Designation of Poll Watchers

Section 1.	Election			Official Use Only	/					
	Election Date:									
Select Early	Voting or Election Day:									
Section 2.	Category of Authorized	Persons								
				Complete Only One of the Boxes	Below:					
		nee*) for the following office in this election:								
		County Executive Committee of the following ollowing Political Committee:	Party:							
			to the supe	L rvisor of elections (or for statewide candidates/issu	ies, to the Div	vision of Elections)				
authorizing	the designee to designate p	ooll watchers on his or her behalf.								
Section 3.	Candidate/Chair/Desigr	166								
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-	I request that the listed person(s) below (none of whom is a candidate or a sheriff, deputy sheriff, police officer or other law enforcement officer), who are qualified and registered voters of the county in which they will serve, be approved as poll watchers at the locations indicated below.									
J. J	Name:	in which they will serve, be approved as point	i watchers	at the locations indicated below.						
	dress:									
Email ac	ddress:									
	Phone:									
				er s. 101.131, Florida Statutes, to designate po	oll watchers					
Date Subn	nitted:	Note: This form becomes a public record where the second sec	hen submitt	ed to the Supervisor of Elections.						
Section 4. List of Designated Poll Watchers						Official Use Only				
Name	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)	Residential Address	Phone #	while All Locations of specify location)	Approved (Y/N)	Assigned Badge Number				

Early Voting Deadline - No later than noon at least 14 days before early voting begins Election Day Deadline - No later than noon of the 2nd Tuesday before the election

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Name	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)	Residential Address	Phone #	Polling Place / Early Voting Site (Either write "All Locations" or specify location)	Approved (Y/N)	Assigned Badge Number

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR POLL WATCHER DESIGNATIONS
1. Each candidate/political party/political committee may have only one poll watcher per polling room or early voting area at any one time.
2. A candidate whose name will appear on the ballot in a future election may not designate poll watchers for an election in which the candidate's name is not on the ballot.
 Designation of Poll Watchers, Form DS-DE 125, must be used to request designation of poll watchers. Separate forms must be submitted for designating Early Voting and Election Day poll watchers. Sufficient information concerning the desired poll watcher must be completed on the form so that the Supervisor of Elections can identify the person as a registered voter in the supervisor's county. Form DS-DE 125 and any attachments to it may be provided to the supervisor of elections by personal delivery, mail, fax, or email.
5. The deadlines to submit a request for poll watcher designation:
For Early Voting (EV) No later than noon at least 14 days before EV begins.
For Election Day No later than noon of the second Tuesday preceding the election.
6. The Supervisors of Elections must approve or disapprove the designation of poll watchers for early voting areas no later than 7 days before the start of early voting and the designations for poll watchers for polling rooms on Election Day, on or before the Tuesday before the election.
POLL WATCHERS
A poll watcher:
1. Must be a qualified and registered voter of the county in which they serve as poll watcher.
2. Cannot be a candidate, sheriff, deputy sheriff, policeman, or other law enforcement officer.
3. Who is designated for a specific location is not precluded from going to another polling room/EV area if the number of poll watchers at any particular polling room/EV area does not
exceed the allowable number for the applicable candidate/political party/political committee.
4. Who is designated for "All locations/areas" (at-large) is not permitted to be present in a polling room/EV area at the same time as another poll watcher designated by the same
candidate/political party/political committee. 5. Will be provided a Poll Watcher Identification Badge by the Supervisor of Elections. The poll watcher must wear his or her Poll Watcher Identification Badge while in the polling room
or EV area.
6. Must bring his or her own materials and necessities.
7. Is allowed within the polling room to observe the conduct of the election. He or she <i>may not</i> obstruct the orderly conduct of the election.
8. May observe the voter check-in process. He or she may not come closer to the inspectors' table or the voting booths than is reasonably necessary to perform the poll watcher's functions.
9. May not speak to or otherwise interact with voters nor provide assistance to a voter in any way with the voting of his/her ballot, unless a Request for Assistance Form is completed at the voter's request.
10. May make and provide written voter challenges to the precinct clerk.
11. Shall pose any questions regarding polling place procedures directly to the precinct clerk for resolution.
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2.034 of the Florida Administrative Code; and the rule's incorporated form, DS-DE 11, which contains the Polling Place Procedures Manual.