

ABSENTEE AND EARLY VOTING NOTICE

for the November 3, 2020, State & Federal General
and City of Tusculum Municipal Election

The Greene County Election Commission is hereby publishing notice of the early voting period for the November 3 2020, State & Federal General and City of Tusculum Municipal Elections. Any registered voter who is eligible to vote in the November 3, 2020, Election may vote in person during a period beginning twenty (20) days prior to the election and ending five (5) days before the election (TCA 2-6-102 (a)(1)). This period would run from **Wednesday, October 14, 2020, through Thursday, October 29, 2020.**

To vote in person during early voting, come to the **Election Commission Office's new location at 311 CCU Blvd, Suite 1, Greeneville, TN.** The office hours are as follows:

- Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- Tuesday and Thursday, from 8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and
- Saturday, October 17, 2020, and October 24, 2020, from 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 Noon.

The last day to register to vote in person or by postmark for the November 3, 2020, Election is October 5, 2020. (TCA 2-2-109)

The Election Commission will be closed for all Greene County Government observed holidays excluding Election Day.

PHOTO ID REQUIRED FOR VOTERS:

If you are voting in person during Early Voting or on Election Day, a Federal or State of Tennessee Government issued **photo ID** is required for voting, unless an exception applies. College student ID's and out-of-state photo ID's will not be accepted. Forms of acceptable identification, even if expired, include a Tennessee driver license with your photo, United States passport, Tennessee Department of Safety and Homeland Security photo ID, Photo ID issued by the federal government, United States military ID including a Veteran Identification Card, and a Tennessee handgun carry permit with your photo. To learn more about this law and its exceptions, please call the Greene County Election Commission or visit the Tennessee Division of Elections website at: www.GoVoteTN.com

PROCEDURES FOR VOTING ABSENTEE:

If a voter wishes to vote by mail, you must request a ballot in writing over your signature. The first day to receive a request for the November 3, 2020, State & Federal General and City of Tusculum Municipal Elections is ninety (90) days prior to the election (**Wednesday, August 5, 2020**) and the last day to receive a request is seven (7) days prior to the election (**Tuesday, October 27, 2020**). (TCA 2-6-202 (a)(1)) For more information on absentee by mail eligibility contact the Greene County Election Commission or visit the Tennessee Division of Elections website at: www.GoVoteTN.com

A voter may make the request or submit an application to vote by mail, facsimile transmission, or email with an attached document which includes a scanned signature. (TCA 2-6-202(a)(3))

The voter's request can serve as the application for ballot if it contains the following information:

1. The voter's name;
2. The voter's address of residence;
3. The voter's social security number;
4. The voter's date of birth;
5. The address to mail the ballot to;
6. The election in which the voter wishes to participate in;
7. The reason the voter is requesting to vote absentee; and
8. The voter's signature.

If the request does not contain all the information listed above, the election commission shall send the voter an application for an absentee ballot in order to obtain the needed information.

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