




**CITY OF TUCSON
2011 PRIMARY AND GENERAL ELECTIONS
CAMPAIGN FINANCE ADMINISTRATION**

INFORMATION UPDATE 2011-06

TO: Candidates, Political Parties and Political Committees
FROM: 
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DATE: July 22, 2011

From time to time, this office distributes information regarding campaign finance and other election related issues that may be of interest to you. We encourage you to contact the City Clerk's Office with any questions you have regarding these issues.

POLITICAL SIGN REGULATIONS

On April 28, 2011 Governor Brewer signed into law House Bill 2500, Amending Section 16-1019, ARS: Relating to Political Signs. The provisions in this legislation are more lenient than current City Code. It allows political signs to be placed in any area, regardless of violations of state law, or county, city or town ordinance or regulation. This legislation went into effect on July 20, 2011.

The City of Tucson began restricting all signs in the public right of way in 1952 and specific regulations for political signs were added over the years. Although the new state law supersedes the City of Tucson's code provisions relating to political signs, it is respectfully requested that candidates consider voluntarily complying with the City's longstanding regulations. A copy of those regulations can be found on the City Clerk's website here: [City of Tucson Political Sign Brochure](#)

OFFICIAL WRITE-IN CANDIDATE LISTING

The late day to file as a write-in candidate for the August 30th Primary Election was July 21, 2011. A list of the official 2011 Primary Election Write-in Candidate is attached.

VOTER REGISTRATION CUTOFF FOR THE 2011 PRIMARY ELCTION

The last day to register to vote for the Primary Election is August 1, 2011.

MAILING OF BALLOTS FOR 2011 PRIMARY ELECTION

Vote-by-Mail packets will be mailed to all active registered voters in the City of Tucson beginning August 10, 2011.

Should you have any questions regarding the information contained in this update, please contact me or Suzanne Mesich, Assistant City Clerk, at 791-4213 or E-mail cityclerk@tucsonaz.gov.

Attachment: 2011 Primary Election Write-in Candidates