

# PUBLIC NOTICE

## OFFICE HOURS AND LOCATION

**PURSUANT TO CODE SECTION 2-2-114(a)** of the Tennessee Election Laws, the Grainger County Election Commission office is located at 7701 Rutledge Pike in Rutledge, Tennessee. Office hours are Monday – Friday 8:30 a.m. till 4:30 p.m.

THE ELECTION COMMISSION OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON FRIDAY, APRIL 3, 2026.

REGISTRATION DEADLINE TO REGISTER TO VOTE IS MONDAY, APRIL 6, 2026. All voters who have moved their residence or had a name change are required to change their registration record. If you registered to vote at the Department of Motor Vehicle or at another agency or if you registered by mail or on-line, but have not received a voter registration card, please contact our office at 865-828-5132.

## ELDERLY VOTERS and VOTERS WITH DISABILITY

**PURSUANT TO CODE SECTION 2-3-109(e)** of the Tennessee Election Laws, notice is hereby given that if any elderly voter or a voter with a disability whose polling place is inaccessible may vote early by absentee ballot OR at the Election Commission Office on Election Day. If the voter chooses to vote at the Election Commission Office on Election Day, they **MUST** complete a sworn statement at the Election Commission Office no later than April 25, 2026, stating that their designated voting location does not comply with the provisions of Public Law 98-435 of the 98<sup>th</sup> Congress.

As an alternative to voting at the Election Commission Office on Election Day, the voter may vote by absentee ballot or during the Early Voting period. (\*Note – if the voter registered by mail, they **MUST** vote in person in the first election they vote in after registering.) To vote absentee ballot by mail, the voter **MUST** make the request in writing.

THE LAST DAY TO REQUEST AN ABSENTEE BY-MAIL BALLOT IS SATURDAY, APRIL 25, 2026.

Mailing address: P.O. Box 28, Rutledge, TN 37861, Phone number: (865) 828-5132.

Web: [www.graingervotes.com](http://www.graingervotes.com) E-mail: [grainger.commission@tn.gov](mailto:grainger.commission@tn.gov)

**Visit [GoVoteTN.gov](http://GoVoteTN.gov) for more information about the voting process.**

## GRAINGER COUNTY ELECTION COMMISSION

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