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**NEW VOTER CARDS BEING MAILED TO VOTERS  
AFFECTED BY CARLINVILLE REDISTRICTING**

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**Carlinville** - City of Carlinville residents who saw their ward change due to the recent redistricting of the city will be receiving a new voting card soon Macoupin County Clerk Pete Duncan announced recently.

After the City Council approved reducing the number of wards in the City of Carlinville from 5 to 4 at the October 1<sup>st</sup> meeting, the Macoupin County Clerk's office immediately went to work updating the voter file for each voter affected.

'The amount of time we had to work on ensuring each voter in the City of Carlinville was in the correct ward was not long due to length of time between when the city acted and when deadlines for the upcoming November election begin,' Duncan said, 'but the work was completed as efficiently as possible.'

Duncan said that in an effort to save taxpayer dollars only those whose ward changed would receive a new voter card from his office at this time. Any resident of the city who wishes to see which ward they are in is encouraged to visit the new Election Office website launched by Duncan that allows for voters to check their registration and which districts they are in, among other things.

A reminder was also given that this redistricting will not change where any resident of the city votes. 'This has been a question we've heard often,' Duncan said, 'the precincts in Carlinville did not change so everyone will still go to the same polling place that they have in the last few elections. Nothing from this redistricting has changed where a person goes to vote in Carlinville.'

Anyone with questions is encouraged to contact the Election Office at 217 854-3214 ext 707 or visit [www.macoupinvotes.com](http://www.macoupinvotes.com).

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