Election Judge Qualifications

- Be a citizen of the United States.
- Be a resident of and registered voter in DeKalb County.
- Be of good repute and character.
- Be able to speak, read and write the English language.
- Be skilled in the four fundamentals of arithmetic.
- Be of good understanding and capable of performing the duties.
- Not be a candidate for any office in the election, and not be a Precinct Committeeperson.
- Each Election Judge is required to declare their party preferences.

Duties

Register Voters for Election Day Registration

To open and close the polls.

Be responsible for all election materials.

Ensure that only qualified voters are permitted to vote.

Ensure that all votes are cast in secret.

To give instructions in the method of voting.

To give assistance to voters when asked, or needed.

To maintain order in the polling place.

To tally the Write-in votes after the polls close.

To certify the election result.

Carry out duties, with all judges, in equal authority.

Base pay for an Election Judge is $110.00, add $40.00 after attending qualifying training. A Judge is reimbursed for picking up supplies, returning supplies and for working outside of their home Township. A Judge is also reimbursed for the mileage to the Counting Center at the end of the Election, if their vehicle is used, (one car per Precinct).

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