Absentee Voting Begins for August 7 2018 Primary Election

KANSAS CITY, MO. (June 26, 2018) – Absentee voting for the August 7 Primary Election begins today for Kansas City voters.

Voters who qualify may cast an absentee ballot in-person until 5 p.m. Monday, August 6, or by mail. Ballots cast by mail must be received by the Election Board no later than 7 p.m., Tuesday, August 7.

Voting is available at the Kansas City Election Board Absentee Office, located in Union Station, Suite 2800, (30 W. Pershing Road) from 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. through Monday, August 6. The office will also be open for absentee voting on Saturday, August 4, 8 a.m. to noon. Please park in the Union Station west garage when visiting KCEB, parking validation will be provided for absentee voters.

For mail-in voting, an application form must be submitted to KCEB by mail or by fax. The form is available at www.kceb.org, or by calling KCEB’s absentee voting office at 816-842-4820, ext. 225.

The last day to submit an absentee ballot application for the August 7 election is Wednesday, August 1, 2017.

Missouri election laws allow registered voters to vote absentee if they meet one of the following six requirements:

1) Will be absent from their voting jurisdiction on Election Day
2) Are incapacitated or confined due to illness or physical disability, or caring for an incapacitated person
3) Are restricted by religious belief or practice
4) Are employed by an election authority
5) Are incarcerated, but have retained all voting qualifications
6) Certified participation in the address confidentiality (SAFE at Home) program established under sections 589.660 to 589.681 because of safety concerns
Voters will be deciding on:

- Party Representative for:
  - United States Senator
  - United States Representative (District 5)
  - State Auditor
  - Missouri State Representative (Districts 19, 22, 23-30, 35, 36, 37 & 56
- Jackson County Offices:
  - County Executive
  - County Legislator (1st District At-Large, 2nd District At-Large, 3rd District At-Large, Districts 1-4 & 6
  - Sheriff
- Committeeman:
  - Wards 1-20 & 22-26
- Committeewoman:
  - Wards 1-20 & 22-26
- State of Missouri
  - Proposition A
- City of Kansas City Missouri:
  - Question 1

The polls will be open from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Election Day, Tuesday, August 7.

New residents, or those not registered, must register by July 11, 2018 in order to be eligible to vote in the August 7 election. Voters who have moved since they last voted should submit a change of address form by mail to the Kansas City Election Board, 30 W. Pershing Road, Suite 2800, Kansas City, MO 64108, or by fax (816-221-3348) or in-person to be assured of receiving a new voter ID card and their new polling location. You may now register or update your address online at https://s1.sos.mo.gov/votemissouri/request.

Kansas City has 217,454 registered voters within Jackson County.

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For additional information or assistance, please contact kceb@kceb.org or call (816) 842-4820.

Kansas City Board of Election Commissioners
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