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## PRESS RELEASE

Secretary of State, Ben Ysursa reminded unregistered electors that the voter registration cut-off for the November 4th General Election is fast approaching. October 10th is the last day for Electors to register with the County Clerk, in order to vote in the November 4th General Election. Any mail registrations must be postmarked by October 10th in order to be valid.

To aid electors in checking whether or not they are registered, Ysursa announced a new feature that allows people to see if they are registered to vote. Simply go to the website [www.idahovotes.gov](http://www.idahovotes.gov) and click on "Am I registered." By following the instructions on the screen people can see if they are registered and where they vote. As before, people who know they are registered can click on "Where do I vote" and their polling place information will be displayed.

Ysursa stated that although voters may register at the polls upon providing proof of residence and picture I.D. on November 4th, he encouraged all electors to pre-register before the election in order to avoid delays at the polling place.

Ysursa stated that absentee voting activity is very high and urged Idaho voters to take advantage of Idaho's open and accessible election system by contacting their county clerk.

In concluding his pre-election remarks Ysursa urged a commitment to participate on the part of Idaho voters. He said Idaho's electoral system can only benefit from a strong turnout of informed voters on November 4th.. He encouraged voters to visit the website [www.idahovotes.gov](http://www.idahovotes.gov) to receive information on Idaho's election process.