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(Golden) – The 2008 Primary Election is Tuesday, August 12, 2008. The polls will be open on Election Day from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Early Voting:

Early voting for Primary Election voters in Jefferson County begins Monday, August 4th and runs through Friday, August 8th.

Early Voting will take place at the following locations from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday:

Jefferson County Administrative & Courts Facility
100 Jefferson County Pkwy. (Golden)

Arvada Motor Vehicle
6510 Wadsworth Blvd.

Evergreen Motor Vehicle
4990 County Hwy. 73

Lakewood Motor Vehicle
2099 Wadsworth Blvd.

South Jeffco Motor Vehicle
6004 S Kipling St. #A

Early Voting will take place at the following locations from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday:

NORTH
Standley Lake Library
8485 Kipling St.

CENTRAL
Belmar Library
555 S. Allison Pkwy.

SOUTH
Columbine Library
7706 W. Bowles Ave.

Mail-In Voting:

Mail-in ballots can be obtained by submitting an application form to the Jefferson County Clerk and Recorder's Office. Forms are available at the Clerk's office, or at www.votejeffco.com.

If a voter would like your ballot mailed to them, the deadline to submit an application is Tuesday, August 5th.

If a voter would like to pick up a ballot in person at the Clerk and Recorder's Office, the deadline to submit an application is Friday, August 8th.

Mail-in ballots may be dropped off at any of the following locations:

Arvada 8101 Ralston Rd. 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.	Edgewater 2401 Sheridan Blvd. 8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.	Golden 911 10th St. 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.	Lakewood 480 S. Allison Pkwy. 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Westminster 4800 W 92nd Ave. 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.	Jefferson County Administrative & Courts Facility 100 Jefferson County Pkwy., Ste. 200 (Golden) 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.		

Jefferson County Motor Vehicle Branch Offices

See list above

7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

As a reminder, voters must be affiliated with either the Democrat or Republican Party in order to vote in the Primary Election. Registered unaffiliated voters who applied to vote by mail must affiliate with either the Democratic or Republican Party to receive their mail-in ballot and vote. These voters can affiliate by completing a declaration of party affiliation form at the Clerk and Recorder's Office. Once the form has been completed, the voter can then be issued the requested party ballot.

Unaffiliated voters who have not applied for a mail-in ballot may follow the procedure listed above, or may also declare a party affiliation at an Early Voting site or at a precinct polling location and receive a ballot.

To register to vote, or to check your voter registration status, please visit www.votejeffco.com.