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MISSOULA COUNTY PRIMARY ELECTION DAY, TUESDAY, JUNE 8TH

Missoula, MT – Missoula County Election Administrator, Vickie Zeier, reminds voters of the primary election on Tuesday, June 8th, 2010. Polls are open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. and voters must bring their identification such as a voter registration card, drivers' license, utility bill, student ID, or Costco card with them to the polls. Voters are encouraged to check their registration status and, due to precinct and polling place consolidation efforts last year, confirm their polling place on the County's website: www.co.missoula.mt.us/Election/links.htm.

County residents not yet registered to vote can visit the Elections' Center at the Missoula County Fairgrounds to register to vote and receive a ballot until noon on Monday, June 7th. Voter registration services resume at the Elections' Center on Election Day starting at 7 a.m. until 8 p.m. Election workers require this break in service delivery to prepare the necessary materials and equipment for each polling place.

Missoula County and Mountain Line are pleased to announce that buses will provide free transportation on Tuesday, June 8th. Voters are encouraged to visit www.mountainline.com to plan their trip to their polling place or the Elections' Center. The Elections' Center at the Fairgrounds is served by Mountain Line Bus Routes 1 and 7.

Primary Election Day is likely to attract petition signature gatherers and their opposition to the polls. Signature gatherers are permitted to approach voters on Election Day, but are not allowed to "interfere with the election process," 39 A.G. Op. 62 (1982). Any voter with concerns about signature gathering at their polling place on Election Day should ask to speak to their polling place manager or contact the Elections' Office directly at 258-4751.

Voters with disabilities needing assistance with the Automark voting machine are encouraged to visit their polling place and seek assistance from their polling place manager. An Automark and assistance are also available at the Elections' Center at the Fairgrounds.

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