
The Primary Election is here.....



ACTIONS

ELECTIONS

Primary Election – Tuesday, June 26

Polls Open – 7:00 am – 8:00 pm

Make your voice heard – VOTE!!!!!!

The Primary Election determines who are the nominees from each party for the offices of Governor, Lt. Governor, Comptroller, Attorney General, US Senator, Representative in Congress, State Senate, State House of Delegates, County Executive, County Council, and State’s Attorney.

The following offices are nominated without respect to party affiliation: Clerk of the Circuit Court, Registrar of Wills, Judge of the Orphan's Court, Sheriff, and Board of Education.

To look up your polling place, click on this link:

<https://www.howardcountymd.gov/Departments/Board-of-Elections/Voter-Information/Polling-Locations>



As reported earlier, IndivisibleHoCoMD is endorsing the HoCo Forward slate for Democratic Central Committee. Please take a look at our [website](#) for bios and other information on these candidates.

PRIMARY ELECTION-DAY VOLUNTEER SIGN-UPS FOR HOCO FORWARD

The HoCo Forward slate for county's Democratic Central Committee very much appreciates IndivisibleHoCo members for volunteering your time and efforts to help them with canvassing & electioneering at early voting sites. Election Day is this Tuesday, June 26th and HoCo Forward will fan out to a variety of key polling places. They need your help one last time! You may sign up at the below link:

[Please complete this Google Form as soon as possible.](#)

HoCo Forward will be in contact with you soon with your poll location assignment. Thank you!

BoE CANDIDATE SURVEY

Candidates for the Board of Education are non-partisan, meaning that party affiliation is not listed on the ballot and candidates don't receive election support from parties. The Education Action Team has requested each candidate to complete a survey questionnaire to help educate voters on their positions and priorities. Visit the IndivisibleHoCoMD website [here](#) to read the nine responses. We have also posted information about the candidates including party affiliation [here](#).

IMMIGRATION

It has been a tumultuous week for immigrants seeking safety in the US. Indivisible encourages the following actions:

- **Get informed:** Make sure you know the ins-and-outs of Ryan's bill. That way, when you call your members of Congress (MoCs) this week, you know exactly why Ryan's bill is so harmful to immigrants in your communities. [Catch up on our resource on Ryan's anti-immigrant bill here.](#)
- **Make a call:** Call [1-844-909-0232](tel:1-844-909-0232), enter your zip code, and you'll be connected directly to your member of Congress. Make sure to share this number widely with your friends, family and even on social media! [Find our call script here so you're ready with the facts.](#)
- **Show up.** First, we're proud to support a national day of action Saturday, June 30 in Washington, DC, and dozens of cities across the country. [Sign up for your nearest #FamiliesBelongTogether event](#), or [plan to host one in your community.](#)

Howard County Immigration Rally on June 22

The Immigration Rights Action Team of IndivisibleHoCoMD organized a rally at the Gorman Road overpass to I-95 on Friday, June 22 to protest the actions of the administration to separate immigrant children from their parents at the

border. We stand with all people who believe this is cruel and unacceptable treatment of people at our borders.



Second HoCo Immigration Rally - June 29

We will hold another immigration rally on Friday, June 29, 2018 from 4:00 pm -7:00 pm at the Gorman Road Overpass to I-95. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to join us.

Families Belong Together – Rally in DC on June 30

Join National Domestic Workers Alliance, Leadership Conference on Civil and Human Rights, ACLU, MoveOn, and many others in rallies in Washington, D.C. and around the country to ensure the Trump administration and the GOP know that #FamiliesBelongTogether and the American people are calling to #EndFamilySeparation.

Sign up here: <https://act.moveon.org/event/families-belong-together/search/?refcode=g-families0620.d-20180620.m-11279.s-43913&s=0&source=dfa>

LET OUR LIGHT SHINE

We supported a postcard campaign for Eileen Higgins, a long-shot Democrat candidate for a Miami-Dade commission seat. She won! Higgins upset the favored Republican candidate in a vote of 53% to 47%. The Blue Wave is building! See full article here: <http://www.miamiherald.com/news/politics-government/election/article213376864.html>

Early Voting Stats in Howard County Mid-Term Elections

	<u>2014</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>Change</u>
Total Eligible Actives:			
Democrat	94,222	105,827	+11,605
Republican	56,213	55,329	- 884

Early Voting Turnout:

Democrat	7.4%	9.7%	+2.3%
Republican	3.3%	4.7%	+1.4%

Looks like Dems. are gaining ground in HoCo both in numbers and participation.

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