

FORSYTH COUNTY

MAY 22, 2018

GENERAL PRIMARY, NONPARTISAN GENERAL ELECTION & SPECIAL ELECTIONS

VOTER INFORMATION GUIDE

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

The Voter Information Guide is intended to provide the voters of Forsyth County with information on the upcoming primary/election/runoff. We encourage voters to research candidates and issues prior to going to the polls. The guide does not provide specific information on candidates or issues; therefore, the guide does not answer every possible election question. If you have additional questions, more information can be found on our website and we are available to personally answer your questions by phone during office hours (see below).



For more information, contact us at:

Forsyth County Voter Registrations and Elections

1201 Sawnee Drive • Cumming, GA 30040

*****NEW LOCATION as of January 2018*****

Our office is no longer located in the county Admin Building.

Office Hours: Monday to Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

P: 770.781.2118 • F: 770.886.2825

Email: Voter@forsythco.com • Website: www.forsythco.com

GA Secretary of State: www.sos.ga.gov

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ELECTION FACTS, FIGURES & GUIDE PAGES

Date of Election: TUESDAY, MAY 22, 2018 (page 6)

Type of Election: GENERAL PRIMARY, NONPARTISAN GENERAL ELECTION
and two SPECIAL ELECTIONS

Candidate(s), issue(s) to be voted on: FEDERAL, STATE AND COUNTY- (Consolidated Sample Ballots attached)

Total Active and Inactive registered voters countywide: 146,406 voters (as of 4.24.18)

Total Active and Inactive registered voters in the proposed City of Sharon Springs: 42,874 (as of 4.24.18)

Area of County or City involved in the election:

COUNTY-WIDE and PROPOSED City of Sharon Springs area
as defined by House Bill 626, Act 287

Number of Election Day precincts/polling places involved in the state/countywide elections:

ALL 16 ELECTION DAY PRECINCTS = 15 ELECTION DAY POLLING PLACES

Number of Election Day precincts/polling places involved

in the proposed City of Sharon Springs Special Election: 4 ELECTION DAY PRECINCTS/POLLING PLACES IN
THEIR ENTIRETY AND 2 PARTIAL ELECTION DAY PRECINCTS/POLLING PLACES (see Maps in Guide & online)

Primary Ballot Types: DEMOCRATIC, REPUBLICAN AND NONPARTISAN

Absentee Vote By Mail: Accepting Applications Now through Friday, May 18 (page 5)

Voter Registration Deadline: April 24, 2016 (page 3)

Early/Saturday/Advance Voting In Person: Weekdays, April 30 through May 18 and Saturday, May 12
Locations and Hours vary by day. (page 4)

There is NO VOTING on the Monday prior to any Election Day.

Date of Runoff, if needed: July 24, 2018

Election Results: Available online, by telephone and in person (page 7)

WHAT IS A GENERAL PRIMARY?

A primary is held by a political party to nominate candidates for public office to be voted on in the ensuing November General Election. Because Georgia voters do not register to vote by party, each voter must choose a Democratic, Republican or NonPartisan General/Special Election ballot when they vote in a Primary.

GEORGIA VOTERS DO NOT REGISTER BY PARTY

For this Primary, each voter must choose one of the three ballot types when requesting a ballot.

Democratic: ballot contains **ONLY the Democratic** Primary candidates for each race for your districts **AND** the NonPartisan General Election candidates **AND** any questions submitted by the Democratic Party **AND** the Special Election questions applicable to each voter

Republican: ballot contains **ONLY the Republican** Primary candidates for each race for your districts **AND** the NonPartisan General Election candidates **AND** any questions submitted by the Republican Party (no questions were submitted by the Party to appear on this Primary ballot) **AND** the Special Election questions applicable to each voter

NonPartisan: ballot contains **ONLY** the NonPartisan General Election candidates **AND** the Special Election questions applicable to each voter. This ballot does NOT contain any races/candidates/questions from either the Democratic or Republican Party.

What Happens to the Winner of a Primary/Primary Runoff?

The winner of the Republican Primary (or Primary Runoff) in a specific race will be the person whose name appears on the ballot in the General Election as the Republican designee. Likewise, the winner of the Democratic Primary (or Primary Runoff) in a specific race will be the person whose name appears on the ballot in the General Election as the Democratic designee. In Georgia, a Runoff is necessary when no candidate in a specific race receives a majority of the votes cast - 50 percent of the votes cast plus one vote. The Runoff will be comprised of the two candidates who received the most votes in the Primary.

WHAT IS A NONPARTISAN GENERAL ELECTION?

A NonPartisan General Election is held to elect those offices for which it has been determined by State Election Code that the candidates shall not qualify with any political party. The local offices which will be elected in the May 22 NonPartisan General Election are State Court and Superior Court judges. The NonPartisan General Election ballot also includes statewide offices for Georgia Supreme Court and Court of Appeals judges.

NOTE: Write-In candidates are NOT permitted in the *General Primary*. Write-In candidates are ONLY permitted in the *NonPartisan General Election* and the *General Election*. Write-In candidates are possible in the *NonPartisan General Election* races on the May 22 ballot, but NOT in the *General Primary* races on the same ballot.

LOCAL SPECIAL ELECTIONS

Forsyth County School Bond Referendum Special Election

The question being voted on in this Special Election is a local Forsyth County School Bond Referendum. This is a *countywide* Special Election and will appear on every voter's ballot.

Proposed City of Sharon Springs (H.B. 626, Act 287)

The question being voted on in this Special Election is about the creation of the proposed City of Sharon Springs. This is NOT a countywide Special Election. Per House Bill 626, Act 287, this Special Election will only appear on the ballot of voters who are registered to vote within the proposed city limits of the proposed City of Sharon Springs. You may view the bill in its entirety at www.legis.ga.gov. Maps of the affected voters are at the end of this Guide and are available for viewing on our webpage.

VOTER REGISTRATION DEADLINE: APRIL 24, 2018

In Georgia to be eligible to vote in any election and any subsequent runoff, voters must be registered to vote 30 days prior to that election.

The Voter Registration Deadline for this election is: Tuesday, April 24, 2018

Forsyth County residents desiring to register to vote or change their name and/or address may do so:

Online: To use the Online Voter Registration System you must have a valid driver's license or identification card issued by the GA Department of Driver Services (DDS) with your signature on file with DDS. The Application must be dated no later than 11:59 p.m. on the Voter Registration Deadline date. If you do not have a valid driver's license or identification card, you will be allowed to print and manually submit a paper registration. The Application must be USPS postmarked by the Voter Registration Deadline date or delivered in person to our office no later than the close of business (4:30 p.m.) on the Voter Registration Deadline date in order to be eligible to vote in the May 22, 2018 election. Go to www.sos.ga.gov or registertovote.sos.ga.gov/GAOLVR/.

In person: You may register to vote at the Forsyth County Voter Registrations and Elections Office, located at 1201 Sawnee Drive, Cumming, GA 30040 or at any public library in the county. The Elections Office hours are Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Applications can be downloaded at www.forsythco.com and are also available at the Elections Office and at any public library.

By Mail: A Voter Registration Application must be completely filled out and signed. The Application must be USPS postmarked by the Voter Registration Deadline date in order to be eligible to vote in the May 22, 2018 election.

All properly completed applications received by the Voter Registrations and Elections Office not meeting the above deadline will be processed after the possible General Primary and/or NonPartisan General Election Runoff (or General Primary, if applicable), and those individuals will be eligible to vote in future elections.

VOTER REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS

In order to be eligible to register to vote a person must be: a citizen of the United States, at least 17 ½ years of age, a resident of the Georgia county or municipality in which he/she seeks to vote, cannot be currently serving a felony conviction, AND cannot have been judicially determined to be mentally incompetent to vote.

PHOTO ID REQUIRED TO VOTE

Remember, all voters voting in person will be asked to provide one of the six acceptable forms of photo identification. Proper photo ID shall consist of any one of the following: GA driver's license (valid or expired), Valid ID card by any state or U.S. with photo, Valid U.S. passport, Valid government employee photo ID, Valid U.S. military ID card with photo, OR Valid tribal ID card with photo.

If you do not have one of these forms of photo identification, you are eligible to receive a free Georgia ID card for Voting Purposes ONLY. These cards are issued in the Voter Registrations and Elections Office. Please call us at 770.781.2118 for more information or to schedule an appointment to have a free Georgia ID card for Voting Purposes made.

Vote In Person BEFORE Election Day During 3 Weeks of Advance Voting

Voting in a Primary: Georgia Voters Do NOT Register by Party, see page 2 for more information

Number of Advance Voting locations open for this election: **4**

Advance Voting hours and days vary by location.

Number of Weekdays open for this election: **16**

Number of Saturdays open for this election: **1**

Voters eligible to vote in this election: Any Forsyth County registered voter may take advantage of Advance/Absentee In Person Voting during the hours and dates listed, regardless of where they vote on Election Day.

ADVANCE VOTING LOCATIONS AND HOURS

Voting hours vary by date and location. Please see the chart below for details.

ADVANCE VOTING HOURS BY LOCATION				
	Forsyth County Elections Office	Hampton Park Library	Sharon Springs Park	Midway Park
Week 1, M-F April 30-May 4	8am-4:30pm	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
Week 2, M-F May 7-May 11	8am-4:30pm	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
Saturday May 12	9am-5pm	9am-5pm	9am-5pm	9am-5pm
Week 3 May 14-May 18	Extended Voting Hours: Tuesday & Thursday			
M, W, F	8am-4:30pm	8am-5pm	8am-5pm	8am-5pm
Tu & Thu	8am-4:30pm	8am-7pm	8am-7pm	8am-7pm

Advance Voting Location Addresses:

- Forsyth County Voter Registrations and Elections Office***, 1201 Sawnee Drive, Cumming, 30040
- Hampton Park Library, 5345 Settingdown Road, Cumming, 30041
- Midway Park Community Building, 5100 Post Road, Cumming, 30040
- Sharon Springs Park Community Building, 1950 Sharon Road, Cumming, 30041

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NOTE: There is NO VOTING the Monday prior to any election.

NOTE: ON Election Day voters can ONLY vote at their assigned polling place.

ABSENTEE VOTING BY MAIL

HOW TO REQUEST AN ABSENTEE BALLOT BY MAIL

All persons who wish to vote by mail must first submit a written request to the Board of Voter Registrations and Elections Office by mail, email of a scanned copy, fax or personal delivery. The request must contain the voter's name and address as registered, mailing address (if different from registration address), date of birth, the date of the election (**May 22, 2018**) **AND**, because this is a Primary, the request will need to include the type of ballot the voter wishes to receive (Democratic, Republican or NonPartisan) **AND** must be signed.

The simplest way to request an absentee ballot is to complete an Application for Official Absentee Ballot. This application can be found online at www.forsythco.com. Voters may also contact our office to have an absentee ballot application mailed or faxed to them.

WHERE TO SUBMIT THE APPLICATION FOR OFFICIAL ABSENTEE BALLOT/WRITTEN REQUEST

To submit by Mail – mail the Application/Written Request to:

Forsyth County Voter Registrations & Elections: Absentee
1201 Sawnee Drive
Cumming, GA 30040

To submit by Email – email the scanned Application/Written Request to:

Voter@forsythco.com

To submit by Fax – fax the Application/Written Request to:

770.886.2825

To submit by Personal Delivery to Our Office– deliver the Application/Written Request to:

Forsyth County Voter Registrations & Elections Office
1201 Sawnee Drive • Cumming, GA 30040
Office Hours: Monday to Friday, 8am to 4:30pm

DEADLINE TO REQUEST AN ABSENTEE BALLOT BY MAIL

Voters may request an absentee ballot by mail as early as 180 days prior to an election. **You may request an absentee ballot for the May 22, 2018 General Primary and NonPartisan General Election now. The last day an absentee ballot can be mailed for this election is Friday, May 18, 2018, dictating that an absentee ballot application must be received in our office by the close of business (4:30 p.m.) in order to be processed and the ballot mailed to the voter by Friday, May 18, 2018.**

WHEN & HOW THE VOTED-BY-MAIL ABSENTEE BALLOT MUST BE RETURNED

Absentee ballots must be returned to our office either by mail or by personal delivery by 7:00 p.m. on Election Day in order to be counted.

ABSENTEE VOTING BY MAIL ID REQUIREMENTS

Eligible voters desiring to vote by mail may do so without providing a reason or identification. However, voters who registered for the first time in Georgia by mail and did not provide identification with their registration, will be required to provide one of the six acceptable forms of photo ID or other acceptable documentation that show the name and address of the voter. Those voters not having the proper form of identification will be offered a Provisional Ballot.

ABSENTEE VOTING TURNOUT STATISTICS

The Forsyth County Voter Registrations and Elections Office posts the Absentee Voting Turnout Statistics (which includes Absentee Voting by Mail as well as Absentee Voting In Person—ie, Advance Voting) to our website daily. The turnout statistics posted are through the day before and are posted by approximately 11:00 a.m. *All totals are unofficial and incomplete until certified by the Board of Voter Registrations and Elections.*

Forsyth County Voter Registrations and Elections P: 770.781.2118 www.forsythco.com

To verify your voter registration and view your Sample Ballot: www.mvp.sos.ga.gov

VOTING ON ELECTION DAY, Voting Hours 7a.m. to 7p.m.

On Election Day, Tuesday, May 22, 2018 voters must go to their designated polling place to vote. All fifteen Election Day polling places are open for voting from 7a.m. to 7p.m. on Election Day.

The Election Day Voting Precincts and Polling Places are as follows:

Big Creek: First Redeemer Church, 2100 Peachtree Pkwy, Cumming, 30041

Brandywine: Calvary Chapel, 200 James Rd, Alpharetta, 30004

Browns Bridge: ***Central Park Recreation Center, 2300 Keith Bridge Rd, Cumming, 30040

Chestatee: ***Central Park Recreation Center, 2300 Keith Bridge Rd, Cumming, 30040

Coal Mountain: Coal Mountain Park Community Building, 3560 Settingdown Rd, Cumming, 30028

Crossroads: Hampton Park Library, 5345 Settingdown Rd, Cumming, 30041

Cumming: Cumming City Hall, 100 Main St, Cumming, 30040

Mashburn: Lanier United Methodist Church, 1979 Buford Hwy, Cumming, 30041

Midway: Midway Park Community Building, 5100 Post Rd, Cumming, 30040

Heardsville: Sawnee Mountain Park Community Building, 3995 Watson Rd, Cumming, 30028

Otwell: First Baptist Cumming, 1597 Sawnee Dr, Cumming, 30040

Old Atlanta: Olde Atlanta Clubhouse, 5745 Olde Atlanta Pkwy, Suwanee, 30024

South Forsyth: Sharon Springs Park Community Building, 1950 Sharon Rd, Cumming, 30041

Windermere: Windermere Lodge, 4444 Front Nine Dr, Cumming, 30040

Concord: Concord Baptist Church, 6905 Concord Rd, Cumming, 30028

Polo: Grace Chapel Church of Christ, 6755 Majors Rd, Cumming, 30040

***NEW POLLING LOCATION, effective September 2017

Where Do I Vote?

We urge voters to verify their Election Day polling place prior to going out to the polls on Election Day.

To confirm your voter registration and your Election Day polling place, visit:

- Forsyth County Voter Registrations & Elections: www.forsythco.com / P: 770.781.2118 x9
- GA Secretary of State: www.sos.ga.gov or www.mvp.sos.ga.gov

Things to Note on Election Day:

***NEW POLLING PLACE, effective September 2017:** Attention voters in the 03-Browns Bridge precinct and the 04-Chestatee precinct – You now have a new Election Day polling place. Voters in both precincts will now vote at the Central Park Recreation Center located at 2300 Keith Bridge Road. That means if you previously voted at Browns Bridge Church or Harmony Grove Baptist Church, both of which are no longer available to serve as polling places, you will now go to the Central Park Recreation Center on Election Day.

*Cumming City Hall is no longer open for Advance Voting, but it will be open on Election Day for the Cumming Precinct voters.

*Advance Voting Location MAY NOT be Your Designated Election Day Polling Place
Remember, three of the four Advance Voting locations (Hampton Park Library, Midway Park Community Building and Sharon Springs Park Community Building) are also Election Day polling places. However, ON Election Day ONLY those voters who are assigned to those designated polling places should go there to vote.

* The Forsyth County Elections Office IS NOT Open for Voting ON Election Day
The Forsyth County Elections Office is open for all of Advance Voting BUT IS NOT an Election Day polling place. Our office is open all day on Election Day to answer any questions a voter may have; however, there is NO voting in the building ON Election Day. A voter's polling place ON Election Day is specific to where their residence (as registered) falls within designated precinct lines.

*Schools NO LONGER serve as Election Day Polling Places
If you previously voted at a school, please verify your Election Day polling place.

ELECTION STATISTICS & RESULTS

ELECTION DAY VOTING TURNOUT STATISTICS

On Election Day, the Election Day Voting Turnout Statistics by polling place will be posted to our website at approximately 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 1:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. *All totals are unofficial and incomplete until certified by the Board of Voter Registrations and Elections.*

IN PERSON OBSERVATION OF TABULATION

Advance Voting, Absentee By Mail and Election Day totals are not tabulated until after the polls close on Election Night. On Election Night (after the polls have closed), the public may observe the tabulation of votes at the Forsyth County Elections Office, 1201 Sawnee Drive, Cumming, 30040. Election results will be displayed and announced until all votes are tallied with the exception of provisional votes, which are tabulated the Friday after the Election.

ELECTION RESULTS

On Election Night, Election Results may be viewed online at www.forsythco.com or may be obtained by telephone at 770.781.2118, ext. 9. Times when election results are available vary by election. All election results are **unofficial** until certified by the Forsyth County Board of Voter Registrations and Elections. An **OFFICIAL** summary of the election results will be available online on the Voter Registrations and Elections Department webpage at www.forsythco.com after the election has been certified.

CONSOLIDATED DEMOCRATIC SAMPLE BALLOT page 1/2

MAY 22, 2018 GENERAL PRIMARY, NONPARTISAN GENERAL ELECTION AND SPECIAL ELECTIONS

This is a Consolidated Sample Ballot which contains ALL Democratic candidates, Democratic Party Questions, NonPartisan Judges and Special Election(s).

The following is a list of offices elected by district and the districts that are up for election in 2018:

U.S. Congress (7 & 9), State Senate (27 & 51), State Representative (9, 22, 24, 25 & 26), County Commission (1 & 3) and County Board of Education (1 & 2).

Your ballot will contain only races in your Districts that are up for election this year.

To determine which races will be on your ballot go to www.mvp.sos.ga.gov or check your voter registration precinct card for your district information.

For Advance Voting locations, dates and times and Election Day polling place information, visit our website at www.forsythco.com or contact our office at 770.781.2118, ext. 9.

CONSOLIDATED DEMOCRATIC SAMPLE BALLOT page 1 of 2

<p align="center">For Governor (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> STACEY ABRAMS</p> <p><input type="radio"/> STACEY EVANS</p>	<p align="center">For Public Service Commissioner (To Succeed Tricia Pridemore) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> DAWN A. RANDOLPH</p> <p><input type="radio"/> DOUG STONER</p>	<p>STATE DEMOCRATIC PARTY QUESTIONS</p>
<p align="center">For Lieutenant Governor (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> SARAH RIGGS AMICO</p> <p><input type="radio"/> TRIANA ARNOLD JAMES</p>	<p align="center">For U.S. Representative in 116th Congress From the 7th Congressional District of Georgia (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> KATHLEEN ALLEN</p>	<p>-1-</p> <p>Should the sale and distribution of bump stocks be prohibited in the state of Georgia?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES</p> <p><input type="radio"/> NO</p>
<p align="center">For Secretary of State (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> JOHN BARROW</p> <p><input type="radio"/> DEE DAWKINS-HAIGLER</p> <p><input type="radio"/> RAKEIM "RJ" HADLEY</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> CAROLYN BOURDEAUX</p> <p><input type="radio"/> MELISSA DAVIS</p> <p><input type="radio"/> DAVID KIM</p> <p><input type="radio"/> ETHAN PHAM</p>	<p>-2-</p> <p>Should Georgia pull down our federal tax dollars to save rural hospitals and create more than fifty thousand jobs by expanding Medicaid?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES</p> <p><input type="radio"/> NO</p>
<p align="center">For Attorney General (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> CHARLIE BAILEY</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> STEVE REILLY</p>	<p>-3-</p> <p>Should Georgia allow voters to elect our own representatives by amending our Constitution to place the power of drawing district lines under the authority of an independent, non-partisan commission?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES</p> <p><input type="radio"/> NO</p>
<p align="center">For Commissioner of Agriculture (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> FRED SWANN</p>	<p align="center">For U.S. Representative in 116th Congress From the 9th Congressional District of Georgia (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> DAVE COOPER</p> <p><input type="radio"/> JOSH MCCALL</p>	<p>-4-</p> <p>Should Georgia alleviate traffic congestion, reduce carbon emissions, and better connect communities by investing a substantial amount of existing tax dollars in mass transit?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES</p> <p><input type="radio"/> NO</p>
<p align="center">For Commissioner of Insurance (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> JANICE LAWS</p> <p><input type="radio"/> CINDY ZELDIN</p>	<p align="center">For State Senator From 27th District (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> STEVE SMITH</p>	<p>FORSYTH COUNTY DEMOCRATIC PARTY QUESTIONS</p>
<p align="center">For State School Superintendent (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> SID CHAPMAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> SAM MOSTELLER</p> <p><input type="radio"/> OTHA E. THORNTON, JR.</p>	<p align="center">For State Representative in the General Assembly From 22nd District (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> CHARLES RAVENSCRAFT</p>	<p>-1-</p> <p>Should Georgia amend the state Constitution to legalize the use of cannabis/marijuana for those 21 years old and older, allow a retail dispensary base, tax said products, and allocate revenue received equally to state education and transportation infrastructure?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> YES</p> <p><input type="radio"/> NO</p>
<p align="center">For Commissioner of Labor (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> RICHARD KEATLEY</p> <p><input type="radio"/> FRED QUINN</p>	<p align="center">For State Representative in the General Assembly From 25th District (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> ANITA HOLCOMB TUCKER</p>	
<p align="center">For Public Service Commissioner (To Succeed Chuck Eaton) (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> LINDY MILLER</p> <p><input type="radio"/> JOHN NOEL</p> <p><input type="radio"/> JOHNNY C. WHITE</p>		

To confirm your voter registration and/or to verify your districts visit:
Forsyth County Voter Registrations and Elections at 1201 Sawnee Drive, 30040
P: 770.781.2118 www.forsythco.com Email: Voter@forsythco.com
or the GA Secretary of State at www.sos.ga.gov and www.mvp.sos.ga.gov

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-2-
Should citizens convicted of a crime and served time in prison and are now on parole/probation have their right to vote restored?
 YES
 NO

-3-
Should Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) recipients be granted a path to citizenship?
 YES
 NO

-4-
Should more affordable housing be available in Forsyth County?
 YES
 NO

-5-
Should Georgia have a non-partisan redistricting committee whose purpose is to prevent gerrymandering which is a process that manipulates the boundaries of (an electoral constituency) so as to favor one party or class?
 YES
 NO

-6-
Are you aware that the fastest growing landfill in Georgia is located in Forsyth County along the Etowah River and Old Federal Road, such that a growing area of Forsyth County is becoming impacted in terms of odor and groundwater pollution?
 YES
 NO

NONPARTISAN GENERAL ELECTION

For Justice, Supreme Court of Georgia
(To Succeed Michael P. Boggs)
(Vote for One)
 MICHAEL P. BOGGS (Incumbent)

Write-in

For Justice, Supreme Court of Georgia
(To Succeed Britt C. Grant)
(Vote for One)
 BRITT CAGLE GRANT (Incumbent)

Write-in

For Justice, Supreme Court of Georgia
(To Succeed Carol Hunstein)
(Vote for One)
 JOHN ELLINGTON

Write-in

For Justice, Supreme Court of Georgia
(To Succeed Harold D. Melton)
(Vote for One)
 HAROLD D. MELTON (Incumbent)

Write-in

For Justice, Supreme Court of Georgia
(To Succeed Nels S.D. Peterson)
(Vote for One)
 NELS PETERSON (Incumbent)

Write-in

For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia
(To Succeed Charlie Jones Bethel)
(Vote for One)
 CHARLIE BETHEL (Incumbent)

Write-in

For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia
(To Succeed Stephen Dillard)
(Vote for One)
 STEPHEN DILLARD (Incumbent)

Write-in

For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia
(To Succeed John Ellington)
(Vote for One)
 KEN HODGES
 KEN SHIGLEY

Write-in

For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia
(To Succeed Amanda Mercier)
(Vote for One)
 AMANDA H. MERCIER (Incumbent)

Write-in

For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia
(To Succeed M.Yvette Miller)
(Vote for One)
 M. YVETTE MILLER (Incumbent)

Write-in

For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia
(To Succeed Clyde L. Reese, III)
(Vote for One)
 CLYDE L. REESE III (Incumbent)

Write-in

For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia
(To Succeed Brian M. Rickman)
(Vote for One)
 BRIAN RICKMAN (Incumbent)

Write-in

For Judge, Superior Court of the Bell-Forsyth Judicial Circuit
(To Succeed Jeffrey Bagley)
(Vote for One)
 JEFFREY BAGLEY (Incumbent)

Write-in

For Judge, Superior Court of the Bell-Forsyth Judicial Circuit
(To Succeed Philip Smith)
(Vote for One)
 PHILIP C. SMITH (Incumbent)

Write-in

For Judge of State Court of Forsyth County
(To Succeed Leslie Abernathy-Maddox)
(Vote for One)
 LESLIE ABERNATHY-MADDOX (Incumbent)
 JOHN RIFE

Write-in

COUNTYWIDE SPECIAL ELECTION

Board of Education Bond Referendum
(Vote for One)
Shall \$295,000,000 in aggregate principal amount of Forsyth County School District General Obligation Bonds be authorized to be issued?
 YES
 NO

SPECIAL ELECTION

Proposed City of Sharon Springs
House Bill 626, Act 287
(Vote for One)
"Shall the Act incorporating the City of Sharon Springs in Forsyth County according to the charter contained in the Act be approved?"
 YES
 NO

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MAY 22, 2018 GENERAL PRIMARY, NONPARTISAN GENERAL ELECTION AND SPECIAL ELECTIONS

This is a Consolidated Sample Ballot which contains ALL Republican candidates, Republican Party Questions, NonPartisan Judges and Special Election(s).

The following is a list of offices elected by district and the districts that are up for election in 2018:

U.S. Congress (7 & 9), State Senate (27 & 51), State Representative (9, 22, 24, 25 & 26),

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<p style="text-align: center;">For Lieutenant Governor (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> GEOFF DUNCAN</p> <p><input type="radio"/> RICK JEFFARES</p> <p><input type="radio"/> DAVID SHAFER</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">For U.S. Representative in 116th Congress From the 7th Congressional District of Georgia (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> SHANE HAZEL</p> <p><input type="radio"/> ROB WOODALL (Incumbent)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">For Solicitor General (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> BILL FINCH (Incumbent)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">For Secretary of State (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> DAVID BELLE ISLE</p> <p><input type="radio"/> BUZZ BROCKWAY</p> <p><input type="radio"/> JOSH MCKOON</p> <p><input type="radio"/> BRAD RAFFENSPERGER</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">For U.S. Representative in 116th Congress From the 9th Congressional District of Georgia (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> DOUG COLLINS (Incumbent)</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;">For State Senator From 27th District (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> GREG DOLEZAL</p> <p><input type="radio"/> BILL FIELDER</p> <p><input type="radio"/> BRIAN TAM</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">For County Commissioner District 1 (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> MOLLY COOPER</p> <p><input type="radio"/> DOOZ OWINGS</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">For Attorney General (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> CHRIS CARR (Incumbent)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">For State Senator From 51st District (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> STEVE GOOCH (Incumbent)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">For County Commissioner District 3 (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> TODD LEVENT (Incumbent)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">For Commissioner of Agriculture (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> GARY BLACK (Incumbent)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">For State Representative in the General Assembly From 9th District (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> MARK HAJDUK</p> <p><input type="radio"/> KEVIN TANNER (Incumbent)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">For County Board of Education District 1 (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> WES MCCALL</p> <p><input type="radio"/> MARK WEISS</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">For Commissioner of Insurance (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> JIM BECK</p> <p><input type="radio"/> JAY FLORENCE</p> <p><input type="radio"/> TRACY JORDAN</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">For State School Superintendent (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> JOHN BARGE</p> <p><input type="radio"/> RICHARD WOODS (Incumbent)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">For County Board of Education District 2 (Vote for One)</p> <p><input type="radio"/> KRISTIN MORRISSEY (Incumbent)</p>

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NONPARTISAN GENERAL ELECTION

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(Vote for One)

MICHAEL P. BOGGS
(Incumbent)

Write-in

For Justice, Supreme Court of Georgia
(To Succeed Britt C. Grant)
(Vote for One)

BRITT CAGLE GRANT
(Incumbent)

Write-in

For Justice, Supreme Court of Georgia
(To Succeed Carol Hunstein)
(Vote for One)

JOHN ELLINGTON

Write-in

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(Vote for One)

HAROLD D. MELTON
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(Incumbent)

Write-in

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(Vote for One)

CHARLIE BETHEL
(Incumbent)

Write-in

For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia
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(Vote for One)

STEPHEN DILLARD
(Incumbent)

Write-in

For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia
(To Succeed John Ellington)
(Vote for One)

KEN HODGES

KEN SHIGLEY

Write-in

For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia
(To Succeed Amanda Mercier)
(Vote for One)

AMANDA H. MERCIER
(Incumbent)

Write-in

For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia
(To Succeed M.Yvette Miller)
(Vote for One)

M. YVETTE MILLER
(Incumbent)

Write-in

For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia
(To Succeed Clyde L. Reese, III)
(Vote for One)

CLYDE L. REESE III
(Incumbent)

Write-in

For Judge, Court of Appeals of Georgia
(To Succeed Brian M. Rickman)
(Vote for One)

BRIAN RICKMAN
(Incumbent)

Write-in

For Judge, Superior Court of the Bell-Forsyth Judicial Circuit
(To Succeed Jeffrey Bagley)
(Vote for One)

JEFFREY BAGLEY
(Incumbent)

Write-in

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PHILIP C. SMITH
(Incumbent)

Write-in

For Judge of State Court of Forsyth County
(To Succeed Leslie Abernathy-Maddox)
(Vote for One)

LESLIE ABERNATHY-MADDOX
(Incumbent)

JOHN RIFE

Write-in

COUNTYWIDE SPECIAL ELECTION

Board of Education Bond Referendum
(Vote for One)

Shall \$295,000,000 in aggregate principal amount of Forsyth County School District General Obligation Bonds be authorized to be issued?

YES

NO

SPECIAL ELECTION

Proposed City of Sharon Springs
House Bill 626, Act 287
(Vote for One)

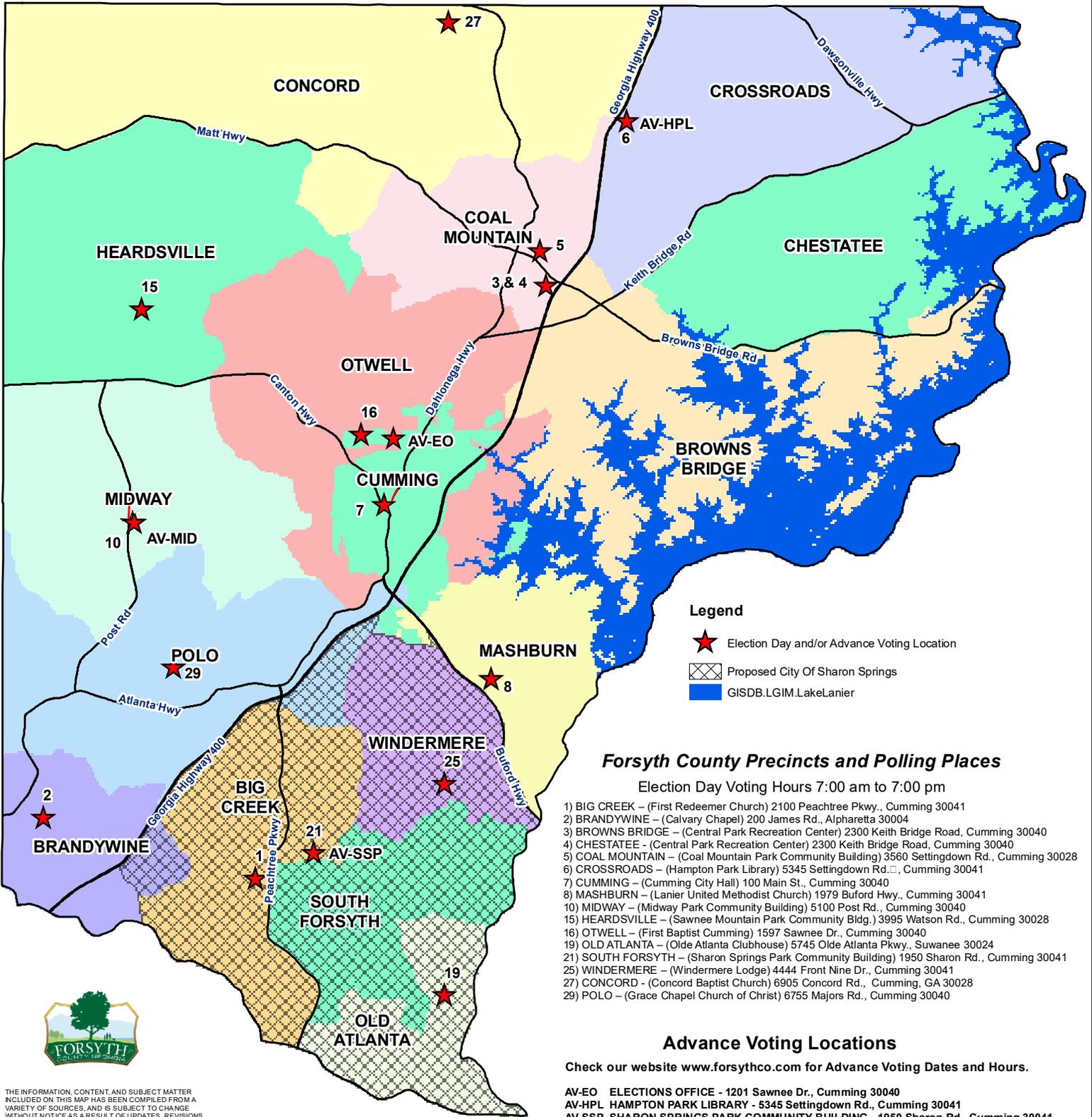
"Shall the Act incorporating the City of Sharon Springs in Forsyth County according to the charter contained in the Act be approved?"

YES

NO

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Precincts and Polling Places with an overlay of the Proposed City of Sharon Springs



- Legend**
- ★ Election Day and/or Advance Voting Location
 - ▨ Proposed City Of Sharon Springs
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Forsyth County Precincts and Polling Places

Election Day Voting Hours 7:00 am to 7:00 pm

- 1) BIG CREEK – (First Redeemer Church) 2100 Peachtree Pkwy., Cumming 30041
- 2) BRANDYWINE – (Calvary Chapel) 200 James Rd., Alpharetta 30004
- 3) BROWNS BRIDGE – (Central Park Recreation Center) 2300 Keith Bridge Road, Cumming 30040
- 4) CHESTATEE – (Central Park Recreation Center) 2300 Keith Bridge Road, Cumming 30040
- 5) COAL MOUNTAIN – (Coal Mountain Park Community Building) 3560 Settingdown Rd., Cumming 30028
- 6) CROSSROADS – (Hampton Park Library) 5345 Settingdown Rd., Cumming 30041
- 7) CUMMING – (Cumming City Hall) 100 Main St., Cumming 30040
- 8) MASHBURN – (Lanier United Methodist Church) 1979 Buford Hwy., Cumming 30041
- 10) MIDWAY – (Midway Park Community Building) 5100 Post Rd., Cumming 30040
- 15) HEARDSVILLE – (Sawnee Mountain Park Community Bldg.) 3995 Watson Rd., Cumming 30028
- 16) OTWELL – (First Baptist Cumming) 1597 Sawnee Dr., Cumming 30040
- 19) OLD ATLANTA – (Olde Atlanta Clubhouse) 5745 Olde Atlanta Pkwy., Suwanee 30024
- 21) SOUTH FORSYTH – (Sharon Springs Park Community Building) 1950 Sharon Rd., Cumming 30041
- 25) WINDERMERE – (Windermere Lodge) 4444 Front Nine Dr., Cumming 30041
- 27) CONCORD – (Concord Baptist Church) 6905 Concord Rd., Cumming, GA 30028
- 29) POLO – (Grace Chapel Church of Christ) 6755 Majors Rd., Cumming 30040

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- AV-EO ELECTIONS OFFICE - 1201 Sawnee Dr., Cumming 30040
- AV-HPL HAMPTON PARK LIBRARY - 5345 Settingdown Rd., Cumming 30041
- AV-SSP SHARON SPRINGS PARK COMMUNITY BUILDING - 1950 Sharon Rd., Cumming 30041
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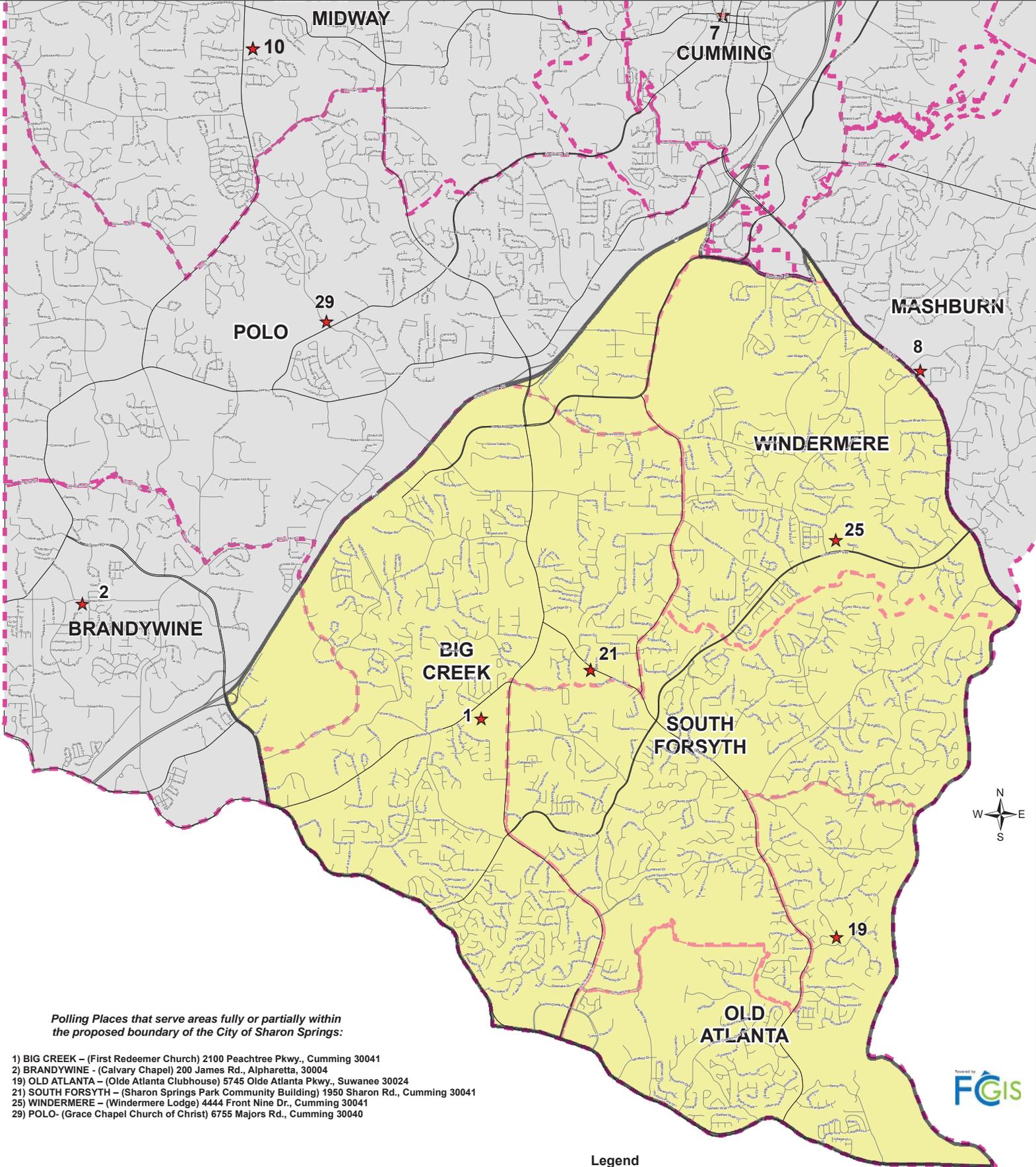
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Proposed City of Sharon Springs

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Polling Places that serve areas fully or partially within the proposed boundary of the City of Sharon Springs:

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Legend

- ★ Election Day Location
- Proposed City Of Sharon Springs
- - - Precinct Boundary
- Road
- GA 400

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