Early voting continues through November 2 for General Election

Early voting for the November 6, 2018, General Election continues through Friday, November 2, 2018, at the Coke County Courthouse in Robert Lee and Coke County has experienced an unusually high turnout.

As is often the case, all of the local races were decided in the March primary election. However this year's general election may be one of the most important elections yet on the national level. Each vote matters and this year's election seems to be a team sport with party — either Republican or Democrat - making more of a difference than in years past.

In the race for United States Senator, El Paso's US Representative Robert "Beto" O'Rourke, Democrat, is challenging incumbent Ted Cruz, Republican. Also on the ballot is the Libertarian candidate, Neal M. Dikeman.

In the US Representative Congressional District 11 election, Republican incumbent Mike Conaway is being challenged by Democrat JennieLou Leeder and Libertarian Rhett Rosenquest Smith.

Republican incumbent Greg Abbott is facing off against former Dallas County Sheriff Lupe Valdez, Democrat, and Libertarian Mark Jay Tippetts in the race for Governor of Texas.

Republican incumbent Dan Patrick is being challenged by Democrat Mike Collier and Libertarian Kerry Douglas McKennon in the election for Texas Lieutenant Governor.

In the election for Texas Attorney General, Republican incumbent Ken Paxton is being challenged by Democrat Justin Nelson and Libertarian Michael Ray Harris.

Republican incumbent Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts Glenn Hegar is being challenged by Democrat Joi Chevalier and Libertarian Ben Sanders.

Republican incumbent George P. Bush is being challenged by Democrat Miguel Suazo and Libertarian Matt Pina in the election for Commissioner of the General Land Office.

In the election for Texas Commissioner of Agriculture, Republican incumbent Sid Miller is being challenged by Democrat Kim Olson and Libertarian Richard Carpenter.

Republican incumbent Christi Craddick is being challenged by Democrat Roman McAllen and Libertarian Mike Write in the election for Texas Railroad Commissioner.

Several Judicial seats are also on the ballot. For Justice, Supreme Court, Place 2, Republican Jimmy Blacklock faces Democrat Steven Kirkland. Republican John Devine faces Democrat R. K. Sandill for Justice, Supreme Court, Place 4. For Justice, Supreme Court, Place 6, Republican Jeff Brown is facing Democrat Kathy Cheng. Republican Sharon Keller will face Democrat Maria T. (Terri) Jackson and Libertarian William Bryan Strange III for Presiding Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals. For Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 7, Republican Barbara Parker Hervey will face Democrat Ramona Franklin. For Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 8, Republican Michelle Slaughter will face Libertarian Mark Ash. Republican Cindy Olson Bourland will face



Town Hall Meeting! Congressman Mike Conaway made a stop in downtown Bronte on Monday, October 22, 2018, for a town hall meeting.

Democrat Edward Smith in the election for Justice, 3rd Court of Appeals District, Place 2. For Justice, 3rd Court of Appeals District, Place 3, Republican Scott Field will face Democrat Chari Kelly. For Justice, 3rd Court of Appeals District, Place 5, Republican David Puryear will face Democrat Thomas J. Baker. For Justice, 3rd Court of Appeals District, Place 6, Republican Michael "Mike" Toth will face Democrat Gisela D. Triana.

Republican incumbent Drew Darby, Texas State Representative District 72 is running unopposed. running unopposed are the following Republicans - Hal Spain for Coke County Judge, Monica Reyes for Coke County/District Clerk, Therese Emert for Coke County Treasurer, Paul Williams for Coke County Commissioner Precinct 2, Joe Sefcik for Coke County Commissioner Precinct 4, and Russell Johnson for Coke County Justice of the Peace.

Flu Shots available October 29

The Shannon Mobile Care Unit will be administering flu shots on Monday, October 29, from 9 am until noon, at the courthouse in Robert Lee. There is a charge for the shots and cash and checks will be accepted. If you are submitting to your insurance company, there is no charge and remember to bring your insurance card and identification.

This event is open to the public and everyone is encouraged to attend.

For more information, call morgan.runyan@ag.tamu.edu.

Shannon Mobile Care at 657-5743.

Sheep and Goat

Sheep and Goat Workshop Series set

The second in the Sheep and Goat workshop series will be held Tuesday, November 6, at the Robert Lee Rec Hall. Topics will include in/out of state resources, hair sheep and goats on small acreage, health protocol, new technologies, and rain insurance.

charge and remember to bring Registration begins at 8:30 am your insurance card and and the workshop will be held from identification. 9 am until 2 pm.

he For more information and to is RSVP, contact the Coke County Extension office at 453-2461 or all morgan.runyan@ag.tamu.edu.

Please **VOTE** in the upcoming General Election!

Regardless of whom you support, it is your continued interest and active participation in our electoral system that keeps our democracy strong.

Early voting continues through November 2 and Election Day is November 6.

Hal Spain

Republican Nominee for Coke County Judge

Pd. Pol. Adv. by Hal Spain, PO Box 975, Robert Lee, TX 76945

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80th Birthday!

Saturday, October 27, 2018

2 pm - 4 pm

Pecan Baptist Church
(12 miles west of Robert Lee on Highway 158)

Your presence is all the gift needed!

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29th Annual

Bob Wrinkle Memorial Hunters Barbecue

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