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## REGISTRAR OF VOTERS COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE

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## Voters urged to drop off ballots, <u>not</u> use the mail, after Friday (March 4) for the Jurupa Valley election

In order to ensure that ballots reach election officials in time to be counted on Election Day, voters in the Jurupa Valley incorporation election should not return their ballots by mail after Friday (March. 4).

After Friday, voters are encouraged to return their ballots to any polling place in the county on Election Day (March 8). Ballots also can be deposited in the 24-hour drop box outside the front entrance to the Registrar of Voters office at 2724 Gateway Drive in Riverside.

Ballots must reach the registrar by 8 p.m. on Election Day to be counted. Ballots with postmarks before the deadline are not accepted and <u>cannot</u> be counted if they reach the registrar's office after the 8 p.m. deadline on Tuesday.

As of yesterday (March 3), approximately 10,453 vote-by-mail ballots had been sent to voters and almost 2,500 had been returned. The Jurupa Valley incorporation and related measures are the only items on Tuesday's ballot. Registrar of Voters Kari Verjil encourages every eligible voter to cast a ballot in the election.