We are living in a time when the whole country is crying out for change. People are taking to the streets to demand reforms that are long overdue. That direct action is necessary, important, and exciting. But we must also direct that energy toward voting. The ballot booth is another opportunity to make sure our demands are met and that we end the evil of systemic racism in Louisiana and across the country. Every election matters, which is why it’s crucial that we all make our voices heard in the upcoming July 11 elections.

Your VOICE matters.
You have POWER.
Your VOTE counts.

The Power Coalition for Equity and Justice works to build power and voice in traditionally disenfranchised communities across Louisiana. We are a coalition of groups whose mission is to organize in impacted communities, educate and turn out voters, and fight for policies that create a more equitable and just system in our state.

Having Problems Voting?
Call 1-866-OUR-VOTE

To find your polling locations & district visit: PowerCoalition.org

During the current public health emergency, the state has allowed five more reasons for requesting an absentee ballot:

1. At higher risk of severe illness from COVID-19 due to serious underlying medical conditions
2. Subject to a medically necessary quarantine or isolation order as a result of COVID-19
3. Advised by a health care provider to self-quarantine due to COVID-19 concerns
4. Experiencing symptoms of COVID-19 and seeking a medical diagnosis
5. Caring for an individual who is subject to a medically necessary quarantine or isolation order as a result of COVID-19 or who has been advised by a health care provider to self-quarantine due to COVID-19 concerns

You can find the COVID-19 Emergency Absentee Election Ballot at geauxvote.com

Election Day
July 11, 2020
Polls are open
7:00 AM - 8:00 PM

Early Voting
June 20-July 4
Polls are open
8:30 AM - 6:00 PM, except Sunday, June 21

June 10
In person or by mail registration

June 20
Online voter registration

July 7
Last day to request a mail ballot

Register to Vote Here

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EAST BATON ROUGE PARISH

SAMPLE BALLOT

Presidential Nominee
Democratic Candidate
☑️ Joseph R. Biden
☑️ Tulsi Gabbard (withdrawn from race)
☑️ Bernie Sanders (withdrawn from race)

Presidential Nominee
Republican Candidate
☐ Roque “Rocky” De La Fuente
☐ “Bob” Ely
☐ Matthew John Matern
☐ Donald J. Trump
☐ Bill Weld

District Judge--19th Judicial District Court, ES 2, Division M.
District court judges make important decisions in civil and criminal cases (mainly felonies and property-related matters) that impact not only the parties who appear in court for specific cases, but also the community at large. They also handle appeals of criminal cases tried by city, municipal, and traffic courts (with a few exceptions).

☐ Yvette Alexander (D, Black, Female)
☐ Tiffany Foxworth (D, Black, Female)
☐ Eboni Johnson-Rose (D, Black, Female)
☐ Jennifer Moisant (D, Black, Female)

City Judge--City Court, Division C, City of Baton Rouge
Baton Rouge City Court Judges preside over civil, criminal, and traffic matters. They oversee civil claims that include, but are not limited to, personal injury, contract, and landlord-tenant cases up to $35,000, as well as small-claims cases of $5,000 or less. They oversee criminal cases that include misdemeanors that are generally punishable by a fine of not more than $1,000 and/or a jail term of not more than six months.

☐ “Greg” Cook (D, Black, Male)
☐ Donald Dobbins (D, Black, Male)
☐ Whitney Higginbotham Greene (R, White, Female)
☐ Jonathan Holloway, Sr. (D, Black, Male)
☐ Johnell Matthews (D, Black, Female)

Mayor--City of Baker
☐ Joyce Burges (D, Black, Female)
☐ Leroy Davis (D, Black, Male)
☐ Darnell “DA-1” Waites (D, Black, Male)

Chief of Police--City of Baker
☐ Willie Brooks (D, Black, Male)
☐ Carl Dunn (D, Black, Male)
☐ Louis Hamilton II (D, Black, Male)

Councilman--District 2, City of Baker
☐ Rochelle Dunn (D, Black, Female)
☐ “Pete” Heine (D, White, Male)

Councilman--District 3, City of Baker
☐ Glenda Bryant (D, Black, Female)
☐ Eric Burges (D, Black, Male)

Councilman--District 4, City of Baker
☐ Doris T. Alexander (D, Black, Female)
☐ Antonia Renee Caine (D, Black, Female)
☐ Robert Young (D, Black, Male)

Councilman--District 5, City of Baker
☐ Brenda G. Jackson (D, Black, Female)
☐ Alice Sanders (D, Black, Female)

Ballot Question: PW Law Enforcement District--3.73 Mills Renewal, Sheriff, 10 yrs
Shall the Law Enforcement District of the Parish of East Baton Rouge continue to levy and collect a special tax of 3.73 mills on the dollar of assessed valuation of all property subject to taxation within the boundaries of the Parish (an estimated $16,386,290 for an entire year) for 10 years from 2021-2030, with the proceeds to be used for operational purposes of the District?
☐ Yes ☐ No

Parish Executive Committees (PEC)
• Democratic and Republican Parish Executive Committee (DPEC and RPEC) seats will be on the ballot.
• These committees are generally responsible for Democratic and Republican party affairs at the local level, under the jurisdiction of the State Central Committees (DSCC and RSCC).
• PEC members are responsible for deciding which local candidates to endorse and for building local party infrastructure.
• PEC seats are allocated by districts within a parish that correlate with Parish and/or City Council seats, as well as at-large positions.
• You must be registered by party to vote for a PEC seat.

Democratic State Central Committee (DSCC)
• The DSCC is the governing body for the Democratic Party of Louisiana and has sole responsibility for the affairs of the Louisiana Democratic Party.
• DSCC members help elect Democratic candidates in local, state, and national elections, and conduct the Democratic National Committee delegate selection process.
• DSCC members promote and build the state party, fundraise, conduct research on judicial or executive issues, and maintain voter relations, education, and leadership programs.
• DSCC seats are allocated by State House Districts, with an ‘A’ and ‘B’ seat for each of those districts.

Republican State Central Committee elections will not be on the ballot for the July 11 election.

This sample ballot is provided as a convenience to voters by the Power Coalition. Please use for preparation for voting.