

Knox County 2024 Elections

In **Primary** elections, party voters (Republicans and Democrats) choose their candidates for the next General election. In **General** elections, all voters choose their representatives from the primary winners and independent candidates. Primary elections are often **more** important than general elections, because that's where new candidates with fresh ideas need support to make it through to the general election.

Spring Election

Primary election for US President & delegates, county commission, school board, law director, and property assessor.

Voter registration ends Feb 5

Early voting from Feb 14 - 27

Election Day
Tuesday, March 5

Summer Election

Federal & state **primary**, county **general**, and town of Farragut municipal election for the Board of Aldermen.

Voter registration ends July 2

Early voting from July 12 – 27

Election Day
Thursday, August 1

Fall Election

Presidential, federal, and state **general** election. This election gets all the attention, but YOU have the biggest impact at the local level.

Voter registration ends October 7

Early voting October 16 – 31

Election Day
Tuesday, November 5

Voting Tips

Prepare to vote

- 1) Choose your voting location, date, and time. Find the options on the county elections webpage, knoxcounty.org/election, including the early voting locations and schedule, as well as the precinct locations for voting on election day. The polls will be open only at precinct locations from 8am to 8pm on election day.
- 2) **Choose your races.** Use the *Voting Location Search* tool at <u>KGIS.org</u> to identify your districts. Then review the *Sample Ballot* from the county elections website and identify the races you care about that are in your districts.
- 3) **Choose your candidates**. There are many ways to collect candidate information. We advise using multiple sources, including candidate websites, local groups, candidate forums, news stories, endorsements, and voting records.

When you vote

- 1) Bring your ID. In Tennessee, Voter ID is required, and valued, to help protect our election integrity.
- 2) **Bring your Sample Ballot** with your chosen candidates marked. Voting is quick and easy when it's with you in the voting booth.
- 3) Vote like your liberty depends on it because it does!





Summer 2024 Voter Info for Knox County

The following is provided for educational purposes only. Knox for Liberty does not donate to political candidates, parties, or PACs. Please note these are NOT endorsements. If you are unsure about a candidate, it's better to leave a vote blank than encourage someone who could vote against your values.

Due to space limitations, we skipped races with no opposition. However, you'll see several races without a candidate aligned with our faith, family, and freedom values. Please consider running in the future for these offices. Our constitutional republic depends on representatives to uphold our God-given rights and protect the vulnerable.

Federal and State Offices

US Senate – **Marsha Blackburn** is a force to be reckoned with, relentless in standing up for faith, family, and freedom. She's the one who pointedly asked Justice Ketanji Brown Jackson if she could define the word "woman." (Sadly, Justice Jackson couldn't.) Blackburn also interrogated General Mark Milley on the disastrous withdrawal from Afghanistan.

State Senate District 6 – Monica Irvine is aligned with our values. She has been endorsed by the Tennessee Firearms Association, Tennessee Right to Life, and Tennessee Conservative News. What about incumbent Becky Massey? Massey supported extending the covid "emergency" to collect more federal dollars. She supported building toll roads in our state. In the most recent legislative session, she walked away from the vote to limit flags in our children's classrooms.

Local Offices

County Commissioner District 1 – No candidates aligned with our values. Republican candidate Charles Frazier recently ran for school board as a Democrat.

County Commissioner District 2 – **Debbie Phillips** pledges to prioritize keeping police in our schools, fighting illegal immigration, reducing homelessness, and stopping reckless development.

County Commissioner District 4 – No candidates aligned with our values. Republican candidate Garrett Holt has voted for and donated to Democrats.

County Commissioner District 5 – **Angela Russell** is a proven leader and a true conservative, who recently won a fight against an inappropriate housing plan last fall. She is also an accountant who believes infrastructure must precede development with developers paying the cost.

County Commissioner District 6 – No candidates aligned with our values. Terry Hill voted *against* a resolution to protect children from sexual content and voted *for* the Advance Knox plan without the infrastructure to support the growth.

County Commissioner District 8 – Adam Thompson is a 6th generation farmer, who is running to be a voice for the people, provide effective and efficient government, while being fiscally responsible.

County Commissioner District 9 – Andy Fox is a constitutional attorney and proven protector of the traditional character of Knox County. He fought against covid mandates and for our freedoms. He opposed <u>Advance Knox</u>.

Assessor of Property & County Law Director – No candidates aligned with our values.

Board of Education District 2 – **Pat Polis** believes parents have the fundamental right to direct the upbringing, education, and care of their children and would ensure students are not exposed to sexually explicit or ageinappropriate content.

Board of Education District 3 & 5 – No candidates aligned with our values. Lauren Morgan supported the forced masking of children.

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