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LEAGUE ENCOURAGES VOTERS: BE READY FOR ELECTION DAY

Tallahassee, FL--Anticipating a record turnout Tuesday, the League of Women Voters of Florida has some hints for a positive experience on Election Day.

First, verify your polling location. Your precinct site may have changed, so check with your local Supervisor of Elections office in advance to be sure you head to the right location. **You must vote at your correct precinct, or your vote will not count.** The only exception to this is to use an in-person absentee ballot at your Supervisor of Elections office. Contact information, along with a wealth of other election information, is available at the League's [BeReadytoVote](http://BeReadytoVote.org) website.

Second, be sure to have a photo ID with you. This does not need to have your current address.

Third, to save time in the voting booth, study your ballot and make your decisions in advance. You can find a ballot customized to your county at BeReadytoVote.org.

Fourth, check your local weather forecast. With rain and chilly temperatures predicted in parts of Florida tomorrow, you may need an umbrella and sweater.

The League of Women Voters of Florida is dedicated to protecting citizens' right to vote. "We were gravely disappointed in Governor Scott's refusal to extend early-voting days. This has clearly caused inconvenience for citizens who wanted to exercise their constitutional right to vote at times convenient and accessible to them," said League President Deirdre Macnab.

"The result is an electorate that is more determined than ever to make their voices heard," Macnab continued, "and we are expecting a record turnout on Election Day."

The League reminds voters that they can vote today in some counties. Voters in Miami-Dade, Orange, Palm Beach, Pinellas, Leon, Pasco, Hernando and Hillsborough counties can take advantage of in-person absentee voting by going directly to their

Supervisor of Elections office and receiving an absentee ballot that they can submit on the spot. Other counties may also offer this opportunity. Check your local elections office for information.

Supervisor of Elections offices may also be open for over-the-counter absentee balloting on Election Day. Interested voters should call their local office to confirm this option.

The League's voter hotline, 855-FL-VOTER (855-358-6837), will remain open through Election Day to answer voters' questions about the election process and the ballot.

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The League of Women Voters of Florida, a nonpartisan political organization, encourages informed and active participation in government, works to increase understanding of major public policy issues, and influences public policy through education and advocacy. For more information, please visit the League's website at: www.TheFloridaVoter.org.