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7 Questions for New Volunteer Deputy Registrars to Ask Their County Registrar May 2022

Texas Election Code 13.001 - Eligibility for Registration

This code covers eligibility for registration at the County level. Please review.

Texas Election Code 13.002 - Application for Registration

This code covers the application process. Please Review.

1.) Law Enforcement Officers

Ask about the process for registering a Law Enforcement Officer while protecting their residential addresses from public disclosure. These public servants should have the option to protect their residential addresses, however there should be a consistent procedure for this so that arbitrarily assigned registration addresses do not arouse suspicion from Election Integrity activists.

2.) Provisional Voting

Ask about who processes provisional ballots for voters who are either unlawfully or inaccurately registered, or voters who do not have an ID. The county registrar must not be the authority responsible for approval of potentially unlawfully registered voters, effectively authorizing potentially unlawful ballots cast due to their own lack of initiative to clean up the county's database.

3.) Limited Voting

Ask about how Limited Voting works. This process allows for voters who's new registrations haven't met the required 30 day timeframe to be eligible to fully participate in an upcoming local election cycle involving their new districts, but who are considered eligible to vote for statewide positions which appear on every ballot in the State.

4.) Registration Updates Within the County

Ask about how updated registrations from a move **within the county** are updated, and how the SoS is alerted of the update in the county's database in order to reconcile the changes in the county for the Statewide Database.

5.) Registration Updates from Outside of County

Ask how updated registrations from a move from **outside** of the counties are updated at the State Level, including removal, and how the previous county is alerted and whether or not the previous counties are required to remove the voter's previous entry from their database, and how our county will verify the removal of the previous entry.

6.) Voter Registration for New Texas Residents

Ask how the county will verify that newly registered **voters moving from another state** will be vetted for accurate registration, including reconciling previous entries in their previous states and counties. Ask how our county will confirm that the previous entry in another state is removed from their database.

7.) Addresses Listed with USPS

Ask if the county uses the USPS database to cross-reference new and suspicious registrations for viability and adherence to State Law, or to locate a lawful in-county, residential address.