State Primary/Referendum Election

July 14\textsuperscript{th}, 2020

Fort Fairfield Community Center

8am – 8pm

COVID-19 Election Day Protocol

\textit{PLEASE NOTE:} The Town Office will be open for \underline{Tax Payments} only on 7/14/2020; other staff will be at the Polls in the Community Center all day so the front lobby will not be open.

Please check our website for online options.

There are 2 ballots for this election…

- State Primary, 2-sided (Democrat and Republican)
- State Referendum

Lines will be slower and wait times will be longer due to distancing and sanitizing guidelines.

\textbf{SOCIAL DISTANCING WILL BE ENFORCED BY THE ELECTION WARDEN}

- You will enter and exit as normal through the main entrance; but you will be expected to follow the social distancing markings on the floor and cones outside.
- We will have 6ft distancing marked on the floor for waiting in line inside the polling area.
- Only one person will be allowed at the Registrars table at a time if you need to make any changes to your registration card (address, party affiliation).

Available voting booths will be the booths that have \underline{NO} Curtain on them, any others are not to be used.

- All booths will be sanitized between each voter.
- There will be hand sanitizer available in the voting area.
Pens will be handed out with the ballots for voters to use for marking their ballots; or feel free to bring your own. We will have a drop off container for the pens and we will disinfect them throughout the day.

We ask that you wear a mask in our building, but we cannot make you wear one.

Election workers will be required to wear masks or some form of face covering during their shift.

- There will be Plexi glass between the Ballot Clerks, Warden, Registrar, and the public.
- If you have any questions about your enrollment, you are encouraged to call or come to the office before the election: 472-3800 and speak with Neadra Dubois, Registrar

Requesting an Absentee Ballot is always an option if you are not comfortable going to the polls or you will not be available on Election Day.

Absentee ballots may be requested in writing, by phone, online, or in person up to and including the day of the election, without specifying a reason. However, if you are asking to receive your ballot by mail, please request it early enough to allow for postal mail delivery time – both to receive it and return it (2-5 days each way).

- You can request an absentee ballot by calling the Clerk’s office at 472-3800.
- You can request an absentee ballot in person at the Clerk’s office during regular office hours: Monday – Friday 7:30 am – 4:30 pm.
- You can request an absentee ballot online from the Secretary of State's website:
  
  https://www1.maine.gov/cgibin/online/AbsenteeBallot/online-form.pl

Stay safe and healthy!

Billie Jo Sharpe, Town Clerk & Warden
Neadra Dubois, Deputy Clerk & Registrar
For questions, call: 207- 472-3800