

## BOARD OF ELECTIONS AND VOTER REGISTRATION

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## NOTICE TO ROCKDALE VOTERS EARLY OPENING AND SCANNING OF ABSENTEE BALLOTS PRIOR TO ELECTION DAY GENERAL PRIMARY AND NONPARTISAN ELECTION TO BE HELD MAY 21, 2024

Pursuant to O.C.G.A. 21-2-386(a)(2)(A) and State Election Board Rule 183-1-14-0.7-15 you are hereby notified that it is the intent of the Rockdale County Board of Elections to begin the opening and scanning of paper absentee ballots cast during the May 21, 2024 General Primary and Nonpartisan Election as follows:

	<u>DATES</u>	<u>TIMES</u>
OPENING SCHEDULE	May 13, 2024 May 16, 2024 May 20, 2024 May 21, 2024 (Election Day) May 24, 2024	10:00 AM – 12:00 PM (Noon) 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM (Noon) 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM (Noon) 3:00 PM – Until all ballots are Opened 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM
SCANNING SCHEDULE	DATES  May 13, 2024  May 16, 2024  May 20, 2024  May 21, 2024 (Election Day)  May 24, 2024	TIMES  1:00 PM 1:00 PM 1:00 PM 4:00 PM – Until all ballots are Opened 2:00 PM – 3:00 PM

**LOCATION:** Board of Elections Office, 1115 West Avenue, SW, Conyers, GA 30012.

This process will continue until all accepted absentee ballots have been processed. The early opening and scanning of absentee ballots before the closing of the polls shall be a controlled process to maintain the secrecy of all ballots and to protect against the collection or disclosure of any balloting information before the close of the polls at 7:00 P.M. on Election Day. In addition, the results of the processed absentee ballots will not be announced before 7:00 p.m. on Election Day.

For additional information you may contact the Board of Elections Office at (770) 278-7333.

This 16TH day of April, 2024

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