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

AUSTIN – 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.

Becoming a deputy registrar allows you to help the tax office register 90 percent of the county's eligible voters by the 2016 Presidential Election. Currently, the tax office needs to register approximately 24,000 county residents to reach that goal.

Training opportunities:

Tuesday, July 5, 2016 – 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.

Saturday, July 9, 2016 – 10 a.m.

First Unitarian Universalist Church of Austin, 4700 Grover Ave., Austin, TX 78756

Registration for this event is requested at <https://goo.gl/R1MYmQ>.

For more information, please visit 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.

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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 650,000 voters, and supports elections for 201 local government entities. The Tax Office operates five locations in Travis County and many services are available online.