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“Voter Packet”

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Olathe employees and residents enjoy the benefits of a strong business climate, an outstanding school district, and a vibrant quality of life because it is a well-governed city.

Let's do it again!

NEXT ELECTION DATE:

Tues., April 3, 2007

RACES ON THE OLATHE BALLOT:

*Olathe Mayor
Olathe City Council
Olathe School Board
JCCC Board of Trustees*

Your employer is partnering with the Olathe Chamber of Commerce and wants you to become an informed and active voter.

GET INFORMED

- Go to www.jocoelection.org for sample ballot and to research election and candidate information
- Visit www.olathe.org to view Olathe candidate profiles and videotaped candidate forums

MAKE VOTING CONVENIENT

- Wed. March 14 – Advance Voting by Mail begins. Obtain an Application for Advance Voting by Mail from your employer or www.olathe.org.
- Fr., March 23 – Deadline to return your completed Application for Advance Voting to your company representative. A ballot will be mailed to your home by the Election Office within a few days.
- Tues., April 3 – Vote at the polls, if you have not already cast your advance ballot by April 2.
Voter registration & updates must be completed by March 19th.

Instructions for Application for Advance Voting BY MAIL

1. At least thirty days prior to all elections, always check to make sure you are correctly registered to vote in Kansas. You can do this by going to [http://voter.jocoelection.org/\(41rdzjazunrvx2n2orfesoqt\)/search.aspx](http://voter.jocoelection.org/(41rdzjazunrvx2n2orfesoqt)/search.aspx) to change or verify your personal voter registration.
2. If changes need to be made (if you have a new name, a new address or wish to change your party affiliation), go to <http://www.kssos.org/forms/elections/voterregistration.pdf> and download the Voter Registration form, complete the form and mail it (2101 East Kansas City Road; Olathe, KS 66061) or hand-carry it into the Johnson County Election office. This form must have an original signature so do not fax it or email it. Remember the last day to register or re-register to vote for the April 3 spring general election is Monday, March 19.
3. Once you have confirmed you are correctly registered, go to <http://www.jocoelection.org/pdf/advanceapplication.pdf> and download your copy of the "Application for Advance Voting by Mail", complete the top 2/3 of the form (unless you are applying for permanent advance voting status due to a disability), sign and date it, and this form can be faxed to the Election Office, (913) 791-8931 or (913) 791-8932.
4. A ballot will be then be mailed to your home after March 14. You must complete the ballot, enclose it in the provided return envelope (your signature and address is required on the back of the envelope), affix proper postage and make sure you have it back in the mail no later than March 29 to ensure that your ballot will arrive in time at the Election Office.

Other Voting Options Available to YOU!

There are other options for voting in the April 3 general election. You may vote in person early beginning March 22 through April 2 at 12 noon; Monday through Friday, 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 pm., and on Saturdays, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the following locations:

- Johnson County Election Office, 2101 E. Kansas City Road, Olathe.
- Northeast Johnson County Offices, 6000 Lamar, Mission.
- Johnson County Multi-Service Center, 12425 W. 87th Parkway, Lenexa.
- Metcalf South Shopping Center (Northwest Mall entrance) 9531 Metcalf, Overland Park.

If you have not voted early or by mail, on Spring General Election Day, April 3, you must vote at your assigned voting place. Poll hours on Tuesday, April 3 are 7:00 a.m. through 7:00 p.m. To look-up your current polling place, check on your voter registration card or go to <http://www.jocoelection.org/PollingPlaces-current.htm>. Polling places are subject to change with every election so it is always a good idea to check online first before you go vote. If you are not sure what ward and precinct you live in, check first on your voter registration card or you can call the Johnson County Election Office at 913 782-3441 during regular business hours, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. A map to the Johnson County Election Office can be found at <http://www.jocoelection.org/map-EO.htm>.

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Provided courtesy Olathe Chamber of Commerce. *Please vote!*

Application for Advance Voting Ballot

FAX (913) 791-8931 or (913) 791-8932

Mailing Address: Johnson County Election Office, 2101 E Kansas City Road, Olathe, KS 66061

Election Date: April 3, 2007

Affirmation of an Elector of the County of Johnson and State of Kansas Desiring to Vote an Advance Voting Ballot State of Kansas, County of Johnson, ss:

I do solemnly affirm that I am a qualified elector residing at the address below in the County of Johnson, and State of Kansas. I am entitled to vote an advance voting ballot and I have not voted and will not otherwise vote at the election.

NOTE: IDENTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR FIRST-TIME VOTERS. I understand that if I am a first-time voter in this county I must provide with this application a copy of a current and valid photo identification, such as a Kansas driver's license, or a copy of a current utility bill, bank statement, paycheck, government check, or other government document that shows my name and address. If I do not provide a copy I understand that I must provide my Kansas driver's license number _____ or last 4 digits of my Social Security number _____.

NOTE: A SEPARATE APPLICATION IS REQUIRED FOR EACH ELECTION

1. Print Name _____
Last First Middle Initial

2. _____
Johnson County Street Address City State Zip Code

3. My Political Party is _____ 4. Date of Birth _____
(For Primary Elections Only)

5. _____ **X** _____
Daytime Telephone Signature of Voter Date

6. I desire my ballot to be sent to the following temporary residential address (if different from above):

Street Address City, State, Zip Code

Note: The ballot may be mailed only to the voter's residential or mailing address as indicated on the county voter registration list, to the voter's temporary residential address, or to a medical care facility where the voter resides. These restrictions do not apply to a voter who has an illness, disability or who lacks proficiency in the English language.

7. If applying for Permanent Advance Voting Status, complete the following section:

The nature of my permanent illness or disability is: _____.

Note: Applicants for permanent advance voter status must have a permanent physical disability or have been diagnosed as having a permanent illness.

Note: False statement on this affirmation is a severity level 9, nonperson felony.

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