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## MERRILL: ALL CONNECTICUT MUNICIPAL BALLOTS FOR NOVEMBER 3<sup>RD</sup> ELECTIONS AVAILABLE FOR VIEWING ONLINE

SECRETARY OF THE STATE URGES CONNECTICUT VOTERS TO FAMILIARIZE THEMSELVES WITH THE BALLOTS FOR THEIR CITY OR TOWN

**HARTFORD:** With just one week to go before polls open locally, Secretary of the State Denise Merrill today announced that ballots for all Connecticut cities and towns holding municipal elections on Tuesday November 3, 2015 are now available for viewing online. Secretary Merrill is also urging the more than 1.94 million registered voters in Connecticut to familiarize themselves with the general election ballots by going online to <u>www.myvote.ct.gov</u> and following the link to see the ballot in their town. The direct link to the town ballots is:

http://www.sots.ct.gov/sots/cwp/view.asp?a=3179&Q=572476&PM=1

"I want to remind the voters of Connecticut that Election Day is around the corner, so now is the time to familiarize yourself with what candidates are running for which offices on the ballot," said Secretary Merrill, Connecticut's chief elections official. "Many important decisions at the local level will be made by those who win the elections on November 3<sup>rd</sup>. I urge every voter in Connecticut to visit our website, see who is running, and familiarize yourself with the ballot you will be using on Election Day."

Voters who use the vote-by-phone system are also encouraged to contact their local Registrar of Voters if they are interested in using the preview and practice function of the system prior to Election Day. On Election Day November 3, 2015 polls will be open for municipal elections from 6:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. in all but four Connecticut cities and towns (Andover, Bethany, Union and Woodbridge all held municipal elections in May). Voters can check their registration status online and find where their polling place is by visiting <u>www.myvote.ct.gov</u> – the deadline to register to vote either by mail or in-person for the municipal elections is tomorrow, Tuesday October 27, 2015.