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NEWS RELEASE

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EARLY VOTING OPENS ON TUESDAY, APRIL 4, 2017 FOR THE
SPECIAL ELECTION ON MAY 2, 2017

EXTENDED HOURS OFFERED TO VOTERS

The Butler County Board of Elections will be open for Early Voting beginning Tuesday, April 4th at 8:00 a.m. for voters wishing to vote in person prior to the Special Election on May 2, 2017.

The Board will be offering voters the following hours for in-person early voting for the election:

Tuesday, April 4, 2017 through Friday, April 7, 2017	8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Monday, April 10, 2017 through Friday, April 14, 2017	8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Monday, April 17, 2017 through Friday, April 21, 2017	8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Monday, April 24, 2017 through Friday, April 28, 2017	8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, April 29, 2017	8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Sunday, April 30, 2017	1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Monday, May 1, 2017	8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Voters may also request an Early Voting Ballot by Mail

- 1) An application may be downloaded from our website: butlercountyelections.org
- 2) Voters may also call the Board of Elections to request an application at (513) 887-3700, or (513) 424-0469 from the Middletown area. The deadline for our office to receive applications for ballots to be mailed is Saturday, April 29, 2017 at 12:00 noon.

Mail your application or letter requesting a ballot to:

Butler County Board of Elections
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3.) Voters written request for an Early Voting Ballot MUST include the following information:

- Name and current address
- Date of Birth
- Mailing address for the ballot, if different than current address
- **One Form** of Identification:
 - last four digits of your social security number
 - driver's license number
 - copy of a current and valid photo ID
 - current utility bill (including cell phone bill)
 - bank statement
 - government check
 - paycheck
 - Other government document that includes the voter's name and address
- The Election (Special) in which you intend to vote and the Election date (May 2, 2017)
- A statement indicating voter is a qualified elector
- Voter's signature

Ballots Returned by Mail

Ballots returned by U.S. mail must be postmarked no later than Monday, May 1, 2017, and must be received by the Board of Elections no later than May 12, 2017, ten (10) days after the Election. Ballots may be delivered in person by the voter or voter's family member to the Board office by close of polls (7:30 p.m.) on Election Day.

Early Voting Ballots may **not** be returned to a polling location on Election Day.

Out-of-country *Civilian and Uniformed Armed Service* ballots must be received by the Board of Elections by May 12, 2017 ten (10) days after the election to be counted.

If a voter or voter's minor child is hospitalized due to a medical emergency on Election Day, you should contact the Board of Elections. Voters with such an emergency may apply for an absentee ballot until 3:00 p.m. on Election Day.

Directions to the Board of Elections

Rt.129 to Hampshire Drive. Turn left on Princeton Road, and the Board of Elections is located at the end of the road on the right, directly in front of the County Care Facility.