



BOARD OF REGISTRATION AND ELECTIONS REGULAR MEETING

June 23, 2026

12:00 PM

Memorial Drive Auditorium

DCTV's UStream channel: <https://video.ibm.com/channel/xUJgKs6n2VW>

1. ROLL CALL

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

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- B. Legislative Update

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9. ADJOURNMENT

DeKalb County Board of Registration and Elections Special Meeting Minutes

May 22, 2026
Start Time: 8:42 AM
End Time: 8:51 AM

Board Attendees: Karli Swift
Vasu Abhiraman
Travis Bowden
Gail Lee
Dele Lowman

Other Attendees: Keisha Smith, Executive Director
Michael Petty, Senior Assistant County Attorney

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Chair Swift called the Board of Registration and Elections meeting to order at 8:42 a.m.

Dr. Harris conducted the roll call, confirming the presence of each board member by name. A quorum was established.

A motion to approve the agenda was made by Mr. Bowden and seconded by Mr. Abhiraman. The motion passed unanimously.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Cheryl Dudley
Bethann Frillman

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

A) Pre-Certification Report - April 7 House District 94 Special Election Runoff

Chair Swift called for the pre-certification report and recognized the Deputy Director Henry. Deputy Director Henry provided an overview of the number of ballots cast with the number of voters, so that certification of election results accurately reflects the will of the electorate.

Chair Swift asked if Board members had any questions. Ms. Lee asked if the BRE would receive a report on the reasons for errors. Deputy Director Henry said yes. Ms. Lee asked if there were any equipment issues. Director Smith said she was not made aware of any issues. Ms. Lee asked if there were any chain of custody issues for the ballots. Director Smith said she was not made aware of any. Ms. Lee asked if there were any fraud, error, or situation that need to be reported to the District Attorney. Director Smith said she was not made aware of any issues. Ms. Lee asked if

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there were any unusual voting time. Director Smith said she was not made aware of any issues. Ms. Lee asked if there were any disruptions. Director Smith said she was not made aware of any issues. Ms. Lee asked if there were poll monitor or poll watcher issues. Director Smith said she was not made aware of any issues. Ms. Lee asked if there were any voter complaint issues that were not resolved. Director Smith said she was not made aware of any issues that were not resolved. Ms. Lee asked if any polling location were given extended hours. Ms. Lee asked if there were any voter complaint issues that were not resolved. Director Smith said not in DeKalb County. Ms. Lee asked if the Secretary of State's Office directed her to make any changes to the numbers submitted. Director Smith said no. Ms. Lee asked how many Provisionals are still be resolved. Deputy Director Henry said we received 201 on Tuesday night. Ms. Lee had no further questions.

BOARD COMMENTS

No board member had any comments.

ADJOURNMENT

At 8:51 p.m. a motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Bowden. Seconded by Mr. Abhiraman. The motion passed unanimously.

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May 26, 2026
Start Time: 12:10 PM
End Time: 1:59 PM

Board Attendees: Karli Swift
Vasu Abhiraman
Travis Bowden
Gail Lee
Dele Lowman

Other Attendees: Julietta Henry, Deputy Director
Dr. Jesse Harris, Deputy Director
Michael Petty, Senior Assistant County Attorney
Clark E. Candler, II, Assistant County Attorney

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Chair Swift convened the meeting of the Board of Registration and Elections at 12:10 p.m.

Ms. Austin conducted the roll call and confirmed the presence of Board members by name. A quorum was established.

Mr. Bowden moved to approve the agenda. The motion was seconded by Mr. Abhiraman and passed unanimously.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- A) April 8, 2026 Special Called Meeting
- B) April 13, 2026 Special Called Meeting

Mr. Bowden moved to approve the minutes of the regularly scheduled meetings held on April 8th, 2026, and April 13th, 2026. The motion was seconded by Ms. Lee and approved unanimously.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Cheryl Dudley
Janet Grant
Kiley Carr
Betsy Shackelford
Jocelyn O'Neal
Michael Beach

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ITEMS FOR DECISION

A) Certification of the May 19, 2026 General Primary/Nonpartisan General Election

Deputy Director Henry presented the post-election report for the May 19, 2026 General Primary. She also provided updates regarding total voter turnout, voting methods utilized, and unique voter statistics associated with the May 19, 2026 election.

Ms. Lowman asked what a cured ballot means for the benefit of the public.

Deputy Director Henry said a ballot requires a cure when the voter has to provide additional information such as an ID or a signature. Once they have done so, that ballot is considered cured and counted.

Ms. Lee asked if there were long lines.

Deputy Director Henry said no.

Chair Swift thanked staff and asked for a motion to approve certification of the election.

Mr. Bowden moved to certify the election results of the May 19, 2026 election. The motion was seconded by Mr. Abhiraman and carried unanimously.

Mr. Bowden moved to recess the meeting so the certification documents could be signed by the Board members. The motion was seconded by Mr. Abhiraman and carried unanimously.

Following the recess, Mr. Abhiraman moved to resume the regular order of business. The motion was seconded by Ms. Lowman.

B) Proposed Early Voting Times and Locations for the June 16 General Primary Runoff

Chair Swift shared the list of voting locations and that one location: Living Grace Church was removed for 19 total locations.

Mr. Bowden asked where the Living Grace Church was located. Staff answered it was Tucker.

Mr. Abhiraman and Chair Swift asked if the proposed times could be extended to account for the number of voters. Deputy Director Henry answered that it was based on past experiences and the department would be open to extending hours. Mr. Abhiraman said he was agnostic for the primary but for the general he would like to see extended hours on the first day.

Ms. Lowman said she agreed with the whole line of thinking. Ms. Lowman recommended making Sunday 12 pm to 6 pm.

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Chair Swift clarified the scheduling for the primary election and stated her agreement with the extended hours for the general location. Chair Swift thanked the staff for securing the locations. Chair Swift asked Deputy Director Henry for more information on the criterion for securing a voting location. Deputy Director Henry said we cannot use schools due to school hours and churches are allowed. Chair Swift asked for a motion to approve.

Ms. Lowman made a motion to approve the proposed location and early voting times Sunday June 16, 2026 general primary runoff.

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

(A) Director's Report

Deputy Director Henry provided an overview of the work completed since the previous meeting, noting that staff had performed at a high level in preparation for the May elections. Director Smith reported that, as of the previous Thursday, the county had 568,239 registered voters and presented a breakdown of additional voter registration categories. She also updated the Board on the status of pending voter registration applications.

Chair Swift inquired about the timeline for processing the approximately 12,000 pending voter registrations. Deputy Director Henry stated that the applications would be processed in time for the runoff election. Chair Swift then asked whether those newly registered voters would be eligible to participate in the election.

Deputy Director Harris provided an overview of the department's budget. Ms. Lee asked for clarification regarding the allocation of the \$525,000 adjustment. Deputy Director Harris explained that the funds had been reallocated to properly fund the appropriate budget line item.

Mr. Bowden requested clarification regarding the \$77,048 reversal reflected under Account 592101 (Group Insurance), noting that it appeared to be a reserve adjustment. Deputy Director Harris explained that the adjustment had been made by the Budget Department and noted that the department's authority is limited to budget line items within categories 52, 53, and 54.

Deputy Director Harris also provided an overview of the communications strategy for the upcoming elections, which includes the distribution of a voter mailer.

Ms. Lowman asked whether there was any precedent for mailing sample ballots directly to voters. Deputy Director Harris stated that discussions had taken place with Director Smith regarding the development of either a sample ballot or a voter guide. He further indicated that a draft would be prepared and submitted to the Board for review and approval. Ms. Lowman also raised questions regarding voter education efforts aimed at reducing confusion surrounding nonpartisan ballots.

Ms. Lee asked Dr. Harris about his reference to distributing informational flyers ahead of the November election and inquired whether candidates would be invited to submit statements. Deputy Director Harris confirmed that candidates would be responsible for providing their own

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statements and explained that existing policy limits statements to 300 words, prohibits derogatory comments about other candidates, and requires content to focus solely on the candidate's own campaign.

(B) Legislative Update

The Assistant County Attorney said the Governor called a special legislative session on June 17, 2026.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Mr. Bowden made a motion to enter into executive session, seconded by Mr. Abhiraman. Passed unanimously.

BOARD COMMENTS

Mr. Abhiraman provided an opinion that nonpartisan elections should not be on the same ballot so as not to confuse the voter.

Mr. Bowden thanked all attendees for their participation and the staff for their dedication and hard work. Mr. Bowden said they are looking forward to discussing election security and integrity.

Ms. Lee stated that she had submitted a resolution regarding the implementation of a backup system. She noted that the Board would monitor the outcome of the election and make a determination based on any actions taken by the legislature.

Ms. Lowman expressed her pride in the professionalism of the DeKalb County elections, noting that the staff's preparation was so effective that the election felt seamless, comparing their efforts to 'ducks paddling underwater' where the hard work is not visible above the surface. Ms. Lowman concluded by saying it makes her proud to say she is from DeKalb.

Chair Swift thanked the staff for their hard work and concluded her remarks by thanking everyone for attending and emphasizing the importance of remaining focused on the successful administration of the May election.

ADJOURNMENT

At 1:59 p.m. a motion to adjourn was made by Mr. Bowden. Seconded by Ms. Lowman. The motion passed unanimously.



DeKalb County Voter Registration & Elections


Board of Registration and Elections
June 23, 2026

*Keisha L. Smith, MPA
VRE Executive Director*

Key Priorities



Our key priorities center on enhancing the voter experience for all eligible voters in DeKalb County. We will work to ensure the integrity of our elections, improve operational efficiencies, enhance staff training for full-time and seasonal employees and integrate technology and innovation to better our processes and upgrade our voter experience.



Voter Experience

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Elections Integrity

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Technology & Innovation

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Staff Training

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Operational Efficiency

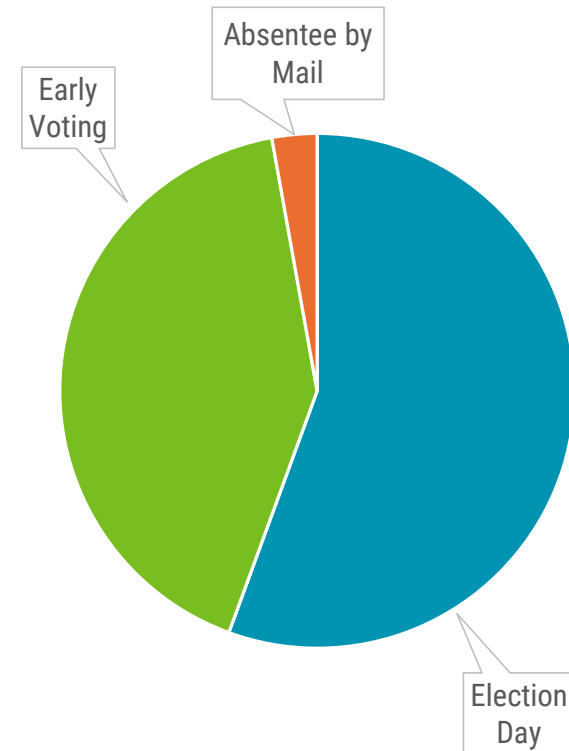
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Post-Election Report

June 16, 2026 General Primary Runoff

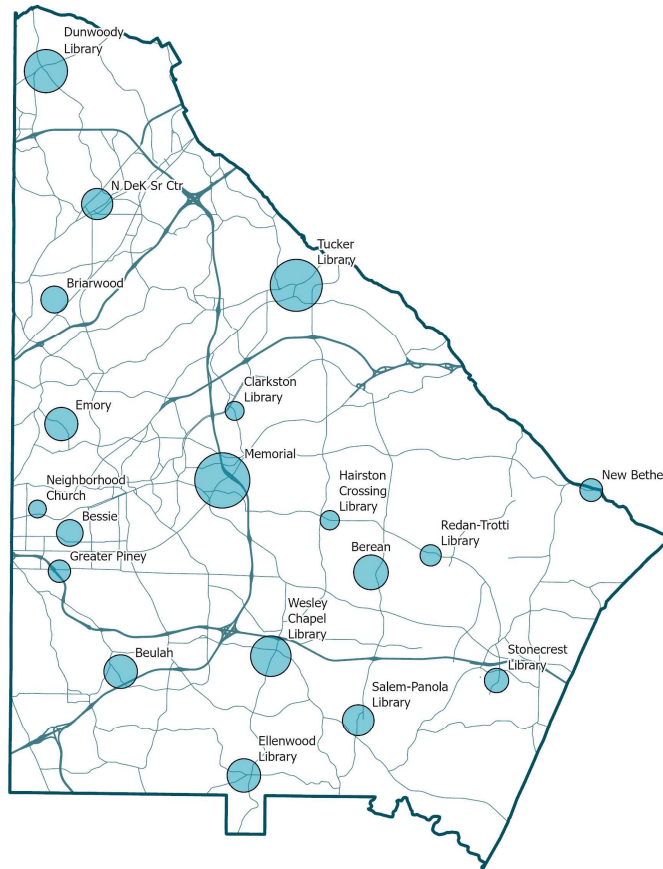
TURNOUT

Registered Voters	495,076	(Active)
Ballots Cast	69,329	
Overall Turnout	14.00%	
Election Day	38,511	55.55%
Early Voting	28,818	41.57%
Absentee by Mail	1,957	2.82%
Provisional	43	0.06%
Total	69,329	100.00%



EARLY VOTING

Voter Registration & Elections
DeKalb County, Georgia



Memorial Drive was the most popular Early Voting location.

ABSENTEE BY MAIL

Voter Registration & Elections
DeKalb County, Georgia

Ballots Accepted	1,957
Domestic	1,914
Overseas	43
Rejected/Spoiled	24
Total Received	1,981

ABSENTEE BY MAIL

Voter Registration & Elections
DeKalb County, Georgia

Provisional Absentee Ballots

Electronic Signature	7
Missing Signature	6
Incorrect DOB	0
Missing DOB	3
Incorrect ID	0
Missing ID	2
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Total	18

Cured Provisional 9

Rejected Absentee Ballots

Missing Signature	9
Incorrect ID	10
Missing ID	9
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Total	28

Cured Rejected 8

Precincts	191
Polling Places	147
Poll Workers	963
Equipment Tested & Deployed	
Poll Pads	400
Touchscreens	1,160
Scanners	166

	Accepted	Rejected	Total
Out of Precinct	40	4	44
Registration in Question	0	1	1
Missing ID	3	2	5
Other	0	1	1
Total	43	8	51

A huge thank you to our county partners
who worked alongside us to facilitate
another successful election!



DeKalb County
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Election Summary Report

Closed Primary

DeKalb

June 16, 2026

Summary for: All Contests, All Districts, All Tabulators, All Counting Groups

Unofficial and Incomplete

Electors Group	Counting Group	Ballots	Voters	Registered Voters	Turnout
Total	Election Day	38,511	38,511	495,076	7.78%
	Advance Voting	28,818	28,818		5.82%
	Absentee by Mail	1,957	1,957		0.40%
	Provisional	43	43		0.01%
	Total	69,329	69,329		14.00%

Precincts Reported: 191 of 191 (100.00%)

Registered Voters: 69,329 of 495,076 (14.00%)

Ballots Cast: 69,329

US Senate - Rep (Vote for 1) REP

Precincts Reported: 191 of 191 (100.00%)

	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total		
Times Cast	8,462	6,081	348	5	14,896 / 495,076	3.01%	
Candidate	Party	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total	
Mike Collins		3,377	2,199	137	1	5,714	39.24%
Derek Dooley		4,882	3,755	205	4	8,846	60.76%
Total Votes		8,259	5,954	342	5	14,560	
	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total		

Governor - Rep (Vote for 1) REP

Precincts Reported: 191 of 191 (100.00%)

	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total		
Times Cast	8,457	6,077	348	5	14,887 / 495,076	3.01%	
Candidate	Party	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total	
Rick Jackson		4,428	3,958	216	2	8,604	58.69%
Burt Jones		3,902	2,034	116	3	6,055	41.31%
Total Votes		8,330	5,992	332	5	14,659	
	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total		

Lieutenant Governor - Rep (Vote for 1) REP

Precincts Reported: 191 of 191 (100.00%)

	Election Day	Advance Voti	Absentee by	Provisional	Total		
Times Cast	8,457	6,077	348	5	14,887 / 495,076	3.01%	
Candidate	Party	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total	
Greg Dolezal		3,725	2,929	190	2	6,846	48.71%
John F. Kennedy		4,200	2,869	137	2	7,208	51.29%
Total Votes		7,925	5,798	327	4	14,054	
	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total		

Lieutenant Governor - Dem (Vote for 1) DEM

Precincts Reported: 191 of 191 (100.00%)

	Election Day	Advance Voti	Absentee by	Provisional	Total		
Times Cast	29,910	22,680	1,605	38	54,233 / 495,076	10.95%	
Candidate	Party	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total	
Josh McLaurin		17,711	12,568	917	23	31,219	58.23%
Nabilah Parkes		11,850	9,861	670	15	22,396	41.77%
Total Votes		29,561	22,429	1,587	38	53,615	
	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total		

Secretary of State - Rep (Vote for 1) REP

Precincts Reported: 191 of 191 (100.00%)

	Election Day	Advance Voti	Absentee by	Provisional	Total		
Times Cast	8,457	6,077	348	5	14,887 / 495,076	3.01%	
Candidate	Party	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total	
Tim Fleming		5,313	4,098	257	1	9,669	69.60%
Vernon Jones		2,493	1,654	74	3	4,224	30.40%
Total Votes		7,806	5,752	331	4	13,893	
	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total		

Secretary of State - Dem (Vote for 1) DEM

Precincts Reported: 191 of 191 (100.00%)

	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total		
Times Cast	29,910	22,680	1,605	38	54,233 / 495,076	10.95%	
Candidate	Party	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total	
Dana Barrett		12,860	7,996	545	14	21,415	39.97%
Penny Brown Reynolds		16,628	14,471	1,040	23	32,162	60.03%
Total Votes		29,488	22,467	1,585	37	53,577	

Commissioner of Insurance - Dem (Vote for 1) DEM

Precincts Reported: 191 of 191 (100.00%)

	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total		
Times Cast	29,910	22,680	1,605	38	54,233 / 495,076	10.95%	
Candidate	Party	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total	
DeAndre Mathis		13,928	9,646	715	15	24,304	45.82%
Keisha Sean Waites		15,237	12,640	835	22	28,734	54.18%
Total Votes		29,165	22,286	1,550	37	53,038	

State School Superintendent - Rep (Vote for 1) REP

Precincts Reported: 191 of 191 (100.00%)

	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total		
Times Cast	8,457	6,077	348	5	14,887 / 495,076	3.01%	
Candidate	Party	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total	
Fred "Bubba" Longgear		3,830	2,725	161	2	6,718	50.33%
Richard Woods (I)		3,647	2,819	161	2	6,629	49.67%
Total Votes		7,477	5,544	322	4	13,347	

Commissioner of Labor - Dem (Vote for 1) DEM

Precincts Reported: 191 of 191 (100.00%)

	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total	
Times Cast	29,910	22,680	1,605	38	54,233 / 495,076	10.95%

Candidate	Party	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total	
Nikki Porcher		16,335	13,265	904	24	30,528	58.35%
Michelle Michi Sanchez		12,406	8,758	619	12	21,795	41.65%
Total Votes		28,741	22,023	1,523	36	52,323	

	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total	

PSC - District 5 - Rep (Vote for 1) REP

Precincts Reported: 191 of 191 (100.00%)

	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total	
Times Cast	8,457	6,077	348	5	14,887 / 495,076	3.01%

Candidate	Party	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total	
Bobby Mehan		2,585	1,951	88	2	4,626	38.63%
Josh Tolbert		4,058	3,086	204	2	7,350	61.37%
Total Votes		6,643	5,037	292	4	11,976	

	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total	

State Senate - District 10 - Dem (Vote for 1) DEM

Precincts Reported: 43 of 43 (100.00%)

	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total	
Times Cast	8,199	7,393	481	7	16,080 / 103,335	15.56%

Candidate	Party	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total	
Larry Johnson		5,349	5,066	338	3	10,756	67.92%
Gabrielle Rogers		2,704	2,241	135	1	5,081	32.08%
Total Votes		8,053	7,307	473	4	15,837	

	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total	

County Commission - District 3 - Dem (Vote for 1) DEM

Precincts Reported: 45 of 45 (100.00%)

	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total		
Times Cast	9,114	7,354	524	12	17,004 / 112,986	15.05%	
Candidate	Party	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total	
Keyanna Jones Moore		5,575	4,352	294	6	10,227	61.17%
Nicole Massiah (I)		3,392	2,884	213	2	6,491	38.83%
Total Votes		8,967	7,236	507	8	16,718	
	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total		

County Board of Education - District 4 (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 25 of 25 (100.00%)

	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total		
Times Cast	5,736	3,719	272	4	9,731 / 56,749	17.15%	
Candidate	Party	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total	
Tracy L. Brisson		3,648	2,298	155	1	6,102	67.65%
Sonja Payne Szubski		1,649	1,172	96	1	2,918	32.35%
Total Votes		5,297	3,470	251	2	9,020	
	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total		

State House of Representatives - District 94 - Dem (Vote for 1) DEM

Precincts Reported: 6 of 6 (100.00%)

	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total		
Times Cast	1,293	1,104	54	1	2,452 / 18,276	13.42%	
Candidate	Party	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total	
Kelly Kautz		195	144	9	0	348	14.33%
Venola Mason (I)		1,086	951	44	0	2,081	85.67%
Total Votes		1,281	1,095	53	0	2,429	
	Election Day	Advance Voting	Absentee by Mail	Provisional	Total		

Congressional District 13 Special Election

EARLY VOTING

LOCATION

County Line Ellenwood Library*

4331 River Road, Ellenwood, GA 30294

*Drop Box Location

DATES AND TIMES

MON-FRI

JULY 6 thru 24

**7 a.m. to
7 p.m.**

SAT

JULY 11 & 18

**9 a.m. to
6 p.m.**

SUN

JULY 12 & 19

**12 p.m. to
5 p.m.**

ABSENTEE BALLOTS

NOW

Request an
Absentee
Ballot

JULY 17

Last Day to
Request an
Absentee
Ballot

JULY 28

by 7 p.m.

Last Day to
Return Completed
Absentee Ballot:
(must be received,
not postmarked)

Absentee ballots can be hand-delivered to the Voter Registration and Elections Office during operating hours or to any Early Voting location. Request an Absentee by Mail ballot now through July 17, visit dekalbvotes.com or call **404-298-4020**.

Election Day is July 28, 2026

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Check
Wait
Times

Congressional District 13 Special Election Runoff

EARLY VOTING

LOCATION

County Line Ellenwood Library*

4331 River Road, Ellenwood, GA 30294

*Drop Box Location

DATES AND TIMES

MON-FRI

AUG 17 thru 21

7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

ABSENTEE BALLOTS

NOW

Request an
Absentee
Ballot

AUG 14

Last Day to
Request an
Absentee
Ballot

AUG 25

by 7 p.m.

Last Day to
Return Completed
Absentee Ballot:
(must be received,
not postmarked)

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Election Day is Aug. 25, 2026

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Director's Report

June 23, 2026

Keisha L. Smith, MPA

Executive Director

Voter Registration and Elections (VRE)

Topic 1: General Operations Updates

- ❖ Registration Updates
 - Total number of Registered Voters as of June 22nd: **569,626**
 - Total number of Active Registered Voters: 497,141
 - Total number of Inactive Registered Voters: 72,485
 - Total applications left to be processed as of June 22nd: **12,963**
 - DDS: 8,026
 - OLVR: 515
 - MVP: 1,991
 - Handwritten: 2,431
 - Manual and GARViS Voter Registration Cancellations for 2026: **2,225**
 - ❖ Election Activities
- Notes:

Topic 2: Administrative/Finance Updates

- ❖ Personnel
 - ❖ Budget Activities
- Notes:

Topic 3: Stakeholder Engagement Updates

- ❖ Key Stakeholder Meetings
 - ❖ General Communications
- Notes:

**DEKALB COUNTY
VOTER REGISTRATION AND ELECTIONS (VRE)
BUDGET SUMMARY**

COST CENTER (All)

VRE BUDGET SUMMARY REPORT MAY 2026

COST CENTER PARENT	OBJECT CL/ OBJECT CODE	OBJECT CODE DESCRIPTION	BUDGET	REQUISITIONS	PURCHASE ORDERS	ACTUALS	AVAILABLE SUM			
02900	51	511101	SALARIES	\$2,462,177.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$860,875.66	\$1,601,301.34		
		511102	SALARIES - PART TIME	\$200,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$200,000.00		
		511200	SALARIES - TEMPORARY	\$4,000,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$422,485.17	\$3,577,514.83		
		511300	SALARIES - OVERTIME	\$200,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$70,841.56	\$129,158.44		
		512100	COUNTY MATCH - GROUP INSURANCE	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$123,126.84	-\$123,126.84		
		512101	COUNTY MATCH - GRP INS - REVERSAL	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	-\$124,332.00	\$124,332.00		
		512102	COUNTY MATCH - GRP INS - ALLOCATED	\$504,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$207,000.00	\$297,000.00		
		512200	COUNTY MATCH - FICA	\$185,493.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$94,687.16	\$90,805.84		
		512400	COUNTY MATCH - PENSION	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.14	-\$0.14		
		512402	401(a) EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION	\$68,291.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$24,954.80	\$43,336.20		
		512700	WORKERS COMPENSATION	\$51,871.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$21,613.00	\$30,258.00		
		512904	ALLOWANCE - AUTOMOBILE	\$6,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$6,000.00		
		51 Total			\$7,677,832.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,701,252.33	\$5,976,579.67	
		52		521101	BOARD MEMBER SERVICES	\$12,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5,000.00	\$7,000.00
				521104	TEMPORARY PERSONNEL SERVICES	\$2,786,272.66	\$0.00	\$120,371.46	\$178,805.73	\$2,487,095.47
				521105	SECURITY SERVICES	\$100,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$100,000.00
				521209	OTHER PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	\$773,300.26	\$0.00	\$416,487.22	\$194,035.53	\$162,777.51
				522201	MAINTENANCE & REPAIR SERVICES	\$175,000.00	\$0.00	\$17,597.15	\$9,933.28	\$147,469.57
				522311	RENTAL OF REAL ESTATE	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
522321	RENTAL OF EQUIPMENT			\$45,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$12,682.72	\$32,317.28		
522322	LEASE PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT			\$17,910.79	\$0.00	\$469.58	\$20,759.30	-\$3,318.09		
522329	OTHER RENTALS			\$147,800.94	\$0.00	\$17,188.02	\$4,669.59	\$125,943.33		
523201	POSTAGE			\$300,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$6,324.00	\$293,676.00		
523202	POSTAGE - CENTRAL SERVICES			\$27,552.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$27,552.00		
523204	TELEPHONE - LONG DISTANCE			\$1,101.63	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$111.87	\$989.76		
523206	INTERNET SERVICES			\$5,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5,000.00		
523207	TELEPHONE - WIRELESS			\$194,998.37	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$49,359.51	\$145,638.86		
523301	ADVERTISING SERVICES			\$1,100,000.00	\$0.00	\$685.00	\$6,731.39	\$1,092,583.61		
523401	PRINTING SERVICES			\$200,000.00	\$0.00	\$1,240.00	\$19,725.93	\$179,034.07		
523501	MILEAGE - PERSONAL VEHICLE			\$2,296.97	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$550.86	\$1,746.11		
523504	TRAVEL - ACCOMMODATIONS / HOTEL			\$25,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$6,372.26	\$18,627.74		
523505	TRAVEL - PER DIEM			\$12,000.00	\$0.00	\$341.25	\$1,324.04	\$10,334.71		
523601	DUES			\$5,200.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,800.00	\$3,400.00		
523701	TRAINING & CONFERENCE FEES - EXTERNAL	\$50,000.00	\$0.00	\$1,999.00	\$6,420.00	\$41,581.00				
523702	TRAINING & CONFERENCE FEES - INTERNAL	\$5,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$325.00	\$4,675.00				
523906	ELECTION EXPENSES	\$960,000.00	\$0.00	\$142,932.62	\$32,362.49	\$784,704.89				
52 Total			\$6,945,433.62	\$0.00	\$719,311.30	\$557,293.50	\$5,668,828.82			
53		531101	OPERATING SUPPLIES	\$683,309.94	\$0.00	\$92,054.60	\$137,541.80	\$453,713.54		
		531199	FREIGHT	\$5,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$15.03	\$4,984.97		
53 Total			\$688,309.94	\$0.00	\$92,054.60	\$137,556.83	\$458,698.51			
54		542201	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	\$43,381.10	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3,381.10	\$40,000.00		
		542202	COMPUTER SOFTWARE and TECHNOLOGY	\$63,727.34	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$34,552.34	\$29,175.00		
		542309	OTHER EQUIPMENT > \$5,000	\$5,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$772.23	\$4,227.77		
54 Total			\$112,108.44	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$38,705.67	\$73,402.77			
55		551104	VEHICLE MAINTENANCE CHARGE	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		
		551105	VEHICLE REPLACEMENT CHARGE	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		
		551107	VEHICLE INSURANCE CHARGE	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		
		551116	SANITATION SERVICE CHARGE	\$3,660.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3,660.00		
		551141	VEHICLE MAINT - FUEL	\$3,534.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,078.01	\$1,455.99		
		551142	VEHICLE MAINT - PREV MAINT	\$66.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$188.38	-\$122.38		
		551143	VEHICLE MAINT - REPAIRS	\$50.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2,893.53	-\$2,843.53		
551144	VEHICLE MAINT - OVERHEAD	\$9,957.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$4,149.00	\$5,808.00				
55 Total			\$17,267.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$9,308.92	\$7,958.08			
70		707009	COUNTY PENSION ALLOCATION	\$401,083.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$167,118.00	\$233,965.00		
70 Total			\$401,083.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$167,118.00	\$233,965.00			
Grand Total			\$15,842,034.00	\$0.00	\$811,365.90	\$2,611,235.25	\$12,419,432.85			

U.S. CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 13 VOTERS

THERE IS A **SPECIAL ELECTION**

REGISTRATION DEADLINE

JUNE 29

EARLY VOTING

JULY 6 – 24

County Line Ellenwood Library
4331 River Road, Ellenwood, GA 30294

ELECTION DAY

JULY 28

Polls open 7 a.m. – 7 p.m.
All Congressional District 13 precincts



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SPECIAL ELECTION DETAILS

- ▶ **Why is there a Special Election?** This Special Election fills a vacant seat immediately so Congressional District 13 (CD13) voters are not left without representation in Congress.
- ▶ **Who can vote in this election?** Only registered voters residing in CD13 are eligible to participate in this election.
- ▶ **Do I need to re-register?** No! If you are already registered at your current address in CD13, you are ready.
- ▶ **Can I vote early or by absentee?** Yes! Early voting is July 6–24. Request an absentee ballot by July 17, 2026. Voters who have already requested an absentee ballot for the 2026 Election Cycle must submit a new application for this election only.

WHY IS CD13 ON TWO BALLOTS?

Good question – here is the answer!

The **Special Election** fills the remainder of the unexpired term.

July 28, 2026 Special Election • Fills the unexpired term

November 3, 2026 General Election • Fills the next full term

CHECK YOUR REGISTRATION ▶

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ABSENTEE BALLOT ALERT!!

Your automatic absentee ballot delivery eligibility does **NOT** include the **July 28, 2026 - Congressional District 13 Special Election**. To vote by mail in the special election, you must submit a new application.

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