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CITY OF WAUPUN COVID-19 UPDATE: MARCH 21, 2020, 5:40 pm

WAUPUN, Wis. March 21, 2020 – In response to the COVID-19 pandemic here are the latest updates from the City of Waupun.

Updates from the City Clerk:

Federal Court Decision Orders Continuation of Online Registration Through March 30, 2020

Due to a federal court order issued, the Wisconsin Elections Commission (WEC) is working to reactivate the online voter registration functionality of www.myvote.wi.gov through March 30, 2020.

WEC staff hopes to complete the change back to online registration within a few days and will inform clerks and the public when that functionality is again available!

Due to COVID-19, voters in City of Waupun are strongly urged to act now to register and vote absentee for the April 7th Spring Election and Presidential Preference Primary.

REGISTRATION

Did you move? Change your name?

As the WEC has changed the deadline to March 30th for on-line registration, please log onto www.myvote.wi.gov and register to vote! You may still register in person at City Hall or at the polls on election day. You will need to provide a proof of residence.

EARLY VOTING CONTINUES

CAN YOU MAIL ME A BALLOT:

Yes! You may still request a ballot to be mailed to you – Deadline is **Thursday, April 2nd at 5:00pm!**

CAN I COME INTO CITY HALL TO VOTE IN PERSON:

Yes! You may come to City Hall (Monday – Friday * 8:00am – 430pm) and vote your ballot before election day – Deadline to vote in-person before the election is **Friday, April 3, 2020 at 5pm!**

I HAVE A DISABILITY, CAN I PULL UP IN MY CAR TO VOTE:

Yes! Please contact the City Clerk to establish a date and time for this service. Please call 920-324-7915.

After 5:00pm Friday, April 3rd, you will have to vote at the polls

POLLS OPEN ELECTION DAY!

Polls open at City Hall (201 E. Main Street, Waupun) on Tuesday, April 7, 2020 (7:00am – 8:00pm)

If you are experiencing symptoms or worry you may have been exposed to the coronavirus, Dodge County residents are to call 1-877-998-0022 and Fond du Lac County residents are to call 1-844-225-0147 for more direction from health officials before going to a healthcare facility.

Please remember that 9-1-1 is for emergency use only. First Responders throughout Fond du Lac County would like to remind everyone that calling 9-1-1 for assistance should be reserved for life-threatening emergencies only. Please do not call 9-1-1 for "flu-like" symptoms. Calling 9-1-1 for non-emergencies will put an unnecessary burden on an already-strained Emergency Medical System. If you have a true medical emergency, calling 9-1-1 is the right thing to do. If you have "flu-like" symptoms, please call a health care provider to discuss treatment options over the phone. Health care providers will give you recommendations for treating your symptoms without unnecessarily tying up an ambulance and overcrowding the emergency department and hospital.

The City of Waupun continues to follow recommendations from local, state, and federal agencies to establish preemptive measures to assist in reducing the spread of COVID-19. For information from the Center for Disease Control (CDC) regarding COVID-19, please visit: https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html. Information relative to the City's full response can be found www.cityofwaupun.org.