



REGISTRAR OF VOTERS OFFICE OEPNS IN KENNER

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For Immediate Release

Registrar of Voters Office opening on 408 Minor St., Kenner Ribbon Cutting on Tuesday, September 13, 2011 at 10:00 a.m.

Kenner Mayor Michael S. Yenni is announcing a new Kenner Registrar of Voters office, a permanent, full-service office, able to perform all the services currently provided by offices in the Yenni Building and the Charles Odom Building on the Westbank. In other words, Kenner citizens, as well as all citizens of Jefferson Parish, will be able to use this new office to register to vote, change names and addresses, party affiliations, request absentee ballots, and vote in person during the periods of Early Voting. This office will be staffed by two permanent employees, with the office being open Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. This office will also be open during Early Voting from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. as well as on Election Day from 6:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Kenner Citizens won't have the aggravation of having to travel to the Yenni Building to cast an absentee ballot but rather make a short trip to this south Kenner location in the Rivertown area. Mayor Yenni is excited about the opening of the new office as an increase in total parish voter registration is anticipated as well as voter turnout due to the convenience of this location. A friendly and attentive staff looks forward to helping their "new neighbors" on opening day.

With the upcoming Gubernatorial, Councilmanic, and statewide elections in the fall, as well as next year's Presidential elections, Mayor Yenni is pleased to offer this new voter office as service is the top priority relating to the citizens of Kenner and the surrounding areas.