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Bring a photo ID to the polls on Election Day

Oct. 28, 2014 – Hampton voters go to the polls next week to consider candidates for three congressional seats and a proposed [constitutional amendment](#) that provides a tax exemption for surviving spouses of soldiers killed in action.

A reminder: this is the first year you must bring a valid photo ID with you to the polls. A valid ID can include a Virginia driver's license, U.S. passport, any photo ID issued by Virginia or the United States, a valid employee ID card, or a free Virginia voter photo ID card.

If you don't have any other photo identification, you can get a free Virginia ID at the Hampton Voter Registrar's Office, 1919 Commerce St., Suite 280. The office will be open from 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m. weekdays and on Saturday, Nov. 1, from 9 a.m.-5 p.m., for IDs and absentee voting.

Polling places will be open Tuesday, Nov. 4, from 6 a.m.-7 p.m., and will remain open for anyone who is in line at 7 p.m.

There are three candidates this year for one seat in the U.S. Senate; two candidates for the U.S. House of Representatives seat representing the Second District; and one candidate, incumbent Robert "Bobby" Scott, for the House seat representing the Third District.

For more information about voting in Virginia, including identification requirements, how to find your polling place and more, go online to see the Virginia Easy Voter Guide at <http://elections.virginia.gov/Files/Forms/VoterForms/EasyVoterGuide.pdf> or go to the voter registrar's page at <http://www.hampton.gov/Index.aspx?NID=263>