

WANTED POLL WORKERS FOR 2014 ELECTIONS

The Saunders County Clerk's office must appoint an election board to serve as Judges and Clerks in each voting precinct on Election Day. **Good pollworkers are a real asset!**

We are currently looking for recruits

As per Nebraska State Statute 32-231: Judge and Clerk of election; qualifications; term; duties.

1. Be of good repute and character and able to read and write the English language.
2. Reside in the precinct in which he or she is to serve unless necessity demands that personnel be appointed from another precinct.
3. Be a registered voter except as otherwise provided in 32-230 (7).
4. Serve for a term of two years or until judges and clerks of election are appointed for the next primary election.
5. No candidate at an election shall be eligible to serve at the same election other than a candidate for delegate.
6. As per 32-230 (7) the county clerk may appoint a person who is at least sixteen (16) years old but is not eligible to register to vote, may be appointed as a clerk of election. Such clerk of election shall meet the requirements of subsection (1) of section 32-231, except that such clerk shall not be required to be a registered voter. No more than one clerk (sixteen year old) shall serve at any precinct. The clerk of election appointed under this subsection shall be considered a registered voter who is not affiliated with a political party for purposes of this section.

Hours worked at a poll on Election Day are from **7:00 a.m.** until the polls close at **8:00 p.m.**

Primary Election – May 13, 2014
General Election – November 4, 2014

Should you be appointed to serve as a poll worker, you will be required to attend a training class prior to the election. You will be paid for each election you work.

If you are interested in becoming a poll worker, you can stop by the Saunders County Clerk's office, 3rd Floor of the Courthouse, 433 N Chestnut Street, Suite 300, Wahoo to obtain an application – or you may complete the Application provided herein and mail or drop off at the address listed above.

If you have any questions please call the County Clerk's office at (402) 443-8101.

Patti J. Lindgren
Saunders County Clerk/Election Commissioner

POLL WORKER APPLICATION
for Saunders County

APPLICANT'S NAME:

Last _____ First _____ Initial _____

Address: _____, _____, _____
(Street and/or P.O. Box) (City) (Zip)

Phone # _____ Email _____

Poll Worker Duties:

1. Set-up the polling place
2. Check voters in and verify they are a registered voter of the voting precinct
3. Have the voter sign the precinct voter roster
4. Direct the voter to the ballot table
5. Issue the appropriate ballot(s) to the voter
6. Receiving the voted ballot(s) and placing them in the ballot box
7. Issue "I Voted" Stickers
8. Taking down and cleaning up the polling place at the end of the day

Have you ever worked as a poll worker? Yes _____ No _____

All Pollworkers are required to attend an election training class – this class is approximately (3) hours.

Pollworkers are to report to the polls at 7:00 a.m. and work until closing at 8:00 p.m. - making this approximately a 13-hour to 14-hour day. Are you willing to work these hours? Yes _____ No _____

Pollworkers can work a split shift – 7:00 a.m. to noon/1:00 p.m. **or** Noon/1:00 p.m. to close.

Would you be willing to work a split shift? Yes _____ No _____

What hours would you prefer? _____

Would you be willing to work a poll other than your own? Yes _____ No _____

Applicant's Signature

Date

EMPLOYER'S STATEMENT: Saunders County adheres to the Equal Opportunity Employment Guidelines set forth by State and Federal laws. The information contained on this form is sought in good faith and will not be used in any way to discriminate against any applicant on the basis of race, religion, national or ethnic origin, marital status, age, handicap, and sex or veterans background.

*******FOR OFFICE USE ONLY*******

Comments: _____

Precinct: _____ Party affiliation: _____ Processed by _____