



CleanCountCookCounty.org encourages you to “Occupy Your Elections”!

1) Check Your Voter Registration - The March 20th primary is coming, please go online to check your voter registration - use your IL driver's license or state ID card to correct it or register anew today through **Sun, March 4** - go to the **Illinois Online Voter Registration, ova.elections.il.gov**

Eligible voters must be: a U.S. citizen, and be born on or before November 6, 2000, and live in your precinct at least 30 days before the election, and not claim the right to vote elsewhere; and not be in prison/jail serving time for a conviction. (Note: Ex-convicts who have completed their sentences and who meet all other requirements listed above are eligible to register and vote in Illinois). If you miss the registration deadline you can register to vote and vote on Election Day at your local precinct with 2 forms of ID - find out more:

- Chicago voters: **chicagoelections.com/en/when-you-need-id-to-vote.html**,

- Sub. Cook County voters: **cookcountyclerk.com/service/when-voters-do-and-dont-need-identification-id**.

2) Vote on Paper – It's Safer! - To all voters, please choose to vote on a real, re-countable, sturdy paper ballot. Many races are so close that recounts are necessary. If you vote on the electronic machines with the paper rolls on the side, it does not produce a real paper ballot that is easily recounted.

To vote on a paper ballot, please vote on Election Day in your local precinct or request a Vote By Mail ballot. The deadline for applying for a Vote By Mail ballot is **Thurs, March 15 at 5 pm**.

Chicago voters: **www.Chicagoelections.com** - Sub. Cook County voters: **www.CookCountyClerk.com**.

3) Become a Citizen Election Auditor - The post-election audit of our vote counts is crucial to determine the accuracy of our elections. Please volunteer to spend 1 day monitoring the audits either in Chicago or Sub. Cook County. This will involve hand counting some of our votes so it is a very important check on the system. Go to **www.CleanCountCookCounty.org** to sign up to get an email with a training video and a list of dates that you can choose from to volunteer. It's easy, and an important civic duty.

4) Like us and follow our events, fundraisers and activities at: www.facebook.com/CleanCountCookCounty