



**BOARD OF ELECTIONS**

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**CANDIDATES CERTIFIED FOR MARCH PRIMARY**

**(Columbus)** The Franklin County Board of Elections certified candidates for the March 4, 2008 Primary Election this afternoon.

Voters will consider nominees for federal, state and local offices, as well as a countywide levy for mental retardation services, local tax questions, and liquor options. A complete listing will be posted later tonight at <http://vote.franklincountyohio.gov> on the Web.

The Board voted to print 50,000 paper provisional ballots for the March Primary. It also approved printing an additional 30,000 ballots to comply with a secretary of state directive to give voters the option of casting votes on paper rather than on electronic voting machines beginning with the Primary Election.

Some 780,000 Franklin County residents are registered to vote. First time registrants and those needing to update their home address or file a change of name, have until Feb. 4 to register for the primary.

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