislative Center Gathertorium, with additional locations available.
4. Voters requiring assistance may be assisted by a person of their choice or by two Election Judges of opposing political parties.
5. Curbside voting is available for voters unable to enter the polling place due to a physical disability.
6. ExpressVote ballot-marking devices are available at all Early Voting sites and Election Day Vote Centers and polling locations.
7. All voting locations include wheelchair-accessible voting booths.
8. Magnifying devices are available at all locations.

For additional information, contact the DeKalb County Clerk & Recorder's Office at (815) 895-7147, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Dated at Sycamore, Illinois, December 30, 2025
TASHA SIMS
DEKALB COUNTY CLERK & RECORDER