

VOTING BY ABSENTEE BALLOT

Any qualified elector who is unable or unwilling to appear at the polling place on Election Day may request to vote an absentee ballot. A qualified elector is any U.S. citizen, who will be 18 years of age or older on Election Day, who has resided in the ward or municipality where he or she wishes to vote for at least 10 consecutive days before the election. The elector must also be registered in order 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

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 also submit a written request in the form of a letter. Your written request must list your voting address within the municipality where you wish to vote, the address where the absentee ballot should be sent, if different, and your signature. You may make application for an absentee ballot by mail, email or in person.

Making application to receive an absentee ballot by mail

The deadline for making application to receive an absentee by mail is:

5:00 pm on Thursday, August 9, 2018

Note: Special absentee voting application provisions apply to electors who are indefinitely confined to home or a care facility, 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 in the clerk's office or other specified location during the days and hours specified for casting an absentee ballot in person.

Office Hours:

Monday through Friday 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Teri Lehrke, City Clerk
City of La Crosse
400 La Crosse St.
La Crosse, WI 54601

Phone: 789-7510

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Tuesday, 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. (Open until 5:00 p.m. Friday before election.)

Michelle Kind, Town Clerk
Town of Shelby
2800 Ward Ave.
La Crosse, WI 54601

Phone: 788-1032

Tuesday, 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Thursday, 3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. (Open until 5:00 p.m. Friday before election.)
Or By Appointment

Diane Elsen, Town Clerk
Town of Medary
N3393 Smith Valley Rd.
La Crosse, WI 54601

Phone: 781-2275

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday, 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Tuesday, 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Friday, 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. (Open until 5:00 p.m. Friday before election.)

Chadwick J. Hawkins, Town Clerk
Town of Campbell
2219 Bainbridge St.
La Crosse, WI 54603

Phone: 783-0050

Tuesday, 4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Thursday, 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Friday, 4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Or By Appointment

Lois Meinking, Town Clerk
Town of Greenfield
N1800 Town Hall Rd.
La Crosse, WI 54601

Phone: 787-0400

The first day to vote an absentee ballot in the clerk's office is:

Monday, July 30, 2018

The last day to vote an absentee ballot in the clerk's office is:

Friday, August 10, 2018

No in-person absentee voting may occur on the day before the election.

The municipal clerk will deliver voted ballots returned on or before Election Day to the proper polling place or counting location before the polls close on August 14, 2018. Any ballots received after the polls close will not be counted.

June 29, 2018

La Crosse Tribune
401 N. 3rd St.
La Crosse, WI 54601

Enclosed is an election notice to be published in the legal ads as a display ad on July 17, 2018. Please split the bill equally and send an invoice to the appropriate Municipal Clerk listed at the bottom of the notice.

Please send an Affidavit of Publication to each clerk listed.

If you have any questions, don't hesitate to call me at 789-7556.

Sincerely,

Teri Lehrke, WCPC
City Clerk

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