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Absentee Voting Begins June 28 for Special Election

(Columbus) Absentee voting begins tomorrow, June 28, for the Aug. 2, 2011 special election in Franklin County.

Two issues will be on local ballots- a 5.5 mill operating levy for the Village of Valleyview and a 5.0 mill levy in the Pickerington School District.

Voters have until July 30 at noon to request an absentee ballot by mail and until Aug. 1 to ask for one at the board of elections. Applications are also available on the board's Web site <http://vote.franklincountyohio.gov> and by phone at 525-3100.

Board offices will be open for early voting weekdays through Aug. 1 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and on Saturday, July 30, from 8 a.m. to noon. The deadline to register for the special election is July 5.

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