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Board of Elections Open Columbus Day
Additional Hours Available to Register

(Columbus) The Franklin County Board of Elections will remain open to prepare for the general election on Columbus Day, Monday Oct. 10-a recognized holiday for county employees.

The board will be open from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. for in-person absentee voting and for other business including voter registration. The deadline to register for the general election is the following day, Tuesday Oct. 11. The office will remain open until 9 p.m. that night for voting and registration. Voters are permitted to register and vote on the same day until the deadline.

Voters are reminded that they must request an absentee ballot to receive one by mail. Applications are available on the board's Web site <http://vote.franklincountyohio.gov> by phone at (614) 525-3470 and at public libraries throughout Franklin County.

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