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## ***REQUEST YOUR BALLOT FOR THE PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE ELECTION!***

Pima County Recorder F. Ann Rodriguez would like to remind voters that requests are now being taken for early ballots by mail for the February 5, 2008 Presidential Preference Election. Any voter registered under the Democratic or Republican parties may request a ballot. Anyone who wishes to participate in the February 5, 2008 Presidential Preference Election **must** be registered with the same political party affiliation of the Presidential candidate they wish to vote for, in accordance with A.R.S. §16-241(A). Early ballot requests will be taken until 5:00 p.m. on January 25, 2008.

If anyone is currently registered to vote as an Independent, No Party Designated, or any party other than Democratic or Republican, and wants to participate in the upcoming February 5, 2008 Presidential Preference Election, *that voter will have to re-register for the political party affiliation of the candidate that they wish to vote for.* They need to change their registration no later than midnight on Monday, January 7, 2008.

There are 3 reasons a person must re-register to vote:

✓ Name Change

✓ Address Change

✓ Political Party Change

Re-registering can be done simply by completing a new voter registration form. For additional information, visit the Recorder's website at [www.recorder.pima.gov](http://www.recorder.pima.gov). Voters with an Arizona driver's license or Motor Vehicle Division identification card issued after October 1, 1996 may register online at the MVD voter registration site at [www.servicearizona.com](http://www.servicearizona.com).

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