

# VILLAGE OF MAPLE BLUFF

## 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.

### **TO OBTAIN AN ABSENTEE BALLOT YOU MUST MAKE A REQUEST 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, a copy of your proof of identification and your signature. You may make application for an absentee ballot by mail, email or in person.

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.

You can also personally go to the clerk's office or other specified location and vote an absentee ballot during the hours specified for casting an absentee ballot.

**SARAH DANZ, CLERK  
VILLAGE OF MAPLE BLUFF  
18 OXFORD PLACE, MADISON WI 53704  
608-244-3048**

**8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. (5:00 p.m. – 11/3/16 & 11/4/16)**

THE DEADLINE FOR MAKING APPLICATION TO **VOTE ABSENTEE BY MAIL** IS 5:00 P.M. ON THE FIFTH DAY BEFORE THE ELECTION, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2016.

**MILITARY ELECTORS** SHOULD CONTACT THE MUNICIPAL CLERK REGARDING THE DEADLINES FOR REQUESTING OR SUBMITTING AN ABSENTEE BALLOT.

THE FIRST DAY TO **VOTE AN ABSENTEE BALLOT IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE** IS MONDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2016. THE DEADLINE FOR VOTING AN ABSENTEE BALLOT IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE IS 5:00 P.M. ON THE FRIDAY BEFORE THE ELECTION, FRIDAY NOVEMBER 4, 2016.

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 TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2016. ANY BALLOTS RECEIVED AFTER THE POLLS CLOSE WILL NOT BE COUNTED.

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