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IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR THE APRIL 4, 2017 CONSOLIDATED ELECTION

Joliet Township Clerk, Beth Ann May, today announced important information for the April 4, 2017 township election.

For established party candidates who will be running in the **primary on February 28, 2017** the petition circulation began on August 30, 2016. The filing period is November 21, 2016-November 28, 2016.

For those participating in the election by way of a **Township Caucus**, it is scheduled to be held on December 6, 2016. The township central committee of each political party is in charge of and runs the caucus.

If you are running under a “**new party**” or as an “**independent candidate**”, the petition circulation begins on September 20, 2016.

The Township Clerk serves as the local election official for the township and in such capacity accepts the filings of nomination papers. The filing period for the township election to be held on April 4, 2017 is December 12, 2016 through December 19, 2016.

Additional information can be obtained by contacting the Township Clerk, 175 W. Jefferson Street, Joliet, Illinois; clerk@joliettownship.net or 815-726-5239. The Office of the Township Clerk is open Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. to noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.