NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION DUPLIN COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA

The statewide general election will be held on Tuesday, November 5, 2024.

Polls will be open from 6:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. on Election Day.

Voters will be asked to show photo ID when they vote. All voters will be allowed to vote with or without ID. Voters who lack ID can get one for free from their county board of elections. Find out more at ncsbe.gov/voter-id.

Early voting will be held at the following locations from Thursday, October 17, 2024, to Saturday, November 2, 2024:

- Ed Emory Auditorium, 165 Agriculture Dr., Kenansville, NC 28349
- American Legion, 529 E. Southerland St., Wallace, NC 28466

8:00 AM-7:30 PM
8:00 AM-7:30 PM
1:00 PM-5:00 PM
8:00 AM-7:30 PM
8:00 AM-3:00 PM

Absentee ballots for requesting uniformed and overseas citizens (UOCAVA or MIL/OVR voters) will begin to be distributed on Friday, September 20, 2024. Absentee ballots for all other eligible voters who have requested them will be mailed beginning September 24, 2024. A voter can fill out an absentee ballot request at **votebymail.ncsbe.gov**, or by filling out a request form provided by the board of elections. The request must be received through the website or by the Duplin County Board of Elections by 5 p.m. October 29, 2024.

In the general election, voters will select candidates for U.S. President, U.S. House of Representatives, N.C. Governor, N.C. General Assembly, state and local judges, district attorney, and county offices.

REFERENDA that will appear on all ballots in Duplin County:

• There is a proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT. Voters will be able to vote for or against the proposed amendment. The proposed amendment states: "Constitutional amendment to provide that only a citizen of the United States who is 18 years of age and

- otherwise possessing the qualifications for voting shall be entitled to vote at any election in this State."
- There is a proposed DUPLIN COUNTY MALT BEVERAGE REFERENDUM. Voters will be able to vote for or against the proposed referendum. The proposed referendum states: "To permit the "on-premises" and "off-premises" sale of malt beverages."
- There is a proposed DUPLIN COUNTY UNFORTIFIED WINE REFERENDUM. Voters will be able to vote for or against the proposed referendum. The proposed referendum states: "To permit the "on-premises" and "off-premises" sale of unfortified wine."

The voter registration deadline for this election is 5 p.m. Friday, October 11, 2024. Eligible individuals who are not registered by that deadline may register and vote at any early voting site during the early voting period. New registrants will be required to provide documentation of their residence.

Absentee meetings will be held at the Duplin County BOE Office located at 160 Mallard St., Kenansville, NC 28349. Absentee meetings will be held at 5:00 PM on October 1, October 8, October 15, October 22, October 29, November 4, and November 5. Other business may be transacted by the Board at these meetings.

Questions? Call the Duplin County Board of Elections Office at (910) 296-2170 or send an email to dcboe@duplincountync.com

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