2025 "I VOTED" & "FUTURE VOTER" STICKER CONTEST OFFICIAL RULES

By submitting an entry, you agree to be bound by the following "Official Rules" of the contest:

1. SPONSOR

This contest is sponsored by the Lavaca County Elections Department.

2. ELIGIBILITY

- Currently enrolled in any Lavaca County School or home schooled in Lavaca County, Texas.
- Students in grades K-5th are eligible to participate in the "Future Voter" Sticker Contest.
- Students in grades 6th-12th are eligible to participate in the "I Voted" Sticker Contest.

3. HOW TO ENTER

The contest opens on <u>October 1, 2025</u> and runs through <u>October 31, 2025</u>. To enter you must submit your <u>artwork</u>, <u>entry form</u> and <u>consent form</u> either 1) electronically to elections@co.lavaca.tx.us or 2) in person to our office located at 412 N. Texana Hallettsville, Texas 77964. All forms and artwork <u>must be received by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, October 31, 2025</u>. Late entries will not be accepted. A limit of two entries will be permitted per participant, and no entry fee is required to participate in this contest. Should any questions arise please email <u>elections@co.Lavaca.tx.us</u> or call (361) 798-3594.

4. DESIGN REQUIREMENTS - "I VOTED" Sticker

The design must include the phrase "I Voted" and contain the theme of voting and elections in the State of Texas or Lavaca County. The design should be non-partisan. Party affiliated designs will be disqualified. The dimensions of the design should fit on an oval sticker two inches in diameter. The template provided by our office shall be used to create a hand drawn design. Please keep the design <u>limited to 4 colors or less.</u> The colors should be flat, and the design should implement block shading with no gradient/transparent color schemes.

5. <u>DESIGN REQUIREMENTS - "FUTURE VOTER" Sticker</u>

The design must include the phrase "Future Voter" and contain the theme of voting and elections in the State of Texas or Lavaca County. The design should be non-partisan. Party affiliated designs will be disqualified. The dimensions of the design should fit on an oval sticker two inches in diameter. The template provided by our office shall be used to create a hand drawn design. Please keep the design Imited to 4 colors or less. The colors should be flat, and the design should implement block shading with no gradient/transparent color schemes.

5. Winners Notified

Winners will be determined on or before November 14th. Winners will be notified by an employee of our Elections Department by telephone. Other means of notifying the winners include but are not limited to: Texas Thunder Radio, local newspaper(s), Social Media and Commissioners Court.

Important:

- 1) PDF files are accepted, but <u>we prefer the original files</u>. Please be sure your PDF file is a high-resolution, quality scan.
- 2) Digital artwork such as Microsoft Word, Publisher, Illustrator, Photo Shop, InDesign, PowerPoint documents, CorelDraw documents, low-resolution web images, WordPerfect documents or CAD drawings as artwork are <u>not accepted</u>.