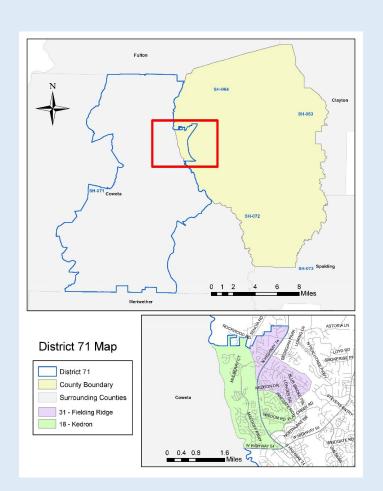
# SPECIAL RUNOFF ELECTION DISTRICT 71 OCTOBER 1, 2019

## DISTRICT 71 MAP



District 71 is mostly located in Coweta County with a small section in Fayette County.

In general, District 71 begins at the intersection of State Routes 54 and 74. It is west of State Route 74 and north of State Route 54. It follows the narrow stretch of Fayette County until approximately the border of the Town of Tyrone.

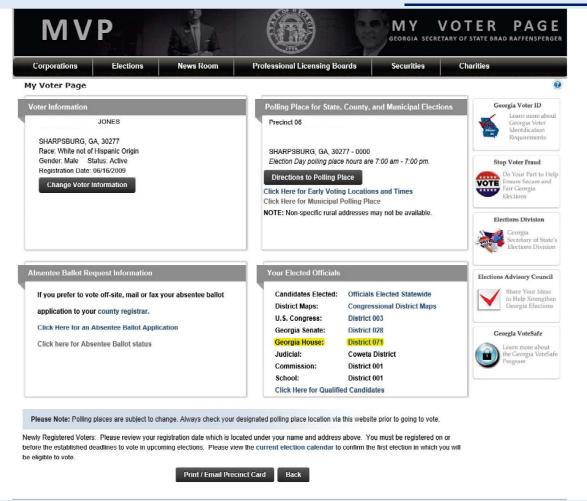
Just over 4,000 Fayette citizens are registered voters in District 71, meaning the majority of Fayette voters are not eligible to vote in this Special Election.

District 71 includes two county precincts: Kedron and Fielding Ridge.

There are two combos in each precinct <u>meaning not all voters in the Kedron</u> and Fielding Ridge precincts are located in District 71.

Voters may contact the Elections Office, review their Voter Card, or visit <a href="https://www.mvp.sos.ga.gov">www.mvp.sos.ga.gov</a> to determine if they reside in District 71.

## HOW TO DETERMINE IF YOU ARE IN DISTRICT 71



There are several ways for voters to determine which district they are assigned to.

#### Please refer to the following:

Contact Fayette County Elections at (770) 305-5408

**Review your Voter Registration Card** 

View "My Voter Page" at

www.mvp.sos.ga.gov

## State Representative (District 71) David Stover Resigns

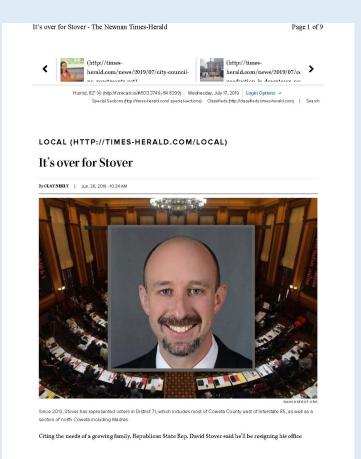
Republican State Representative David Stover resigned from office.

Represented District 71 since 2013.

Married a woman from England last summer. Following reelection in 2018, he said he intended to serve through his term in 2020 and then evaluate whether to run again.

Now expecting his first child with a due date in early 2020.

Governor Kemp called for a special election to fill Stover's unexpired term. The election will be held on September 3, 2019.



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http://times-herald.com/news/2019/06/rep-david-stover-resigns

## Call for Special Election for State Representative, District 71

Issued by the Georgia Secretary of State's Office on July 14, 2019. Placed in the Atlanta Journal-Constitution

Election comprises parts of Coweta and Fayette Counties.

Qualifying shall be held in the Elections Division of the Office of the Secretary of State.

Qualifying takes place on Wednesday, July 17, 2019 and Thursday, July 18, 2019 beginning at 9:00 a.m. and ending at 5:00 p.m. Qualifying concludes on Friday, July 19, 2019 from 9:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m.

Qualifying fee is \$400.00

Election Date is set for September 3, 2019

Run-Off Date is October 1, 2019



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LEGAL NOTICE

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PLEASE PRINT NOTICE ONCE ON July 14, 2019

#### CALL FOR SPECIAL ELECTION FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, DISTRICT 71

Notice is hereby given that a special election shall be held on September 3, 2019 in the parts of Coweta and Fayette Counties that comprise Georgia House District 71 after the resignation of State Representative David Stover. A run-off, if needed, shall be held on October 1, 2019.

Qualifying for the special election shall be held in the Elections Division of the Office of Secretary of State, 2 Martin Luther King Jr. Drive SE, West Tower Suite 802, Atlanta, Georgia 30334. The dates and hours of qualifying will be Wednesday, July 17, 2019 beginning at 9:00 a.m. and ending at 5:00 p.m., Thursday, July 18, 2019 beginning at 9:00 a.m. and ending at 5:00 p.m., and Friday, July 19, 2019 beginning at 9:00 a.m. and ending at 1:00 p.m. The qualifying fee shall be \$400.00.

Monday, August 5, 2019 is the last day to register to vote for all persons who are not registered to vote and who desire to vote in the special election.

Brad Raffensperger Secretary of State



## Who Can Qualify as a State Representative?

At the time of their election, the members of the House of Representatives shall:

- Be citizens of the United States
- Be at least 21 years of age
- Have been citizens of the state for at least two years
- Have been legal residents of the territory embraced within the district from which elected for at least one year

Constitution of the State of Georgia, Section II.- Composition of the General Assembly, Paragraph III.- Qualifications of members of the General Assembly (b)

## WHO QUALIFIED?

NINA BLACKWELDER REPUBLICAN QUALIFED DATE: 07/18/2019

JILL E. PROUTY DEMOCRATIC QUALIFIED DATE: 07/18/2019

MARCY WESTMORELAND SAKRISON REPUBLICAN QUALIFIED DATE: 07/18/2019

PHILIP SINGLETON REPUBLICAN QUALIFIED DATE: 07/17/2019

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON THE CANDIDATES CAN BE LOCATED AT:

https://elections.sos.ga.gov/GAElection/CandidateDetails

## Particulars for this Election

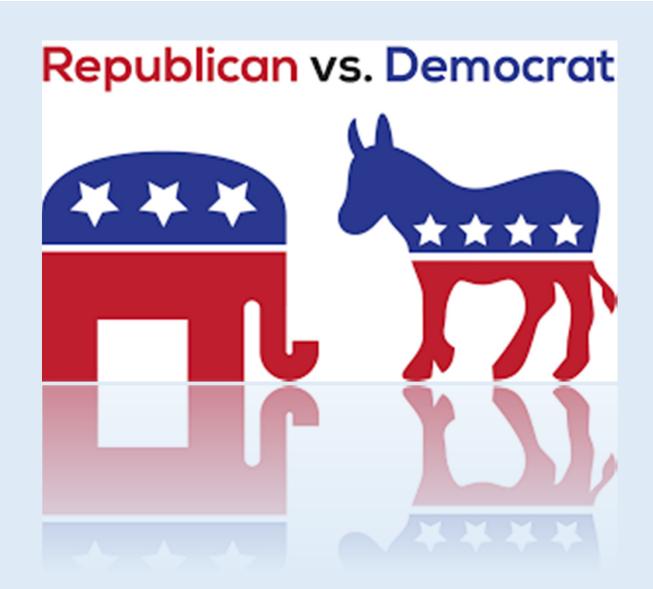
This is a partisan election- meaning any party can qualify to run for this office.

This is not a primary election. All who qualify, regardless of party, will be on the ballot.

The winner of the election must win 50% plus one vote.

The chances of a runoff increase with the numbers of candidates for office.

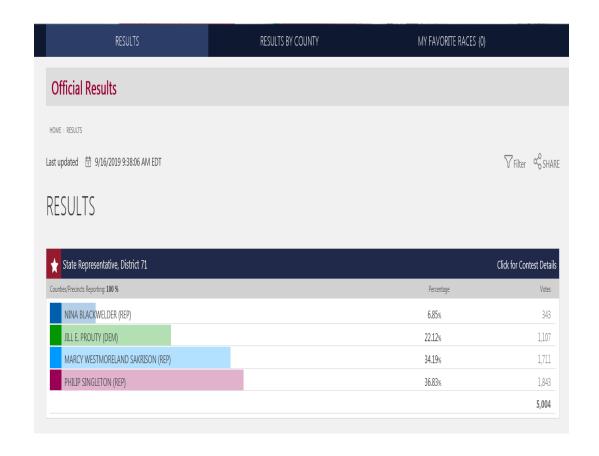
Four candidates have qualified for election.



## September, 3 Election Results

Philip Singleton and Marcy Westmoreland Sakrison received the two highest numbers of votes in Fayette and Coweta Counties.

Since neither candidate received more than 50% of the vote, they will face each other in the October 1, 2019 Special Runoff Election.



## Two Absentee In Person (Early Voting) Sites to be Opened

Due to the low number of eligible voters and the location of District 71 in Fayette County, it is recommended that only two Early Voting Locations be opened.

- Fayette County Administrative Complex
- Peachtree City Library

The hours of operation for both early voting locations are:

Wednesday, September 18 – Friday, September 20, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

and

Monday, September 23 – Friday, September 27; 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.



## Election Day Polling Locations

Only <u>TWO</u> Polling Locations will be open on Election Day.

Kedron (Precinct #18) located at Peachtree City Christian Church

Fielding Ridge (Precinct #31) located at Kedron Field House and Aquatic Center

Both locations will open on Tuesday,
October 1 at 7:00 a.m. and will close at 7:00 p.m.





## HOW MUCH WILL THIS SPECIAL ELECTION COST?

### **ESTIMATED SPECIAL ELECTION COSTS**

#### September 3, 2019 Election

Three Weeks of Early Voting Staffing at Two Locations: \$2

\$16,443.00

(includes mandatory Saturday voting)

Absentee by Mail Staffing: \$0.00

Election Day Staffing at Two Polling Places: \$1,560.00

Polling Location Rental: \$50.00

Technical Team Support \$1,131.00

Aggregate September 3, 2019 Election Costs: \$19,184.00

### **ESTIMATED SPECIAL ELECTION RUNOFF COSTS**

### October 1, 2019 Runoff Election

Two Weeks of Early Voting Staffing at Two Locations: \$9,642.50

Absentee by Mail Staffing: \$0.00

Election Day Staffing at Two Polling Places: \$1,320.00

Polling Location Rental: \$50.00

Technical Team Support \$1,131.00

Aggregate October 1, 2019 Runoff Election Costs: \$12,143.50

### **ESTIMATED SPECIAL ELECTION AGGREGATE COSTS**

#### **Special Election and Runoff Aggregate Costs**

Five Weeks of Early Voting Staffing at Two Locations: \$26,085.50

(includes one mandatory Saturday voting)

Absentee by Mail Staffing: \$0.00

Two Election Day Staffing at Two Polling Places: \$2,880.00

Polling Location Rental for Two Days: \$100.00

Technical Team Support \$2,262.00

Aggregate Special Election and Runoff Election Costs: \$31,227.50