

# Voters Encouraged to Vote Absentee for April 7 Election

VILLAGE OF ALMENA – Because of COVID-19, voters are strongly urged to act now to vote absentee for the April 7th Spring General Election and Presidential Preference Primary. The situation is rapidly changing but as of now, polls will be open in Almena on Election Day. We will follow the direction of the State Health Dept in sanitizing procedures for the polling place to protect the health of both voters and election workers.

## How to Request an Absentee Ballot

There are several ways registered voters can request absentee ballots.

- 1) Request absentee ballots online MyVote Wisconsin, <https://myvote.wi.gov>. Just look for the “Vote Absentee” button near the top of the page and follow the steps.
- 2) Request absentee ballots by Mail - PO Box 277, Almena, WI 54805
- 3) Request absentee ballots by e-mail [clerk@chibardun.net](mailto:clerk@chibardun.net)
- 4) Request absentee ballots by Fax 715-357-6601

These requests must be accompanied by a copy of your photo ID. If you already have a photo ID on file from previous absentee requests under your current registration, you will not need to provide it again.

The deadline for registered voters to request an absentee ballot be mailed to you is **Thursday April 2, 2020**. However, it is best not to wait, due to possible delays in mail delivery. If you get an absentee ballot mailed to you, you can still decide to vote at the polls on Election Day if you haven't returned it.

Your absentee ballot must be received in the clerk's office or at the polling place by 8 p.m. on Election Day **Tuesday April 7, 2020**, so please request and return ballots as soon as possible.

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