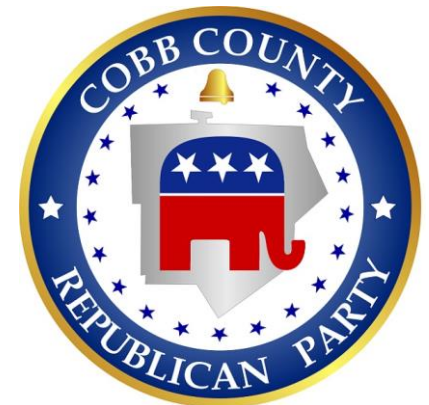


House District 45 Special Election – Jungle Primary

What You Need to Know!



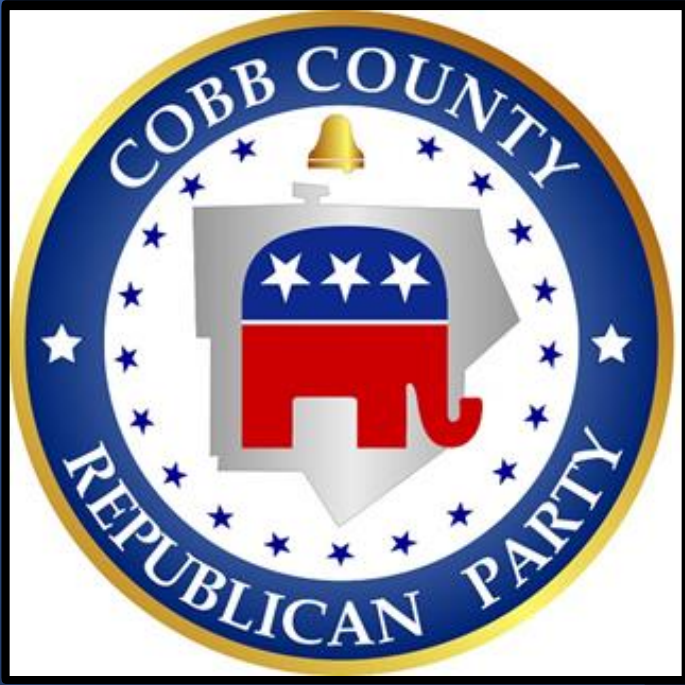
Candidates Running for Special Election

Republican

- Pamela Alayon
- Mitchell Kaye
- Darryl Wilson

Democrat

- Dustin McCormick



HD 45 Special Election Calendar

- **Monday, March 7** – Last Day to Register Voters
- **Monday, March 14** - Advance / Absentee Voting Begins – Main Election Office (736 Whitlock Ave) & Cobb Govt. Center (4400 Lower Roswell Rd)
- **Friday, March 25** – Last Day to Request Absentee Ballots
- **Friday, April 1** – Advance Voting Ends
- **Tuesday, April 5** - Special Election DAY – In Person Voting – Regular Polling Place
- **Tuesday, April 12** – Advance Voting for Run-Off Begins (*Subject to change*)
- **Tuesday, May 3** – Run-Off Election

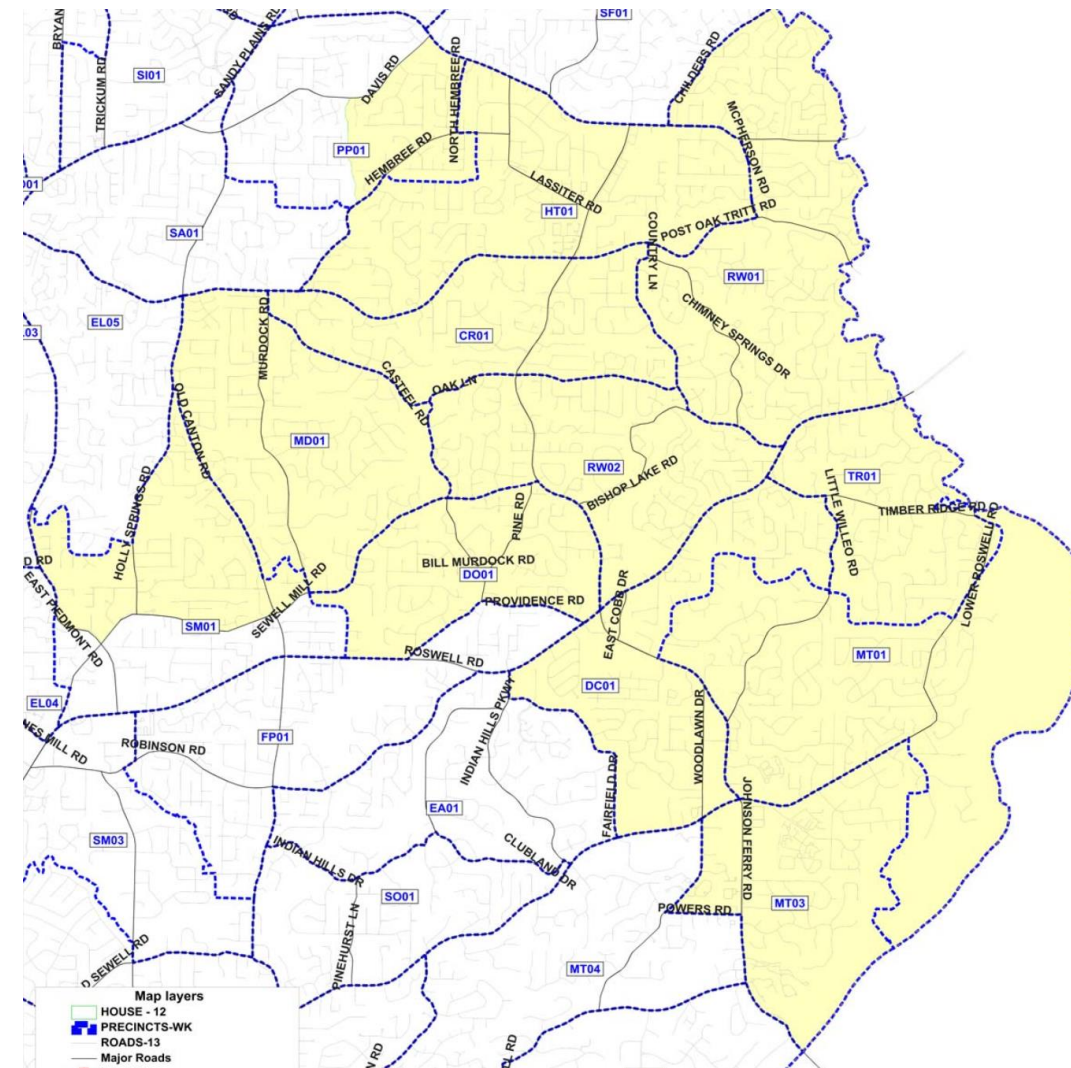
Why a Special Election Right Before the Primaries?

- **Feb 1** - Matt Dollar, State House Rep. for District 45, announces **resignation**
- **Feb 11** - Gov Kemp issued a **writ of election** to the SoS for a special election to be held on **April 5**
- The elected candidate will serve the remainder of Matt Dollar's **term** which **ends January 2023**
- Accordingly, the **Special Election** is for the **OLD HD 45** (*Precincts in HD 45 prior to redistricting*) which comprises **12 precincts** (*2 partial*)
- The **New HD 45** seat will be filled via the **regularly scheduled 2022 elections**
 - Primaries – Election Day - **May 24**
 - General Election – **November 8**

Old HD 45 Special Election Precincts

1. Chestnut Ridge 01
2. Dickerson 01
3. Dodgen 01
4. Hightower 01
5. Murdock 01
6. Mt. Bethel 01
7. Mt. Bethel 03
8. Pope 01*
9. Roswell 01
10. Roswell 02
11. Sewell Mill 01*
12. Timber Ridge 01

* Does not include entire precinct



What is a Jungle Primary?

- A Jungle Primary, Special Election is **All Parties On the Same Ballot**
- **To Win - Candidate must get 50% Plus 1 Additional Vote**
- If No Candidate Receives 50% + 1, The **TOP 2** Candidates **Go to RUN-Off**
- Run-Off CAN be 2 Candidates From the Same Party
- Our Goal is a Win on April 5th to avoid a Run-Off

Grassroots Volunteers

- Precinct Chairs Responsible for Volunteers
 - Assign Block Captains to each area
 - Recruit volunteers from each block for ground game
- Get Out the Vote (GOTV)
 - Canvassing – Door Knocking
 - Calling
 - Sign-waving
 - Targeted text reminders
- Objectives
 - Inform Republican voters of the special election
 - Ask that they vote Republican
 - Provide election information – locations, dates, hours
 - Begin building relationships & expand our voting and volunteer base

Canvassing Tips

- Go in pairs / coordinate as a group
- Best time to go - weekdays, weekends, noon-6pm
- Set Goals - Total Number & Daily Goal of Houses to Hit
- Always be Polite
- Don't Engage in Political Debate
- In Contested Primary You Can't Recommend Candidate
 - Ask Them to VOTE Republican
- If Home has NO SOLICITING Sign, Keep Walking
 - By Law –Canvassing Allowed Even if Sign Posted For Neighborhood
- Always Ask Voter to Volunteer
- Do NOT Put Card Inside Mailbox - Slide in Door
- If Homeowner Different from i360- Make Note that Voter has Moved
 - Ask New Homeowner if they are Registered to Vote

Poll Watching & Training

- Advance Voting – March 14 thru April 1
 - 2 locations
 - Main Office – 736 Whitlock Ave. (subject to change)
 - East Cobb Government Center – 4400 Lower Roswell Rd.
 - Weekdays – 7am to 7pm (shifts are additional hours)
 - 2 Saturdays – 9am to 5pm
 - 2 shifts per day
 - 1 poll watcher per shift
- Election Day
 - 12 precincts - 7am to 7pm (*shifts are additional hours*)
 - 2 shifts
 - 1 poll watcher per shift
- Training
 - 1st week of March
 - Onsite, online, and self paced videos
 - SB202, election processes & voting equipment
 - Handouts

How to Volunteer?

- New volunteers – Poll Watchers and Grassroots <https://cobbcountyrepublicanparty.wildapricot.org/page-18206>
- HD45 volunteers - Sign-Up Genius link will be emailed
- Activities with no dates or times
 - Scheduled events will be emailed to all volunteers
 - Door knocking and calling - Can do on own time
 - Email will be sent for scheduled group activities