

PROCLAMATION

PUBLIC NOTICE

2026 Preferential Primary Runoff Election, County of Carroll, State of Arkansas

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Arkansas Election Law, Arkansas Code Annotated §7-5-202, all qualified electors are notified that the 2026 Preferential Primary Runoff Election will be held on **Tuesday, March 31, 2026**. The election will submit to a vote of the electorate all candidates by name and office and all other measures and questions required by law to be submitted to the electors. The following polling places have been set by the Carroll County Board of Election Commissioners and are hereby posted in accordance with the election laws of the State of Arkansas. The polls will be open 7:30 a.m. until 7:30 p.m.

You may vote at any open Vote Center on Election Day:

FREEMAN HEIGHTS BAPTIST CHURCH:	522 W. Freeman, Berryville, AR
ST. ELIZABETH PARISH CENTER:	232 Passion Play Rd., Eureka Springs, AR
GREEN FOREST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH:	100 S. Springfield, Green Forest, AR
HOLIDAY ISLAND COUNTRY CLUB:	1 Country Club Dr., Holiday Island, AR
OAK GROVE FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH:	9546 Hwy 103 N., Oak Grove, AR
OSAGE BAPTIST CHURCH:	16475 Hwy 103 S., Alpena, AR

EARLY VOTING will begin on Tuesday, **March 24, 2026**, and will be conducted at:

BERRYVILLE FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH:	400 Eureka Ave in Berryville
ST. ELIZABETH PARISH CENTER:	232 Passion Play Rd. in Eureka Springs
THE DEPOT:	802 Broadway Ave., in Green Forest

The last day to early vote will be Monday, March 30, 2026.

Hours are as follows:	March 24, 25, 26, 27, 2026	8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
	Monday, March 30:	8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Absentee voting will be conducted through the Carroll County Clerk's Office, 210 W. Church Ave., Berryville, AR 72616. The telephone number is 870-423-2022.

The deadline for the County Clerk to receive absentee ballot applications by mail, fax, or e-mail for Preferential Primary Runoff is March 24, 2026.

The deadline for County Clerk to receive absentee ballot applications in person from the voter, designated bearer, or administrator is March 27, 2026, no later than 4:30 p.m.

Absentee ballots will be canvassed and processed March 31, 2026, at 2:00 pm, at the Carroll County Courthouse, 210 W. Church Ave., Berryville, AR 72616.

Early voting and absentee votes will be counted at 7:30 p.m. on March 31, 2026, at the Carroll County Courthouse, 210 W. Church Ave., Berryville, AR 72616.

In accordance with the requirements of Ark. Code Ann. § 7-5-202(b)(2)(A), a notice of election officials will be posted as of March 16, 2026, and remain posted until April 10, 2026, at the County Clerk's Office in the Eastern and Western District Courthouses. Ark. Code Ann. § 7-5-202 *(a)(2)(B) Another person makes an objection to his or her service to the County Board of Election Commissioners within seven (7) calendar days after posting the list of officials. Grievances can be filed by submitting a written objection to the County Clerk's Office. An objection that an official is a spouse of a county commissioner, a county party chair, or a spouse of a county party chair must be within 7 days of March 16, 2026. An objection that an official is married to a candidate or related to a candidate within two degrees of blood relations must be filed within 10 days of March 16, 2026.

THE DEADLINE TO APPLY TO REGISTER TO VOTE IN THE PREFERENTIAL PRIMARY RUNOFF ELECTION IS MARCH 2, 2026.

Deadline for county to county transfer of registered voters allowed to vote in election March 31, 2026.

PUBLIC LOGIC AND ACCURACY TESTING of the voting equipment for Early Voting and Election Day, Deadline March 18, 2026 at 10:00 a.m.

The Carroll County Board of Election Commissioners will meet on April 6, 2026, at 11:00 a.m. at the Carroll County Courthouse, 210 W. Church Ave., Berryville, AR 72616 for Provisional Ballot Hearing. Pending outstanding Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act (UOCAVA); Certification of Election will follow Provisional Ballot.

The Carroll County Board of Election Commissioners will meet if any outstanding (UOCAVA) ballots are received April 10, 2026, at 5:00 p.m. at the Carroll County Courthouse, 210 W. Church Ave., to certify the election.

The following candidates and the offices to which they aspire are as listed in ballot order:

SECRETARY OF STATE: Senator Kim Hammer (R), Bryan Norris (R)

STATE HOUSE RACE DISTRICT 06: Justice Hunter Rivett (R), Cody Rogers (R)

CARROLL COUNTY ELECTION COMMISSION

Any voter may look up his or her sample ballot on the Secretary of State's website at:

<https://voterview.ar-nova.org/voterview>. Ballots will be available no later than 20 days prior to the election. Sample ballots will also be available at the polling site.

Given this 6th of March, 2026.

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