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March 12, 2013 School District Election

Kootenai County Clerk Cliff Hayes announced that levy elections for three school districts will be held on March 12, 2013. "Coeur d'Alene, Kootenai Joint, and Post Falls school districts will each have supplemental maintenance and operations levy issues on the ballot," said Hayes. "Voters residing in each of the respective school districts will be eligible to vote in this election," he continued.

Voters have many options for casting their ballots. In-person voting will be available at the County Elections Office, 1808 N. Third Street in Coeur d'Alene, starting February 25 through March 8. The office is open from 8AM to 5PM Monday – Friday.

Voters may request absentee ballots be mailed to them. Here's the request form http://www.kcgov.us/elections/AbsenteeBallotApplication.pdf. Voters must submit the form now, but no later than March 6; and can deliver it to the Elections office, mail it, fax it to 446-2184, or email it to kcelections@kcgov.us.

Voters may go to their polling place on Election Day. Polls will be open 8AM to 8PM. Not all polling places will be used in the March 12 election: Precincts 1 – 7 and 10 – 12 will not be used. Additionally, some polling places have been changed. To confirm your location, click here http://www.kcgov.us/elections/search for the Polling Place lookup tool.

"Election day voters must go to their designated polling places to cast ballots, but people who plan ahead have the other options we've just listed," noted Hayes. "Given the unpredictability of winter weather here, we encourage voters to plan ahead and choose the option best for them."