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Kansas City Election Board Readies Voters for April Election

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (April 1, 2014) – The Kansas City Election Board (KCEB) announces details for the upcoming April 8 election. Following are the specifics to ensure that voters have the information needed to participate.

Date, Time, Place: The election will be held Tuesday, April 8. Poll hours are 6:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

What's on the Ballot?

Five (5) City Issues: 3 Charter changes, 1 bond issue, 1 hotel fee question
Candidates for School Board Directors-Kansas City, Hickman Mills, Lee's Summit and Independence School Districts
School Bond Issue-Raytown School District

A sample ballot is available online at www.kceb.org.

Absentee Voting: In-person absentee voting, at KCEB's Union Station office, runs through Monday, April 7, at 5:00 p.m. All mail-in absentee voting ballots must be received, by mail or dropped off, no later than 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 8.

In Missouri, one of five reasons qualifies one to vote absentee: 1) out of town on Election Day; 2) religious restrictions; 3) incapacitated, hospitalized or homebound, or caring for a person who is confined; 4) election authority employee; 5) incarcerated but eligible to vote.

Polls: Voters may find their polling location online at www.kceb.org by entering a last name and birth date in the ***Check Your Voter Status*** box.

New Voter ID Cards: New red, white and blue voter ID cards were mailed to all registered voters in Kansas City in March. The card contains the voter's name and address, voter ID number, polling location, voting districts, ward and precinct number, and registration date. The card is one of the acceptable forms of ID at the polls.

Election Notice Cards: Two weeks prior to Election Day, notices are mailed to all registered voters. The polling location and address are printed on each election notice card. Voters whose polls have changed will be reminded on their card.

Voter Identification: Voters may present several forms of identification including:

- 1) Missouri or out of state driver's license
- 2) Local, State or Federal government issued I.D. (employee, passport, social security card, military, etc.)
- 3) Missouri higher education I.D. (college or university)
- 4) Local election authority issued I.D.
- 5) Current bank statement, utility bill, government paycheck, regular paycheck or government document containing the voter's name and current address

Photo identification is not required to vote in Missouri.

Additional Facts:

Number of Polls:	133
Number of Precincts:	384
Total Registered Voters:	213,018
Estimated Election Cost:	\$461,495

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

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