



Welcome!

We're so glad you're here for
training for the November 3rd,
2026 Joint General and Special
Elections!



Before Class Starts

- Fill out your *Constitutional Oath*
- Introduce yourself to your table
- Grab some scrap paper to write down questions



Important Dates

Early Voting

Monday, October 19 – Friday, October 30, 2026

7:00AM – 7:00PM, Monday – Sunday

Election Day

Tuesday, November 3, 2026

7:00AM – 7:00PM



Extended Hours

Polls will be open from 7AM to 10PM at these locations on the last two days of Early Voting:

- Ben Hur Shrine Center
- Lakeway Activity Center
- Millenium Youth Entertainment Complex
- PfISD Rock Gym
- Randalls Brodie
- Travis County Clerk
- UT Texas Union



Non-lockable Sites

The following locations are non-lockable sites. For these sites, you will need to return equipment to the ESC at the end of each night:

- Balcones Bingo
- LBJ School of Public Affairs
- Randalls Brodie
- Randalls Flagship West Lake Hills
- Randalls Steiner Ranch
- RRISD Hartfield Performing Arts Center
- South Austin Recreation Center



Poll Worker Eligibility

A person is ineligible to serve as an election judge or clerk if:

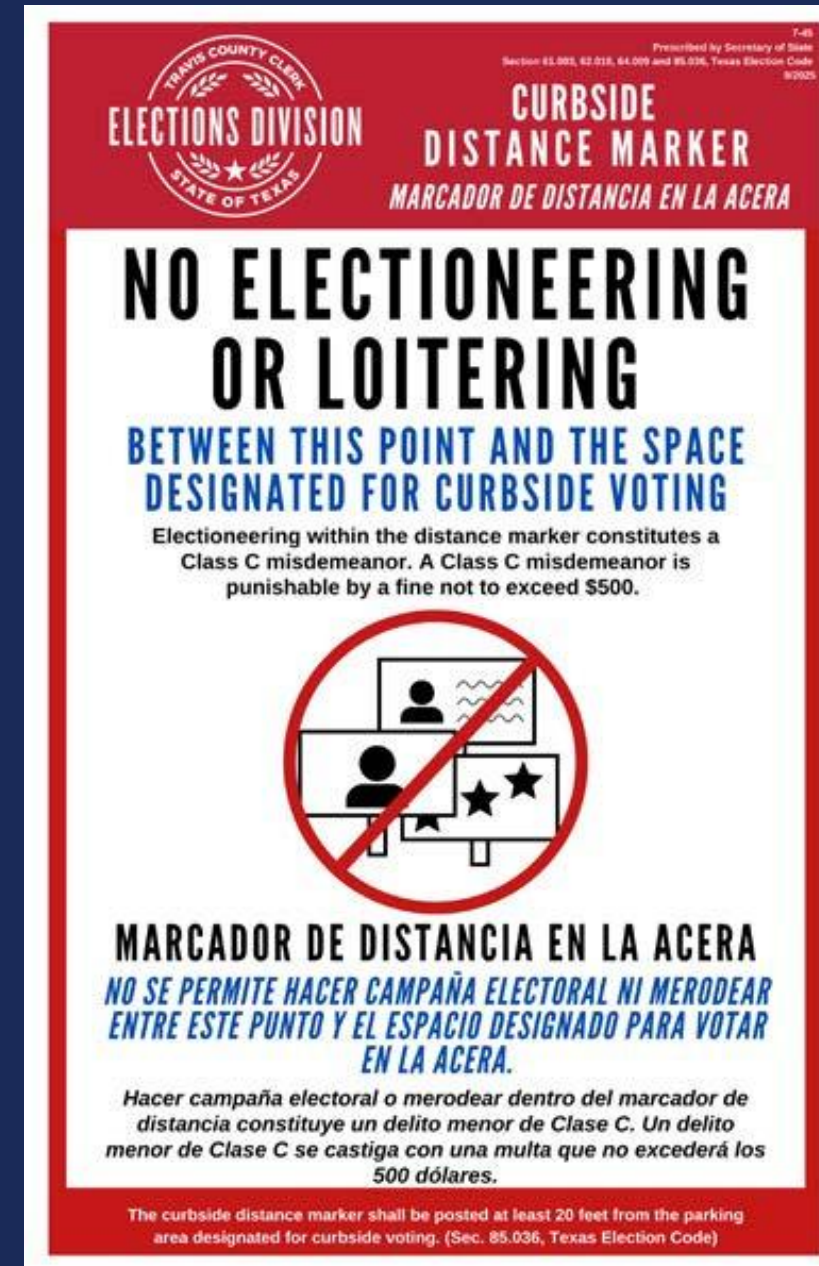
- **The person holds an elected public office. [Sec. 32.052]**
- **The person is an opposed candidate. [Sec. 32.053]**
- **The person is an employee of an opposed candidate. [Sec. 32.054]**
- **The person is a relative of an opposed candidate. [Sec. 32.054]**
- **The person is the campaign treasurer. [Sec. 32.055]**
- **The person is the campaign manager. [Sec. 32.0551]**
- **The person has been finally convicted of an election offense. [Sec. 32.0552]**



Electioneering



- 100 ft. boundary
- Call the Call Center if observed



- 20 ft. boundary
- Call the Call Center if observed



Interacting with the Media

Do not speak with media in your role as a poll worker.

Report any media presence at your site to the Call Center immediately.

Refer media to:

Call Center

or

CountyClerk@TravisCountyTx.gov



Special Topics

After the break, we will have separate demo tables to go over the below topics. Please choose one to go to. If you're unsure, ask your table trainer!

- **Ballot Marking Device Overview**
- **Curbside Overview/Checklist**

Elections Training Center

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smartphone
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TRAVIS COUNTY CLERK

To our Travis County poll workers - thank you for your commitment to our community and our democracy. Your work is essential to providing voters with a secure, accessible, and welcoming experience. I am grateful for the professionalism and resilience you demonstrate as our elections evolve, and for the care you bring to serving our community. Thank you for being an essential part of our elections team.

