

**VOTER REGISTRATION AND ELDERLY/HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBILITY
FEBRUARY 2, 2010 GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION**

REGISTRATION

Nancy Nelson, Lee County Clerk, states that voter registration is open in the Election Department of her office. Notice is hereby given that January 5, 2010 is the last day registrations or transfers can be accepted. Please stop in the Election Department or call 815-288-3309 for the names of Deputy Registrars in your area.

Anyone who has never registered in Lee County, has moved within the county, or has had a change of name since the last election must be registered and have the correct name and address if they wish to vote in this election. First time registrants shall (by February 2, 2010 General Primary Election) have resided in their precinct for 30 days and must be 18 years of age on or before Election Day.

ABSENTEE

Nancy Nelson's office complies with the federal voting accessibility laws. Voters who find it difficult to go to the polls on Election Day may vote by absentee ballot. They may contact her office to request an application and the ballot can then be mailed to the voter. The last day a ballot can be mailed is January 28, 2010, five days before this election.

To comply with the federal voting accessibility law, election judges are allowed to deliver a ballot to any voter who is not able to get into the polling place. A request must be made to the Election Department prior to Election Day to make arrangements for two judges to deliver a ballot to a voter within 50 feet of the polling place. To reach the Election Department please call 815-288-3309 during normal business hours of 8:00 am until 4:30 pm, Monday through Friday.

Once a ballot is cast, it cannot be rescinded. All above dates apply for the February 2, 2010 General Primary Election.

NANCY NELSON
LEE COUNTY CLERK & RECORDER