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Friday, March 2, 2018

Early Voting for Primary Election ends March 2

Early voting for the March 6, 2018, Primary Election began Tuesday, February 20, 2018, and will run through Friday, March 2, 2018. Those wishing to vote early can do so by going to the County Clerk's office at the County Courthouse in Robert

Polling locations for March 6 are as follows:

Precincts 1 and 3 - Coke County Courthouse, Commissioners' Courtroom, 13 E. 7th Street, Robert Lee:

Precincts 2 and 4 - First Baptist Church of Bronte Fellowship Hall, 424 S. Washington, Bronte.

Offices up for election in Coke

currently held by Roy Blair; County Treasurer, currently held by Hal Spain; Justice of the Peace, currently held by Jackie Walker; County/District Clerk, currently held by Mary Grim; Commissioner Precincts 2, currently held by Paul Williams; and Commissioner Precinct 4, currently held by Joe Sefcik.

As of the filing deadline, below are the candidates that have filed for a place on the ballot. Hal Spain, current County Treasurer and former owner/publisher of Observer/Enterprise, has filed for County Judge and will be joined on the ballot for by Sherry Davidson. Therese Emert has filed for County Treasurer. Emert is a retired Verizon Sourcing Manager. County include County Judge, Russell Johnson filed for Justice

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Monday, March 5

Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting, 6 pm, First Baptist Church, Bronte

Bronte Evening Lions Club Meeting, 7 pm, First United Methodist Church, Bronte

> High School Golf -Bronte Girls at Robert Lee Blackwell Girls and Robert Lee

Tuesday, March 6

Primary Election Day

Robert Lee - Silver Lions Club Meeting, 6:30 am, Old Jail Annex, Robert Lee

> Red Hat Society Meeting, 11 am, First Baptist Church, Ballinger

District One Act Play Contest, Sterling City

Irion County JV Tennis Tournament, Mertzon

High School Golf -Bronte Boys at Robert Lee Blackwell Boys at Robert Lee

Thursday, March 8

Junior High Track -Rasco Memorial Ribbon Relays, Robert Lee (Bronte, Robert Lee, Blackwell)

Friday, March 9

High School Track -Rasco Memorial Relays, Robert Lee (Bronte, Robert Lee, Blackwell)

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of the Peace, as well as incumbent Jackie Johnson is currently serving as a deputy with the Coke County Sheriff's Office. Monica Reyes has filed for County/District Reyes is currently a deputy in the Clerk's Office. Three men have filed for Commissioner Precinct Henry Chisholm, Robert Feil, and incumbent Paul Williams. Chisholm is a retired law enforcement officer and Feil previously Commissioner Precinct 2 in years past. Joe Sefcik has filed for re-election as Commissioner Precinct 4.

Ballot set for May 5 local election

The ballot is set for the May 5, 2018, local government entity elections. As of press time, candidates are still able to withdraw their applications.

The City of Robert Lee will hold an election for the position of mayor and for three council members. The offices are currently held by Mayor Leroy Casey and council member Shaunna Grantham. Also open the council member

positions formerly held by Toni Brandi Brosh, Ricky Green, and election. Casey Scruggs have all filed for seats on the Council.

currently held by Mayor Gerald filed for re-election. Sandusky and council members Gohman. Buzz Gohman has filed for the mayor's postion, Donna Hall, filing for places on the council.

Bronte ISD will hold an election to elect three members to the Board of Trustees. These are three year terms currently held by Ashley Braswell, David McWright, and Blake Braswell. Braswell, McWright, and Ashley Braswell have filed for re-election. Bill Torres, Chris Jernigan, TJ McCullough, and Walt Smith have also filed for a place on the

Robert Lee ISD will also hold Rainwater and Joe Longoria. an election to elect three Leroy Casey has filed for re- members to the Board of election as mayor and will be Trustees. These are three year joined on the ballot by Allyson terms currently held by George Crenshaw and Shell Williams. Grim, Tom Sawyer, Jr., and Wes Billy Williams, Nora Broadbent, Washam and all have filed for re-

West Coke County Hospital District has three two year terms The City of Bronte has terms expiring for their Board of expiring for mayor and two Trustees. The terms of Pat council positions. These are two Stephens, Pat Carwile and Sarah year terms. The offices are Green are expiring and all have

East Coke County Hospital Wade Stautzenberger and Paul District Board of Trustees has three two year terms expiring. These offices are currently held Lee by Howard Baker, Lanette Wommack, and Steve Hines Fletcher, and Everett Bedford. All incumbents have filed for reelection.

Robert Lee 'Meet the Candidates' event slated for March 26

A 'Meet the Candidates' event will be held Monday, March 26, at 6:30 pm. It will be held at the Family Life Center of First United Methodist Church in Robert Lee. This will be your chance to meet and speak with the candidates for Robert Lee Mayor and City Council.