



## Forsyth County Voter Registrations and Elections

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### Public Notice of Voting Precinct and Polling Place Changes

The Forsyth County Board of Voter Registrations and Elections (BRE) voted in their January 6, 2026 regular monthly meeting to propose a change to the boundaries of certain voting precincts. Pursuant to O.C.G.A. §21-2-262(d), the Forsyth County Board of Commissioners will vote whether to approve and adopt the proposal of the Forsyth County Board of Voter Registrations and Elections to change the boundaries of those voting precincts. The Forsyth County Board of Commissioners discussed the changes at its work session on January 27, 2026 with a final vote to adopt the precinct boundary line changes scheduled for their regular meeting on Thursday, March 5, 2026.

Any person objecting to any of the proposed precinct boundary line changes must file his or her objection prior to March 5, 2026 with Forsyth County Administration, 110 East Main Street, Suite 210, Cumming, GA 30040.

Any person with questions regarding these proposed changes may contact Mandi Smith, Director, Forsyth County Voter Registrations & Elections at 770-781-2118 ext. 9 or [Voter@forsythco.com](mailto:Voter@forsythco.com). An electronic form is available online at [www.forsythco.com/vote](http://www.forsythco.com/vote) to submit comments. All comments submitted electronically must be submitted no later than 12:00 p.m. (noon) on Wednesday, March 4, 2026.

A proposed precinct boundary map with polling places noted is currently on display in the Voter Registrations & Elections Office, 1201 Sawnee Drive, Cumming, GA 30040. Additionally, the map can be accessed online at [www.forsythco.com/vote](http://www.forsythco.com/vote). Interested citizens are encouraged and invited to view the map at the office and/or online. The available map illustrates the current precinct configurations and polling places as well as the proposed modified precinct configurations and proposed polling places.

If approved, the proposed changes will result in the addition of one Election Day precinct and polling place for a total of 30 Election Day precincts and polling places and will be in effect starting with the 2026 election cycle. Pursuant to O.C.G.A. 21-2-262 (c) and O.C.G.A. 21-2-265 (a), the proposed precinct and polling place changes are listed as follows.

**Matt Precinct (53):** This is a proposed new Election Day precinct and polling place. The proposed precinct lines are as follows: from Govan Road at the County line in the northwest; south on Govan Road to Bannister Road; Bannister Road south to Matt Highway; and then following the current precinct line from Matt Highway west to Dr. Bramblett Road; Dr. Bramblett Road southwest to the existing precinct line following the Census Block 2001 near Settingdown Creek at Tax Parcel 120 010; following the Census Block along Settingdown Creek southeast to John

Burruss Road at Tax Parcel 121 146; John Burruss Road south to Hendrix Road; Hendrix Road northeast to Matt Highway; Matt Highway northwest to Census Block 2008 along Settingdown Creek at Tax Parcel 145 326; following the Census Block / Settingdown Creek northeast to Oak Grove Circle at Tax Parcel 188 001; Oak Grove Circle southeast to Dahlonga Highway; Dahlonga Highway northwest to Alan Thomas Road near the County line; north on Alan Thomas Road to the County line. The creation of this new precinct will result in a portion of voters who are currently assigned to vote in the Matt (51) precinct and a portion of voters who are currently assigned to vote in the Otwell (16) precinct being reassigned to the proposed Matt (53) precinct. The polling place for the proposed new Matt (53) precinct will be the Matt Schoolhouse Community Building located at 5710 Namon Wallace Road, Cumming, 30028.

**Hightower Precinct (52):** This is a proposed renaming of the current Matt (51) precinct and adjustment of the eastern precinct boundary lines of the current Matt (51) precinct to allow for the creation of a new precinct. The proposed change modifies the eastern boundary lines of the current Matt (51) precinct as follows: from Govan Road at the County line in the northwest; south on Govan Road to Bannister Road; Bannister Road south to Matt Highway; Matt Highway west to Dr. Bramblett Road; Dr. Bramblett Road south to the Census Block 3000 following Settingdown Creek starting at Tax Parcel 095 006; and then continuing to follow the current precinct line with precinct Heardsville (15) to the western County line. The polling place for the Hightower (52) precinct remains Hope Fellowship located at 6230 Matt Highway, Cumming, 30028. The proposed changes will result in the portion of voters assigned east of Bannister Road to be reassigned to the proposed Matt (53) precinct. The polling place for the Hightower (52) precinct remains Hope Fellowship located at 6230 Matt Highway, Cumming, 30028.

**Otwell (16):** This is a proposed adjustment of the northern precinct boundary lines of the current Otwell (16) Election Day precinct to allow for the creation of a new precinct. The proposed change modifies the upper northwest boundary line as follows: from Matt Highway at Hendrix Road; Hendrix Road southwest to John Burruss Road; and then following the current precinct line from John Burruss Road south and following the current precinct boundary lines with precincts Mountainside (45), Sawmill Branch (46), Lakeland (43), Cumming (07), Browns Bridge (50), and Coal Mountain (05). The only proposed changes to the current precinct lines are north of Hendrix Road. The polling place for the Otwell (16) precinct remains First Baptist Cumming located at 1597 Sawnee Drive, Cumming, 30040. The proposed changes will result in the portion of voters assigned north of Hendrix Road to be reassigned to the proposed Matt (53) precinct.

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