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DEMOCRACY WEDNESDAY!

The Ohio Primary Election extended through
April 28th, 2020

You must Vote-by-Mail for this Primary Election!

There is still time to request your vote-by-mail application!

A graphic featuring a background image of hands typing on a laptop. Overlaid on this are several colored circles: a large red circle in the center, a yellow circle in the top right, and a yellow circle in the bottom left. Two smaller blue circles are also present. The text is as follows:

- Top right yellow circle: 3 MORE DAYS
- Center red circle: GET VOTE-BY-MAIL APPLICATION BY APRIL 25TH!
- Bottom left yellow circle: REQUEST YOUR APPLICATION ASAP

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HOW TO REQUEST YOUR ABSENTEE APPLICATION:



Call your local Board of
Elections (216) 443-8683

or



Complete your
Vote-by-Mail form
online at voteohio.gov

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Did you Know?

Only voters in the **ADA community** and
those without a **residential address** can
vote at the Board of Elections on April
28th, 2020

Vote-by-Mail **Request Deadline:** Noon, Saturday,
April 25th, 2020

All votes already cast in-person or by mail **will**
count

Only those registered to vote by February 18th are **eligible**
to vote.

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What is on my ballot?

Judge for Court
of Appeals

Judge for Court
of Common Pleas

Justice for Ohio
Supreme Court

U.S. House
Representative-
District 11

Prosecuting
Attorney

U.S. House
Representative-
District 10

VOTE 411

Visit Vote411.org for more info about
what's on your ballot!

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Cleveland Charter Amendments on the Ballot



Issue 5 -

Ballot Counting



Counting ballots at every
election done by general laws
provided by the state of Ohio

Issue 7 - January Council Meeting



If after a municipal election
and the 1st Monday in January
fall on a legal holiday then
the 1st meeting is the next
business day

Issue 6 - Council Salary Increases



A member of council will have
the same percentage increase
in salary majority of unions
recognized by the City

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Cuyahoga Count Tax Levy

Issue No. 33

Description:

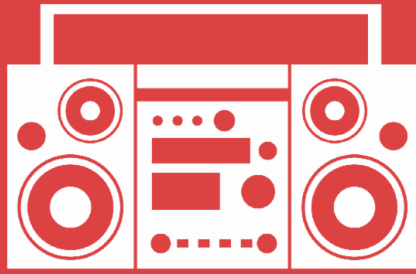
Proposes a \$0.8 million levy increase for the Department of Health and Human Services totaling in a \$4.7 million tax levy



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For more information about what is on your ballot, check out vote411.org and ohiovote.gov!

UPCOMING EVENT TODAY!
SEE YOU TONIGHT @ 8 PM



WOVU
95.9 FM BBC
COMMUNITY
RADIO

**Join us @
95.9 FM**

Join Cleveland VOTES' Devontá Dickey, Advocacy & Engagement Coordinator, on 95.9 FM to discuss the extended Primary Election

Visit DJ Kristyles' show @ wovu.org

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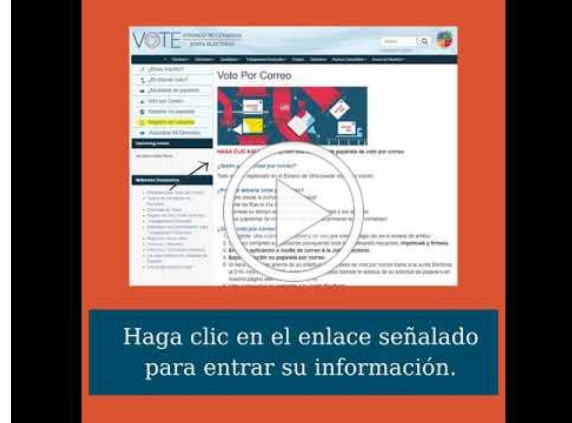
Cleveland VOTES is excited to serve as a Community Partner for the Cleveland International Film Festival's Streams' film, *Represent* directed by Hillary Bachelder.

Movie Description:

"Since the birth of our country, American women have fought for equality and representation. While women have made incredible strides, we still have a long way to go... especially when it comes to gender parity in politics. When compared with other parliamentary nations, the United States currently ranks 82nd in gender equality in our political representation. But things are starting to change. In 2016 the election of Donald Trump created an enormous backlash that inspired women throughout the country to get involved in politics and to get their names on ballots. *REPRESENT* follows three of these first-time female candidates as they run for election across the midwest: Myya Jones, a 22-year-old recent graduate running for mayor of Detroit; Julie Cho, a first generation Korean-American running for a state representative seat in Illinois; and Bryn Bird, a farmer in rural Ohio running for township trustee. While each of these women has different political platforms, their fight against the establishment is one in the same. An intimate documentary that follows Myya, Julie, and Bryn through their triumphs and failures, *REPRESENT* is a heartfelt story of democracy in action." — G.S.

[Watch Represent on CIFF Streams NOW!](#)

**LEARN HOW TO REQUEST YOUR VOTE-BY-MAIL
APPLICATION (English & Spanish)**



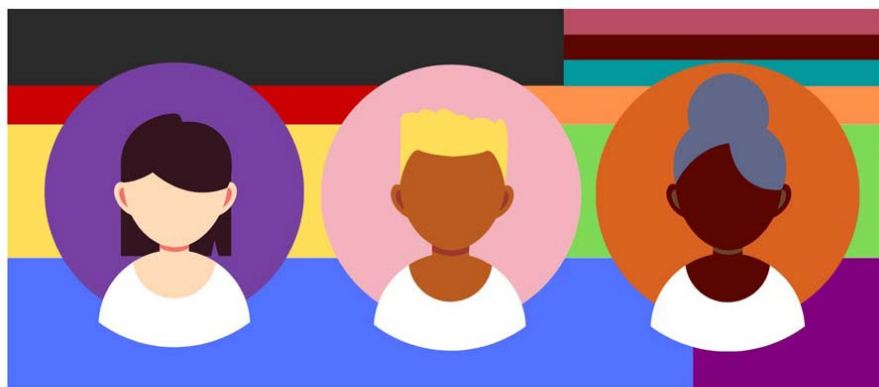
LEARN HOW TO TRACK YOUR VOTE-BY-MAIL BALLOT (ENGLISH AND SPANISH)



WE NEED YOUR HELP!



EQUALITY OHIO



VOTING

IN THE OHIO 2020 PRIMARY

What you need to know about completing your Ohio primary vote.

& If you need to vote in-person because of a disability, you can vote in-person at your local county Board of Elections on April 28 only.

There will be no in-person voting for most people.

Retrieve your ballot from in the mail. Complete it and mail it back with the required postage. It must be mailed and postmarked by April 27!
Here are some great resources to help you vote.

- [League of Women Voters](#)
- [ACLU of Ohio](#)
- [Ohio Student Association](#)
- [Vote Smart: The Voter's Self Defense System](#)
- [VOTE411](#)
- [Equality Ohio Elected Official Scorecard](#) (this was for the last election, but may come in handy still)


Want to help us get out the LGBTQ vote?


Sign up here and we can use you as soon as this week!


We have volunteer nights Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week!
All of our volunteering is now online, so you can do it right from home. Bring a friend, or make one!

Contact Gwen Stembridge, Statewide Civic Engagement Coordinator @
gwen@equalityohio.org

3 Ways to Respond to the Census

 **Call**
(844)
330-2020

 **2020census.gov**

 **Mail to US Census Bureau -**
1201 E 10th
Street
Jeffersonville,
IN 47132

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- [Supreme Court Guarantees Right To Unanimous Verdict In Serious Criminal Trials](#)
- [For some, Louisiana's vote on unanimous juries is personal](#)
- [As mail voting pushed, some fear loss of in-person option](#)
- [On Census Day, Advocates Push The Count While Keeping Their Distance](#)
- [Don't want your Ohio primary ballot request to be rejected? Here are some common mistakes to avoid.](#)
- [Democracy by Mail](#)
- ["Volunteers Spread the Word within Spanish speaking communities on how to vote-by-mail in Ohio's Primary Election"](#)
- [Coronavirus unknowns mean Ohio must begin planning now for a possible mail-in Nov 3 vote](#)
- [Voter disenfranchisement and COVID-19 are connected — here's why](#)
- [Time is running short to vote in Ohio's extended primary election](#)

HAVE QUESTIONS?

Have questions about the extended Ohio Primary Election or the 2020 Census? Contact Cleveland VOTES at info@clevotes.com

*dēmokratia: **dēmo**= 'the people' + **kratia** = 'power'*