New Voter ID Cards for Kansas City Voters

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (July 18, 2012) – The Kansas City Election Board (KCEB) has begun mailing out new voter identification cards to all registered voters in Kansas City. New cards should arrive in voters’ mailboxes between July 19-23.

The cards are red, white and blue, and are perforated for easy folding. The card contains the voter’s name and address, voter ID number, polling location, voting districts, ward and precinct number, and registration date. The new feature on the card is the QR code. Voters can easily scan the barcode, which links the voter to the new KCEB website, to check their voter status and to see if their poll location has changed.

The Election Board is encouraging voters to always carry the cards in their wallets and to present them to election judges when voting. Voters will still have the option of using other approved forms of identification, such as a driver’s license, government ID, college ID, etc., when asked to present identification at the polls.

Voters will continue to receive the election notice cards two weeks prior to every election. Those cards remind voters of the date, time and poll location of upcoming elections, and most importantly whether there is a change in their poll location for that election.

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