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February 9, 2024 -March 5th is the Presidential Primary Election for both the Democratic and Republican parties. Ballots will be mailed to active, eligible voters the week of Feb 12.

Colorado does not have a voter registration deadline, but there <u>is</u> a party affiliation deadline for the Presidential Primary if a voter is already registered with a party. To vote in the Presidential Primary, a voter must register as a Democrat, Republican, or Unaffiliated. **Affiliation Deadline: Feb. 12 is the deadline to change party affiliation** to vote in the Presidential Primary. Voters can change their party affiliation by updating their voter registration at <u>www.GoVoteColorado.gov</u> and clicking on "Find my registration" and then "Edit" to change party affiliation.

Major Party Affiliated Voters: Voters registered by Feb 12 as Democrats will receive only the Democratic Party ballot. Voters registered by Feb 12 as Republicans will receive only the Republican Party ballot.

Unaffiliated Voters: Unaffiliated voters will be mailed both major party ballots (Democratic and Republican) but can only vote and return <u>one</u> ballot. If both ballots are voted and returned, <u>neither</u> ballot will count.

Minor Party Affiliated Voters: Voters registered by Feb 12 with a minor party will not be mailed a ballot, as minor parties are not participating in the Presidential Primary Election.

The last day to register to vote or update your registration to receive a replacement ballot by mail is Feb 26. Voters who change their registration after Feb 26 must visit a vote center to obtain a ballot. Services available at a Voter Center include: voter registration (up to and including Election Day, March 5), ballot drop off box, accessible voting, in-person voting and replacement ballots.

The County Clerk's office must receive ballots by 7 p.m. on Election Day. Postmarks do not count.

For more information on Colorado's Presidential Primary, please feel free to call Heidi Rogers in the Elections Office at 970.824.9120