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# News Release

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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## Help register Travis County's eligible voters by becoming a Volunteer Deputy Registrar

AUSTIN – It's time to become a Volunteer Deputy Registrar, qualifying you to register voters in Travis County for the May 6, 2017 General Election. The deadline to register to vote is Thursday, April 6, 2017.

Volunteer Deputy Registrars help citizens register to vote, promote voter registration at community events and within social networks, distribute voter registration applications and confirm that applications are completed correctly, issue an official receipt as proof of registration, and deliver applications to the Voter Registrar within five days of completion.

To volunteer, you must be age 18 or older and attend a one-hour training session. Trainings are held the first Tuesday of each month.

Training opportunities:

**Tuesday, April 4, 2017** – 10:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m. or 6:30 p.m.

Travis County Tax Office, 5501 Airport Blvd., Austin, TX 78751

Registration for this event is not required.

For more information, please visit [www.TravisCountyTax.org](http://www.TravisCountyTax.org) or call (512) 854-9473. Follow the tax office on Facebook for all the latest voter registration news, including training dates, [www.facebook.com/TravisCountyTaxOffice](https://www.facebook.com/TravisCountyTaxOffice).

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The **Travis County Tax Office** annually collects more than \$3 billion in local property taxes for 112 local government entities and \$4 million in fines and fees for Justice of the Peace and County Courts at Law. The office registers and titles almost 1 million vehicles, registers over 700,000 voters, and supports elections for 201 local government entities. The Tax Office operates five locations in Travis County and many services are available online.