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## **ELECTION DAY REMINDERS**

Secretary of State Tom Schedler reminds everyone that **SATURDAY, MARCH 25** is Election Day across the state. Eligible voters will be casting ballots for a variety of local candidate and proposition elections in 37 parishes, and there are also three open state representative seats in Districts 8, 42 and 92 which could be of regional interest. Since this is a Saturday election, the polls open at **7 A.M.**

In preparation for Saturday's Election Day activities, Secretary Schedler is encouraging voters to remember:

- Polls open at 7 a.m. and close at 8 p.m. Anyone in line at 8 p.m. will be allowed to vote.
- Voters can find their precinct and sample ballot by downloading the GeauxVote Mobile app for smartphones or by visiting [www.sos.la.gov](http://www.sos.la.gov).
- Voters can also sign up for text alerts via GeauxVote Mobile.
- Voters should bring an I.D. with them to vote (Louisiana Driver's License, Louisiana Special I.D. card or another generally recognized picture identification card with your name and signature such as a passport). Voters without an I.D. will be required to fill out an affidavit, but will be allowed to vote.
- Election results can be viewed in real-time via GeauxVote Mobile and the secretary of state's website at [www.sos.la.gov](http://www.sos.la.gov).

Parishes with elections include: Acadia, Allen, Bienville, Bossier, Caddo, Calcasieu, Caldwell, East Carroll, East Feliciana, Evangeline, Grant, Iberia, Jackson, Jefferson Davis, Jefferson, Lafayette, Lafourche, LaSalle, Livingston, Morehouse, Natchitoches, Ouachita, Orleans, Pointe Coupee, Rapides, Richland, Sabine, St. Charles, St. Helena, St. John, St. Landry, St. Martin, St. Mary, St. Tammany, Tangipahoa, Tensas and Vermilion.

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***\*NOTE: The Secretary of State's Communications Office will be staffed by Public Information Officer Brandee Patrick on Election Night. Media with questions should contact her at [brandee.patrick@sos.la.gov](mailto:brandee.patrick@sos.la.gov) or 225.362.5111.***