VERNON COUNTY
OFFICIAL NOTICE OF VOTING BY ABSENTEE BALLOT
Partisan Primary – August 11, 2026

State of Wisconsin)
County of Vernon)

VOTING BY ABSENTEE BALLOT

Any qualified elector who is unable or unwilling to appear at the polling place on Election Day may submit a request to vote an absentee ballot to their municipal clerk. A qualified elector is any U.S. citizen who:

- will be 18 years of age or older on Election Day.
- has resided in the ward or municipality where they wish to vote for at least 28 consecutive days before the election.

The elector generally must also be registered to vote to receive an absentee ballot. Proof of identification must be provided before an absentee ballot may be issued *

YOU MUST MAKE A REQUEST FOR AN ABSENTEE BALLOT IN WRITING OR ONLINE AT MYVOTE.WI.GOV.

Contact your municipal clerk and request that an application for an absentee ballot be sent to you for the primary or election or both. You may make written application to your municipal clerk for an absentee ballot in person, by mail, by fax, by email or at MyVote.wi.gov.

Your written request must include:

1. your voting address within the municipality where you wish to vote
2. the address where the absentee ballot should be sent, if different from the address above
3. your signature
4. a copy of your photo identification*

The deadline for making application to receive an absentee ballot by mail is: 5:00 p.m. on the fifth day before the election, August 6, 2026 **

***Voters who are indefinitely confined due to age, illness, infirmity, or disability may not be required to provide photo ID. If this applies to you, contact the municipal clerk regarding deadlines for requesting and submitting an absentee ballot.

****Special absentee voting application provisions apply to electors who are indefinitely confined, in the military, hospitalized, or serving as a sequestered juror. If this applies to you, contact the municipal clerk regarding deadlines for requesting and submitting an absentee ballot.

VOTING AN ABSENTEE BALLOT IN PERSON

You may also request and vote an absentee ballot from your Municipal Clerk, or other specified location during the days and hours specified for casting an absentee ballot in person. A listing of municipal clerks in the towns, villages, and cities of Vernon County, on whose behalf this notice is published, follows.

Contact your local municipal clerk for their voting procedures and times. The first day to vote an absentee ballot in the Clerk's office is July 28, 2026.

TOWN CLERKS		ADDRESS			OFFICE HOURS	PHONE
Bergen	Tina Dahl	4009 Markle Rd	LaCrosse	54601	By appointment	498-6227
Christiana	Tanya Glunz	S1280 Ninety Meter Drive	Westby	54667	By appointment	606-2504
Clinton	Lori Hemmersbach	E10206 Kelbel Road	Cashton	54619	By appointment	792-5757
Coon	Sara Rudie	E5601 Stendahl Lane	Chaseburg	54621	By appointment	452-3966
Forest	Denise Valentine	E15874 Hwy 33	Hillsboro	54634	By appointment	868-4057
Franklin	Tracy Thelen	S7211A Tainter Hollow Road	Viroqua	54665	By appointment	675-3773
Genoa	Jerry Pedretti	E860 Mundsack Road	Genoa	54632	By appointment	689-2808
Greenwood	Mary Stanek	E17749 Kouba Valley Road	Hillsboro	54634	Wed 5:00-7:00 by appointment	553-0964
Hamburg	Jackie Stalsberg	S1594 County Road K	Chaseburg	54621	By appointment	769-0004
Harmony	Carolyn Parr	S4102 County Road O	Viroqua	54665	By appointment	632-0820
Hillsboro	Jennifer Burchell	E17081 State Hwy 82	Hillsboro	54634	By appointment	489-3464
Jefferson	Kelsey Vance	E4998 Irish Ridge Rd	Viroqua	54665	9:00-3:00, M & TH by appointment	637-2587
Kickapoo	Dana Lee	447 E Kickapoo St	Readstown	54652	By appointment	629-5848
Liberty	Sharon Engh	E10491 Gore Hollow Road	Viola	54664	By appointment	606-0865
Stark	Kristi Jensen	727 Klondike Ave	Hillsboro	54634	By appointment	386-6692
Sterling	Kay Yanske	E5498 Yanske Avenue	Viroqua	54665	By appointment	675-3360
Union	Fay Urban	S4144 Pine Avenue	Hillsboro	54634	By appointment	528-4437
Viroqua	Nate Campbell	E7560A County Road BB	Viroqua	54665	By appointment	606-0208
Webster	Ardene Wirts	E11559 Buckeye Ridge Rd	La Farge	54639	By appointment	606-1444
Wheatland	Cindy Eisenman	E1816 Blackhawk Avenue	De Soto	54624	By appointment	648-3583
Whitestown	Mona Spohn	E12784 Spohn Dr	Ontario	54651	By appointment	625-4603

VILLAGE CLERKS

Chaseburg	Linda DeGarmo	400 Depot St., PO Box 156	Chaseburg	54621	By appointment	769-1919
Coon Valley	Renita Williamson	205 Anderson Street; PO Box 129	Coon Valley	54623	9-11 and 2-4 M, T, F	452-3168
De Soto	Carrie Brudos	Village Hall	De Soto	54624	8:00-5:00, T & F	648-2700
Genoa	Jerry Pedretti	Village Hall; PO Box 70	Genoa	54632	By appointment	689-2808
La Farge	Kimberly Walker	Village Hall; PO Box 37	La Farge	54639	8:00-4:00 M-F	625-4422
Ontario	Teresa Taylor	Village Hall; PO Box 66	Ontario	54651	8:30-4:30, M-TH	337-4381
Readstown	Chelsey Hoffman	Village Hall; PO Box 247	Readstown	54652	7:30-4:00 M-F	629-5627
Stoddard	Kent Hatlestad	Village Hall; PO Box 236	Stoddard	54658	8:00-5:00 M-TH, 8-12 F	457-2136
Viola	Dana George	Village Hall; PO Box 38	Viola	54664	8:30-4:30 M-F	627-1831

CITY CLERKS

Hillsboro	Sara McDonald	City Hall; PO Box 447	Hillsboro	54634	7:00-4:30 M-TH; 7:30-12:00 F	489-2521
Viroqua	Lori Polhamus	City Hall	Viroqua	54665	July 28 thru July 30 @ 8:30-4:00; Aug 3 thru Aug 6 @ 8:30-4:00; Aug 7 @ 8:30-Noon	637-7186
Westby	Roxy Wedwick	City Hall	Westby	54667	7:30-4:30 M-F	634-3214

The clerk will deliver voted ballots returned on or before election day to the polling place before the polls close on August 11, 2026. Any ballot received after the polls close will not be counted.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND OFFICIAL SEAL

/s/ *J. Pedretti* Vernon County Clerk