

NEWS RELEASE:

Early voting by personal appearance for the Constitutional Amendment Election to be held November 8, 2011 will begin on Monday, October 24, 2011 and continue through Friday, November 4, 2011. Voting will be conducted at 602 East Concho, Rockport, Texas (corner of Concho and Ann Streets). Voting hours will be from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Additional early voting by personal appearance will be held on Saturday, October 29, 2011 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the same location.

Any qualified voter is eligible to vote early by personal appearance. Qualified voters who are eligible to vote early by mail include voters 65 years of age or older, disabled voters, voters confined in jail, and voters who expect to be absent from the county of their residence on election day and during the regular hours for conducting early voting. Applications for ballots by mail may be received between September 9 and November 1, 2011. No applications may be accepted after this deadline. After early voting has started, an application for a ballot by mail cannot be "hand delivered"; it must be mailed or faxed (new law). Only the voter may hand deliver his/her application before early voting begins. An application for a ballot by mail may be downloaded from the County's web site [www.aransascounty.org](http://www.aransascounty.org) by clicking on Departments, County Clerk, Information (takes you to Secretary of State website) and printing. The application may be faxed to (361) 790-0119 or mailed to Early Voting Clerk, 301 N. Live Oak, Rockport, TX 78382. Please call (361) 790-0122 for information and/or assistance. Voter registration questions may be directed to (361) 729-7431.