



Chicago Federation of Labor, AFL-CIO

Standing Up For Working Men and Women in Cook County

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Mr. Steve Tisza
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Dear Brother Tisza:

It is great to have an endorsement process.

It is great to do voter registration.

But the real test is at the ballot box!

Show your support by joining us at the CFL's Early Voting Rally on behalf of labor's endorsed candidates in the Primary. Come one - come all - to **Plumbers Hall, 1340 West Washington on Thursday, March 2nd at 5:00 p.m.** Bring your members in your jackets, hats and tee-shirts so your members will be readily recognizable.

Let's stand together and make a difference for working men and women.

Let's get the early vote out!

In unity,

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Get-Out-The-(Early)Vote Rally

**Thursday, March 2nd
5:00 PM**

**Plumbers' Hall
1340 W. Washington
Chicago, IL**

Come out and support labor's endorsed candidates for the March 21st Primary Election including Cook County Board President John Stroger and Cook County's next sheriff, Tom Dart!

Illinois voters can now cast their ballots before Election Day from February 27th through March 16 at designated locations.

Call 312-222-1000 for more information.

Vote early, vote labor!

**Committee on Political Education
Endorsement Recommendations**

March 21, 2006 Primary Election

Cook County Commissioner

John Stroger	President	Incumbent	Democrat
Bobbie Steele	2 nd District	Incumbent	Democrat
Jerry "Iceman" Butler	3 rd District	Incumbent	Democrat
John Stroger	4 th District	Incumbent	Democrat
Deborah Sims	5 th District	Incumbent	Democrat
Joan Patricia Murphy	6 th District	Incumbent	Democrat
Joseph Mario Moreno	7 th District	Incumbent	Democrat
Roberto Maldonado	8 th District	Incumbent	Democrat
Peter Silvestri	9 th District	Incumbent	Republican
John Daley	11 th District	Incumbent	Democrat
Larry Suffredin	13 th District	Incumbent	Democrat
William Gomolinski	16 th District	Challenger	Democrat
Elizabeth Gorman	17 th District	Incumbent	Republican

Cook County Treasurer

Maria Pappas	Countywide	Incumbent	Democrat
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Cook County Clerk

David Orr	Countywide	Incumbent	Democrat
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Cook County Assessor

James Houlihan	Countywide	Incumbent	Democrat
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Cook County Sheriff

Tom Dart	Countywide	Open Seat	Democrat
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Metropolitan Water Reclamation District

Terrence O'Brien	Countywide	Incumbent	Democrat
James Harris	Countywide	Incumbent	Democrat
Barrett Pedersen	Countywide	Open Seat	Democrat

Appellate Court

Michael Murphy	1 st District Hartigan Vacancy	Open Seat	Democrat
Joy Cunningham	1 st District Hartman Vacancy	Open Seat	Democrat

Circuit Court

Bellows Vacancy Mauricio Araujo	Countywide	Open Seat	Democrat
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Burr Vacancy Aurelia Pucinski	Countywide	Open Seat	Democrat
Jaffe Vacancy Mike Howlett, Jr.	Countywide	Open Seat	Democrat
Morrissey Vacancy Mike McHale	Countywide	Open Seat	Democrat
Nudelman Vacancy James Murphy	Countywide	Open Seat	Democrat
O'Brien Vacancy Joan O'Brien	Countywide	Incumbent	Democrat
Schiller Vacancy Thomas Byrne	Countywide	Open Seat	Democrat
Travis Vacancy John Stalmack	Countywide	Open Seat	Democrat
<u>Subcircuit Court</u>			
Orville Hambright	1 st Subcircuit Muse Vacancy	Open Seat	Democrat
Mike Stuttley	2 nd Subcircuit A Vacancy	Open Seat	Democrat
Thomas Murphy	3 rd Subcircuit Watson Vacancy	Open Seat	Democrat
Pat Rogers Bill O'Connor	4 th Subcircuit Varga Vacancy	Open Seat	Democrat Republican
Diane Shelley	5 th Subcircuit Greene Vacancy	Open Seat	Democrat
RoxAnne Rochester	6 th Subcircuit Jorzak Vacancy	Open Seat	Democrat
James McGing	10 th Subcircuit Golniewicz Vacancy	Open Seat	Democrat
Mary Roberts	11 th Subcircuit A Vacancy	Open Seat	Democrat
Mary Rochford	12 th Subcircuit A Vacancy	Open Seat	Democrat
Grace Dickler Steve Goebel	12 th Subcircuit Siebel Vacancy	Open Seat	Democrat Republican
Jill Marisie	13 th Subcircuit Bierman Vacancy	Open Seat	Republican
Mike Donahue	15 th Subcircuit Nowinski Vacancy	Open Seat	Democrat

2006 Illinois AFL-CIO Primary Election Endorsements

GOVERNOR

Gov. Rod Blagojevich (D)

LT. GOVERNOR

Pat Quinn (D)

ATTORNEY GENERAL

Lisa Madigan (D)

SECRETARY OF STATE

Jesse White (D)

COMPTROLLER

Dan Hynes (D)

TREASURER

Paul Mangieri (D)

U.S. CONGRESS

1st District	Bobby Rush (D)
2nd District	Jesse Jackson, Jr. (D)
3rd District	Dan Lipinski (D)
4th District	Luis Gutierrez (D)
5th District	Rahm Emanuel (D)
6th District	Tammy Duckworth (D)
7th District	Danny Davis (D)
9th District	Jan Schakowsky (D)
10th District	Daniel Seals (D)
12th District	Jerry Costello (D)
14th District	John Laesch (D)
16th District	Richard Auman (D)
17th District	Lane Evans (D)
19th District	Danny Stover (D)

SENATE

1st District	Antonio "Tony" Munoz (D)
3rd District	Mattie Hunter (D)
4th District	Kimberly Lightford (D)
6th District	John Cullerton (D)
7th District	Carol Ronen (D)
9th District	Jeff Schoenberg (D)
10th District	Jim DeLeo (D)
12th District	Martin Sandoval (D)
13th District	Kwame Raoul (D)
15th District	James Meeks (D)
16th District	Jacqueline Collins (D)
18th District	Edward Maloney (D)
19th District	Maggie Crotty (D)
22nd District	Michael Noland (D)
27th District	Peter Gutzmer (D)
30th District	Terry Link (D)
31st District	Michael Bond (D)
33rd District	Dan Kotowski (D)
34th District	Daniel Lewandowski (D)
36th District	Mike Jacobs (D)
39th District	Don Harmon (D)
40th District	Debbie Halvorson (D)
43rd District	A.J. Wilhelmi (D)
46th District	David Koehler (D)
49th District	Deanna Demuzio (D)
52nd District	Michael Frerichs (D)
57th District	James Clayborne (D)

ILLINOIS HOUSE

1st District	Susana Mendoza (D)	43rd District	Hollie Kissane (D)
2nd District	Edward Acevedo (D)	45th District	Rob Bisceglie (D)
3rd District	Willie Delgado (D)	51st District	Amanda Howland (D)
4th District	Cynthia Soto (D)	57th District	Elaine Nekritz (D)
5th District	Ken Dunkin (D)	58th District	Karen May (D)
7th District	Karen Yarbrough (D)	59th District	Kathleen Ryg (D)
8th District	Calvin Giles (D)	60th District	Eddie Washington (D)
9th District	Art Turner (D)	62nd District	Sharyn Elman (D)
10th District	Annazette Collins (D)	63rd District	Jack Franks (D)
11th District	John Fritchey (D)	67th District	Chuck Jefferson (D)
12th District	Sara Feigenholtz (D)	71st District	Mike Boland (D)
13th District	Larry McKeon (D)	72nd District	Pat Verschoore (D)
14th District	Harry Osterman (D)	74th District	Don Moffitt (R)
15th District	John D'Amico (D)	75th District	Careen Gordon (D)
16th District	Lou Lang (D)	76th District	Frank Mautino (D)
18th District	Julie Hamos (D)	77th District	Skip Saviano (R)
19th District	Joe Lyons (D)	78th District	Deborah Graham (D)
20th District	Michael McAuliffe (R)	79th District	Lisa Dugan (D)
21st District	Robert Molaro (D)	80th District	George Scully (D)
22nd District	Michael Madigan (D)	82nd District	Kim Savage (D)
23rd District	Dan Burke (D)	83rd District	Linda Chapa LaVia (D)
24th District	Elizabeth Hernandez (D)	86th District	Jack McGuire (D)
25th District	Barbara Flynn Currie (D)	87th District	Bill Mitchell (R)
26th District	Lovana "Lou" Jones (D)	91st District	Mike Smith (D)
27th District	Monique Davis (D)	92nd District	Bill Spears (D)
28th District	Robert Rita (D)	98th District	Gary Hannig (D)
29th District	David Miller (D)	99th District	Chuck Redpath (D)
30th District	William Davis (D)	101st District	Bob Flider (D)
31st District	Mary Flowers (D)	103rd District	Naomi Jakobsson (D)
32nd District	Milt Patterson (D)	106th District	Mike Phillips (D)
33rd District	Marlow Colvin (D)	107th District	Kurt Granberg (D)
34th District	Connie Howard (D)	111th District	Daniel Beiser (D)
35th District	Kevin Joyce (D)	112th District	Jay Hoffman (D)
36th District	Jim Brosnahan (D)	113th District	Thomas Holbrook (D)
37th District	Kevin McCarthy (D)	114th District	Wyvetter Younge (D)
38th District	Robin Kelly (D)	116th District	Dan Reitz (D)
39th District	Toni Berrios (D)	117th District	John Bradley (D)
40th District	Rich Bradley (D)	118th District	Brandon Phelps (D)

STATE APPELLATE COURT

1st District	Michael Murphy (D)	3rd District	Lance Peterson (D)
1st District	Joy Cunningham (D)	5th District	Bruce Stewart (D)