

February 2006

The upcoming March 7th Republican Primary consists of nine races and 22 candidates for county level offices. This is one of the most contested primaries in years. This is also a sign of things to come. As Collin County approaches one million people over the next decade, non-contested races will become a thing of the past. Unfortunately, many people do not vote in the primary but wait until the general election in November. However, by November virtually all of the county races are already resolved since there is usually nonexistent Democratic opposition. That is even beginning to change, as the local Democratic Party becomes more active. Nevertheless, early voting is right around the corner, so below are the dates and locations for early voting for the 2006 Primary races:

Early Voting:

- Tuesday, Feb 21 through Friday Feb 24, 8am-5pm
- Saturday, Feb 25, 7am-7pm
- Sunday Feb 26, 1pm-6pm
- Monday, Feb 27 through Friday, March 3, 7am-7pm

Early voting locations:

- Collin County Elections Office, behind the McKinney 380 Wal-Mart
- Murphy City Hall, 206 N. Murphy Rd.
- Collin County Courthouse, 210 S. McDonald, McKinney
- Allen Municipal Courts Building, 301 Century Parkway
- Carpenter Park Recreation Center, 6701 Coit Rd., Plano
- CCCCD-Preston Ridge Campus, 9700 Wade Blvd., Frisco
- CCCCD-Spring Creek Campus, 2800 E. Spring Creek Parkway, Plano
- Christ United Methodist Church, 3101 Coit Rd., Plano
- Harrington Library, 1501 18th St., Plano
- PISD Administration Center 2700 W. 15th St., Plano
- Parr Library, 6200 Windhaven Pkwy., Plano
- Renner-Frankford Library, 6400 Frankford, Dallas
- Wylie Municipal Building, 2000 N. Hwy 78

Collin County has established Mobile Early Voting in the following locations:

- Celina City Hall, Feb 21 and Feb 22, 7am-7pm
- Anna Volunteer Fire Dept., Feb 23 and Feb 24, 7am-7pm
- Farmersville City Hall, Feb 25 and Feb 26, 7am-7pm
- CCCCD-Central Park Campus, McKinney- Feb 27 through March 2, 7am-7pm