

# P U B L I C F I L E

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**PUBLIC AFFAIRS TOPIC:** August 6, 2020 Election Preparation  
**GUEST:** Craig Story, Election Commission Director

The third of four election days is rapidly approaching. The next election date is Thursday, August 6 and this will be the Overton County General Election as well as the State Primary election.

Our guest – telling our listeners about the day, the early voting period, the new measures being implemented to make sure voting occurs in a Covid-safe setting at each of the county's precincts – was Craig Story, the local director of elections.

Mr. Story detailed how the early voting period is an opportunity for the public to cast ballots in a less crowded setting. The early voting period for the August 6 election will run July 17 through August 1<sup>st</sup>.

As far as the individual precincts located across the county, Mr. Story says he has visited those school buildings and other voting locations to see what can be done to keep people from being too close to each other on election day. His plans include markings on the floors to establish proper distancing between voters, entering and exiting through two different doors, moving (relocating) the tables where poll workers perform their election day duties, etc.

On our FOCUS ON COMMUNITY public affairs feature, Mr. Story urged the voters to remember the dates for early voting and participate in the early vote as a way to safely cast votes in this Covid-World election cycle.

As with all FOCUS ON COMMUNITY public affairs series, this feature with Overton County Election Commissioner Craig Story is airing in various dayparts and will continue to air over a period of several days to reach the most possible voters / listeners.

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