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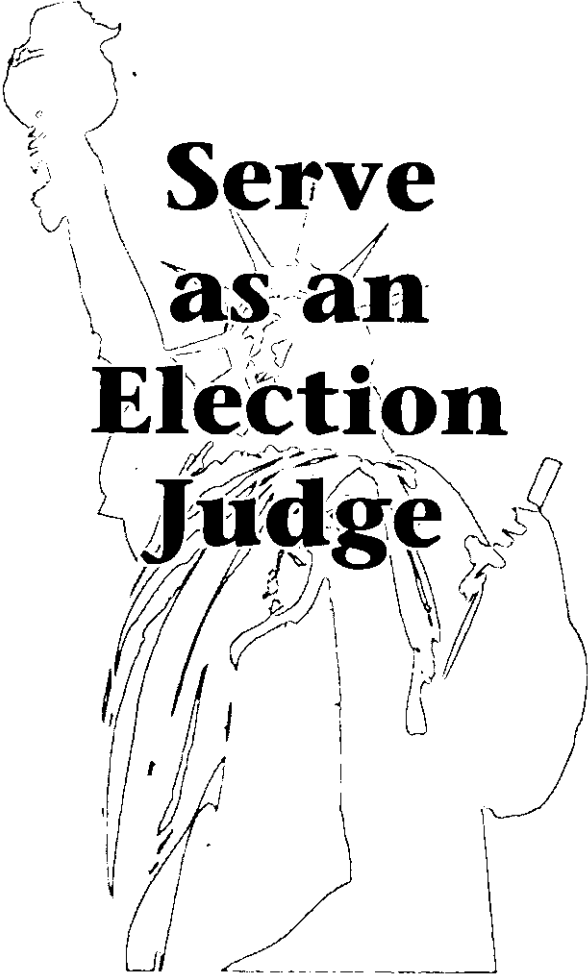
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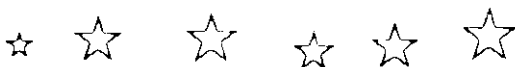
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**Montgomery County
BOARD OF ELECTIONS**

**NEEDS
YOUR HELP**

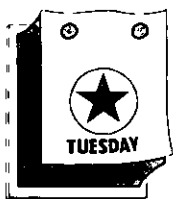


**Serve
as an
Election
Judge**



What is an Election Judge?

Election Judges work in a polling place on election days to ensure the elections are honest and well run in an organized manner. The County Board of Elections needs about 3000 officials to staff the over 200 polling places for the year 2002 Primary and General Elections.



Who can be an Election Judge?

You are eligible if you:

- ★ Are registered to vote in Montgomery County
- ★ Do not hold or are not a candidate for any public or political party office
- ★ Enjoy meeting people and serving the public
- ★ Are detail oriented and can speak, read and write the English Language
- ★ Can provide your own transportation to the polls.

When are Election Days, and what are the hours worked?

For the year 2002:

PRIMARY ELECTION DAY

Tuesday, September 10

GENERAL ELECTION DAY

Tuesday, November 5

Election Judges arrive at the polling place by 6:00 AM on election days to set up and must remain until the polling place is cleaned up, about 9:00 PM. Polls are open for voting from 7:00 AM - 8:00 PM.



Who works as an Election Judge?

Just about everyone! Senior citizens and new citizens; registered voters who work full-time, part-time; self-employed, retired and not employed.

What does an Election Judge do?

Most Elections Judges work at polling places; duties include:

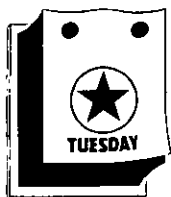
- ★ Arriving at the polling place by 6:00 am
- ★ Setting up voting booths, tables, and signs to prepare the polling place for voting
- ★ Serving voters by checking their names on lists and processing ballots
- ★ Instructing voters on the use of voting machines
- ★ Maintains the security of voting materials and closing the polling place.

A smaller number of officials work as Stand-by Judges.

Is training provided?

Yes, training will be arranged and attendance is required by law.

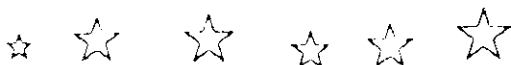
Will I work at my own polling place?



Where possible, an Election Judge is assigned to work at their own polling place, but if no vacancies are available, you may be asked to work at a nearby precinct.

Is an Election Judge paid?

Yes, a stipend is paid for each election served.



YES, I want to serve Montgomery County as an Election Judge!

(Please complete the following form and return it to the Montgomery County Board of Elections.)

Please Print.

Name

Address

City, State, Zip

Home Phone Number

Work Phone Number

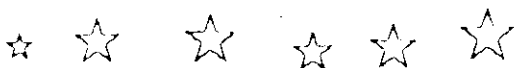
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My party affiliation is:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Republican | <input type="checkbox"/> Constitution |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Libertarian | <input type="checkbox"/> Reform |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Decline to join party | |

A more detailed questionnaire will be mailed to you. Thank you for your response.





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**Looking for a
rewarding way
to get involved
in the
election process
on which our
nation is built?**

The Montgomery County Board of Elections offers the opportunity to serve as an Election Judge, by working at the polls on Election Day. See inside for information about one of the most satisfying roles citizens can play performing a vital service to the community, the state and the nation.



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