

Election Officer Training



Photo by Clevis Jeffries

Territory Manager Jeremy Harmon, of Harp Enterprises, Lexington, conducted a training for precinct election officers Friday, October 16 at the Green County Judicial Center in preparation for the upcoming general election Tuesday, November 3.

Bivens’ Legislative Update

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Presentations covered cyberterrorism prevention, agency response roles, and the Cyberbluegrass program, which strengthens coordination among cyber defenders to protect critical infrastructure. The discussion emphasized the importance of interagency collaboration in protecting Kentuckians from cyber threats and crime. Capital Projects & Bond Oversight Committee: Members reviewed state capital project updates, agency reports, university and school district projects, emergency repairs, and debt issuances. Members also considered infrastructure loans and grants for water and sewer improvements, economic development funding, postsecondary construction plans, and military facility renovations. Additional items included reports on outstanding bonds, asset preservation allocations, and project updates required under the 2026 state budget. IJC on Economic Development & Workforce Investment: Lawmakers heard from the Kentucky State Building and Construction Trades Council about proposals to eliminate the unemployment insurance waiting period. Lawmakers also discussed a potential path to encourage the transition to employee ownership when the owners of Kentucky businesses decide to sell their interests in a company. IJC on Licensing, Occupations, & Administrative Regulations: Members first

discussed proposed legislation that would establish a licensing framework for lactation consultants in Kentucky. Members then heard from the Kentucky Hemp Association and Cornbread Hemp about current federal and state laws and regulations governing the hemp industry, as well as proposed licensing and regulatory changes intended to support the industry’s growth and competitiveness and protect public health and safety. IJC on Tourism, Small Business, & Information Technology: Legislators heard a presentation on the Commonwealth Initiative, a program focused on preserving Kentucky’s musical heritage through education and community

engagement, featuring representatives from the Commonwealth Initiative and Sandy Knipp Legacy of Strings Foundation. The committee also received an agency update from the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources. Committee meetings will continue next week, with the IJC on Local Government; IJC on State Government; IJC on Health Services; and IJCon Families and Children among those scheduled to meet. As always, I can be reached anytime through the toll-free message line in Frankfort at 1-800-372-7181. You can also contact me via email at Ryan.Bivens@kylegislature.gov and keep track through the Kentucky legislature’s website at legislature.ky.gov.

Officer Anne Beard, and County Treasurer Sharon Abell to the Bluff Boom Trails Maintenance Account Signature Card. The Court was informed of the change in the November and December regular monthly Fiscal Court meeting dates. The November meeting will be Nov. 23 at 5 p.m. and the December meeting will be Dec. 15 at 5 p.m. Judge Frank provided updates, including completion of the Temperance Road Bridge Project and work has begun on the Roy Chaudoin Road Bridge Project.

Master of City Governance



Photo submitted

Greensburg Mayor John Shuffett has successfully completed his Level III – Master of City Governance Training as of September 25, through the Kentucky League of Cities.

Fiscal Court

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We obtained the lowest price possible, and with the support from Haydon Materials we’re able to finally make this purchase. We certainly appreciate Haydon Materials and their support of Green County,” said Judge-Executive John Frank. (9) The 1st Reading of Budget Amendment No. 27003 with total amended revenues and appropriations amounting to \$926,539.48 (10) To open a Bluff Boom Trails Maintenance Checking Account (11) To add Judge-Executive Frank, Office Secretary/Finance

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Green County Voting Procedures Election Day, Tuesday, Nov. 3

VOTE BY MAIL

MAIL-IN ABSENTEE BALLOT

Eligible voters may request a mail-in absentee ballot by visiting govote.ky.gov

To find out if you are an eligible voter please visit the website or call 270-932-5386

Absentee Portal will be available September 19-October 20

Voter Process for Mail-In Absentee

- To request a ballot on the State Board of elections online portal govote.ky.gov or call 270-932-5386
- Your ballot will be sent via US Mail
- Follow the instructions completely to ensure your ballot is accepted! BE SURE TO SIGN AT ALL THE X'S
- You may mail your ballot back or drop it off at the Green County Clerk's Office in person.

TO VERIFY YOUR VOTER RECORD, PLEASE VISIT GOVOTE.KY.GOV OR CALL 270.932-5386

ABSENTEE VOTING

IN-PERSON EXCUSED ABSENTEE VOTING

October 21-October 28
8:00am - 4:00pm

NO VOTING SAT. OR SUN.

Green County Clerks Office
203 W. Court Street, Greensburg

Voter requirements to be eligible:
Per KRS 117.085, eligible voters must meet one the requirements.

- Student who resides temporarily outside his/her county
- Voter or voter's spouse who has surgery/hospitalization scheduled during Early voting and Election Day
- Voter who is a resident of KY covered by KRS 117 A.010
- Uniformed service member who finds out they will be confined to a military base during Early Voting and Election Day & is not eligible for a mail-in ballot.
 - In last trimester of pregnancy
- Voter who temporarily resides outside the state but still eligible to vote in KY
- Person who due to age, disability or illness will be unable to attend early voting or Election Day vote centers
- Voters who will be out of the county during Early voting or Election Day

EARLY VOTE

EARLY IN-PERSON VOTING

Thursday, October 29
8:00am - 4:00pm

Friday, October 30
8:00am - 4:00pm

Saturday, October 31
8:00am - 4:00pm

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In the 2026 General Election, all registered voters may cast their ballot regardless of their registered party.

October 5, 2026 is the last day to register to vote in the General Election

VOTE

IN-PERSON ELECTION DAY VOTING

Election Day
Tuesday, November 3, 2026
Polls Open 6:00am - 6:00pm

- VOTING PRECINCTS -

EAST & SOUTH PRECINCTS
Green County Fire Dept.
105 Dakota Meyer Dr., Greensburg

WEST & NORTH PRECINCTS
Green County Ext. Office
298 Happyville Rd., Greensburg

NORTH SUMMERSVILLE
Summersville Fire Dept.
6054 Hodgenville Rd., Summersville

ALLENDALE PRECINCT
Allendale Vote Building
9015 Hodgenville Rd., Summersville

PIKEVIEW PRECINCT
Ebenezer Presbyterian
4172 Blowing Springs Rd., Greensburg

EXIE PRECINCT
Exie Fire Dept.
8629 Edmonton Rd., Greensburg

DONANSBURG PRECINCT
Grab Fire Dept.
402 Grab Rd., Greensburg

PIERCE PRECINCT
Pierce Vote Building
5125 Hwy. 218, Greensburg

Voter Process for All In-Person Voting:
(Election Day, Early Voting and Excused Absentee)

- * Bring your required identification
- * Have your ID ready, Driver's licenses are the most efficient method to scan
- * Election Officers verify your identity and you will be issued to a paper ballot, voters with disabilities may use an ADA ballot marking device which prints a paper ballot to be scanned.
- * You will mark your ballot and cast your vote!