Election Day Procedures – 2013

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THINGS WE INTEND TO COVER

1. Qualifying voters and provisional voting after SB 14.
2. Election judges and clerks: how many, qualifications, ineligibility, and duties.
3. Polling place hours.
4. People in the polling place
5. Voter Assistance
6. Interpreters
7. Electioneering
8. Miscellaneous polling place procedures

Statutory references are to the Texas Election Code.
After Implementation of Senate Bill 14, 82\textsuperscript{nd} Legislature, 2011 ("SB 14")

- Qualifying voters at the polling place
- Provisional voting
Forms of Identification

§§ 63.001(b), (g), (h), 63.0101

On offering to vote, voter must present one of the following 7 forms of identification described in Section 63.0101:

1. Texas driver's license issued by Texas Department of Public Safety ("DPS");*
2. Texas election identification certificate ("EIC") issued by DPS;*
3. Texas personal identification card issued by DPS;*
4. Texas concealed handgun license issued by DPS;*
Forms of Identification (con’t)

5. United States military identification card ("military ID card") that contains the person's photograph; *

6. United States citizenship certificate ("citizenship certificate") that contains the person's photograph; **OR**

7. United States passport. *

*Indicates that document must not have not expired or expired no earlier than 60 days before the date of presentation of document by voter.
Forms of Identification (con’t)

No other form of identification (other than one of the 7 Section 63.0101 documents described above), including a voter's registration certificate, will enable voter to receive a regular ballot. If one of the 7 forms of identification is not presented, voter will only be able to vote a provisional ballot.