

Do's and Don'ts for Campaigning Outside the Voters Registration Office During In-Person Absentee Voting.

Campaigning will be permitted outside the Voter Registration Office on county property during the early voting period, Sept. 18th to October 31st, of the November 3, 2020, General and Special Elections. Your right to free speech and political campaigning is being respected, so we hope you can cooperate with us and understand that you are campaigning in an area where people come to work and others come to use the services of the county.

- As always, the 40 foot rule for campaigning is in effect.
- Please remember that not everyone entering the building is coming to vote. Some are coming to pay taxes, get building permits and what have you. Aggressively approaching everyone is not in your candidate's best interest.
- Please park on the grass opposite the building and save the spots out front for people coming in to do business with the county.
- The area to the east of the sidewalk, on your right as you approach the building, is private property maintained by the Eastville Inn and the lawyer cottages. As such it is off limits to campaigners as are the parking spots labeled "reserved".
- The area to the west of the sidewalk, on your left as you approach the building, is where we would like you to set up tables, tents, signs, etc.
- Please do not block the sidewalk with signage.
- All signs, tents, etc. must be removed at the end of the day. The county will not permit permanent signs on its property.
- If your presence or actions disturb the peace of workers, visitors or nearby residents, we will have a talk.

Please refer to the ***Do's and Don'ts for Campaigners and Authorized Representatives*** for a full review of the rules. Thanks for your cooperation, and please email me at vote@co.northampton.va.us if you have any questions or concerns.

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General Registrar