

Press Release  
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“Cameron County Extends Early Voting hours and opens new locations on Sunday”

Brownsville, TX-The Cameron County Commissioners Court met Friday, October 26, 2018, and decided to extend early voting opportunities for voters for this General Election. They have opened four additional locations on Sunday, October 28, 2018, including the Brownsville Public Library, the Harlingen County Annex, the San Benito Community Building and the Port Isabel City Hall. These locations will be open from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm.

They have also extended voting hours an additional hour from Monday, October 29<sup>th</sup> to Friday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018. With the exception of locations already scheduled to have extended hours on a specific day, all early voting locations will be open 9:00 am to 7:00 pm. The Main Office in Brownsville will be open from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm all week long and the locations in Port Isabel, Los Fresnos and La Feria will be open from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm on Thursday, November 1<sup>st</sup> and Friday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>.

This election has what is called True Early Voting, meaning that a voter can cast a ballot for every election the county is administering at any Early Voting Site. Regardless of Precinct or Jurisdiction a voter can choose to vote in any election in which they are eligible.

Remi Garza, Elections Administrator stated, “The Commissioners Court responded to the historic turnout and took action to make sure everyone had a chance to vote who wanted to take advantage of Early Voting. The Republican and Democratic Party chairs supported the Court’s decision and expressed the need for additional polling hours. We ask the public to contact our office if they want to find out an early voting location near where they live, shop or work. In the alternative they can access our website 24 hours a day at [co.cameron.tx.us/Elections/](http://co.cameron.tx.us/Elections/). We are excited at the level of participation so far and want to make sure that anyone who wants to vote early can. Voting early gives the voters choice and the time to vote at their convenience.”

Attached is a list for locations and the changes are highlighted in yellow.

For additional information, please contact the Cameron County Elections Office at 956-544-0809 or via email at [elections@co.cameron.tx.us](mailto:elections@co.cameron.tx.us).