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## **Be Prepared-Lengthy Ballot for the 2018 General Election!**

Get ready: Election Day 2018 is fast approaching. With approximately 200 days until the General Election on November 6, 2018 the ballot is quickly filling up. Yesterday the Constitutional Revision Commission (CRC) approved eight revisions that will be placed on the 2018 General Election ballot in addition to the five initiative proposals already positioned. It is never too early to begin researching and preparing to vote. Remember there are three easy ways to vote; [vote by mail](#), [vote early](#) and on [Election Day](#).

### **ABOUT THE FLORIDA CONSTITUTION REVISION COMMISSION (CRC)**

Once every 20 years, Florida's Constitution provides for the creation of a 37-member revision commission for the purpose of reviewing Florida's Constitution and proposing changes for voter consideration. The Constitution Revision Commission (CRC) meets for approximately one year, traveling the State of Florida, identifying issues, performing research and possibly recommending changes to the Constitution.

Proposed constitutional revisions on the ballot must secure at least 60 percent voter approval to become law. A list of the final revisions approved by the CRC are provided below; the full text of each revision is available on [flcrc.gov](http://flcrc.gov):

- [P 6001: Rights of Crime Victims; Judges](#)
- [P 6002: First Responder and Military Member Survivor Benefits; Public Colleges and Universities](#)
- [P 6003: School Board Term Limits and Duties; Public Schools](#)
- [P 6004: Prohibits Offshore Oil and Gas Drilling; Prohibits Vaping in Enclosed Indoor Workplaces](#)
- [P 6005: State and Local Government Structure and Operation](#)
- [P 6006: Property Rights; Removal of Obsolete Provision; Criminal Statutes](#)
- [P 6007: Lobbying and Abuse of Office by Public Officers](#)
- [P 6012: Dog Racing](#)

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