

I'm Tammy Jones your Supervisor of Elections for Levy County.

I would like to introduce you to Levy County's voting system. The tabulator is an all in one accessible paper-based voting system.

Here is a demonstration of what you will experience on Election Day:

**(Supervisor Tammy Jones standing by machine, American flag to the left.)**

After you've been checked in, you'll be given a paper ballot and directed to a privacy booth where you will fill in the oval next to your selection.

**(The voter's information is verified by Poll Workers. The voter is then directed to the Ballot Issuer. The Ballot Issuer gives the voter a ballot and directs them to the privacy booth. The voter fills in the ballot at the privacy booth.)**

After you've voted your paper ballot you will take the ballot to the ICE machine.

**(The voter walks to the tabulator with their ballot.)**

You will then insert your voted ballot into the ICE machine.

**(The voter inserts their ballot into the tabulator.)**

When a valid ballot is scanned the tabulator screen will display the messages scanning ballot in progress and casting ballot.

**(The tabulator notifies the voter that the ballot is being scanned.)**

The voter should wait until the ballot has been cast. The ballot is then dropped into the ballot box. The system ready screen will reappear with the total voters count increasing by one.

**(The voter waits for their ballot to be cast. The tabulator notifies the voter their ballot has been accepted.)**

Filling in the oval is important. The scanner only looks at the oval response area.

**(The voter fills in the oval at the privacy booth.)**

If you make a check mark, underline or circle the selection when the ballot is inserted into the optical scanner it will notify you that the ballot is not marked correctly.

**(A ballot is displayed with common mistakes. A voter put a check mark through one of the ovals in a race. On the same race, a voter circled the candidates name. The voter underlined the candidates name in another race.)**

**(The voter inserts their ballot into the tabulator. The tabulator notifies the voter that error with their ballot has been detected.)**

You will be given the choice to accept the ballot as it is or have the ballot returned to you for correction.

**(The Poll Worker retrieves the ballot for the voter to correct by pressing return on the tabulator.)**

A Poll Worker will direct you to a privacy booth where you will have the opportunity to correct your ballot by filling in the ovals next to your selections.

**(The Poll Worker explains to the voter how to correct their ballot. The Poll Worker directs the voter to the privacy booth.)**

Please pay attention to the number of selections you are allowed to make on each contest.

**(A photograph of an overvoted ballot is displayed. The voter filled in the ovals for two candidates under the same race.)**

The optical scanner will inform you that you have over voted a contest if too many selections have been made. At this point you will be given the choice to accept the ballot as is or have the ballot returned to you.

**(The voter inserts their ballot into the tabulator. The tabulator notifies the voter that error with their ballot has been detected. The Poll Worker explains the error to the voter.)**

If you choose to have the ballot returned to you it cannot be corrected.

**(The Poll Worker presses the return button on the tabulator. The voter takes the ballot and puts into the secrecy sleeve.)**

You'll have to return this ballot to the Poll Worker to be spoiled and receive a new ballot to mark.

**(The Poll Worker directs the voter to the Precinct Clerk at the Help Desk.)**

If the tabulator detects unclear or marginal marks in the voting ovals the ballot will immediately be returned and the screen will display the ambiguous message.

**(A photograph of a marginal mark is displayed. The voter put a small dash through the oval. None of the ovals are filled in completely.)**

A Poll Worker will direct you to a privacy booth where you will have the opportunity to correct your ballot by filling in the oval completely.

**(The Poll Worker directs the voter to the privacy booth. The voter fills in the oval.)**

If you make a mistake on your ballot under Florida law you are allowed two additional opportunities for a new ballot.

**(A slide displays the following message: Florida law allows a voter a maximum of three attempts to complete a ballot.)**

Please know that a Poll Worker will be ready to assist you if you have any questions regarding your ballot. These questions will need to be addressed before you insert your ballot into the optical scanner.

**(A slide displays the following message: Contact a Poll Worker if you have any questions before you insert your ballot into the optical scanner.)**

Once your voted ballot is deposited into the locked ballot box your vote has been cast and no corrections can be made.

**(A slide displays the following message: Once your ballot is accepted, no corrections can be made.)**

In addition to scanning and tabulating hand marked paper ballots the integrated ballot marking device enables voters with varying abilities to independently and privately mark, review, and cast a paper ballot. With the ICE everyone votes on the same paper ballot.

**(Poll Workers and voters are shown in the polling room.)**

Remember if you have any questions or need additional information please contact our office at the telephone listed or visit our website at [www.votelevy.com](http://www.votelevy.com).

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I hope you have found this demonstration of Levy County's ImageCast Evolution (ICE) machine informative.

Additional ways to ensure your voting experience will be a pleasant one is to notify my office of any address or name changes as well as maintaining an updated signature.

Please feel free to contact me or my staff whenever necessary. We stand ready to assist the citizens of Levy County.

Remember freedom requires responsibility and your vote is important.

**(Supervisor Tammy Jones standing by machine, American flag to the left.)**

**(A slide displays the following information: Thank you for voting. Contact our office at 352-486-5163 or by email at [tammy@votelevy.com](mailto:tammy@votelevy.com). Special thanks to our volunteer actors. The following volunteers were featured in this video: Betty Anderson, Kearston Andrews, Cathy Bedford, Fannie Bernard, Annette Hudson, Brittany Smith, Cerise Smith. Also, special thanks to the Supervisor of Elections staff.)**