From the Town Clerk's Office

VOTING INFORMATION

IN ORDER TO PREPARE FOR ELECTION DAY THE TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE WILL NO LONGER BE OPEN THE DAY BEFORE AN ELECTION. PLEASE REMEMBER TO GET YOUR EARLY/ABSENTEE BALLOTS BY THE <u>THURSDAY</u> BEFORE THE ELECTION.

REGISTER TO VOTE: Vermont law has changed on registering to vote. We now have what they call "Same Day Voter Registration". Same day voter registration means that you can come to the polls on election day and if you have not already registered to vote in our town you may complete an application to the voter check list and upon approval you may be allowed to vote that day.

EARLY OR ABSENTEE BALLOTS: You or a family member on your behalf, may request an early or absentee ballot from your Town Clerk by telephone, mail or e-mail at any time up until **5:30 P.M.** on the **Thursday** before **all** elections.

You can also go to the Town Clerk's office and vote your ballot while at the office. Or, you can pick up your ballot, only **your** ballot, at the Town Clerk's office and take it home to vote. (You **cannot** pick up a ballot for your spouse or anyone else.)

If you take your ballot or have a ballot sent to you, you must return the ballot to the Town Clerk's office or to the polling place no later than 7:00 P.M. on the day of election.

If you are ill or disabled, you can request that a pair of Justices of the Peace deliver a ballot to you. You can request assistance in reading or marking your ballot from the justices. They must return the ballot to the Town Clerk for you.

ELECTION DATES:

Annual School Meeting - Saturday, February 26, 2022, 10:00 AM , Weathersfield School, Ascutney Annual Town Meeting - Saturday, February 26, 2022, 12:30 PM, Weathersfield

Voting by Australian Ballot - Tuesday, March 1, 2022, 10:00 AM to 7:00 PM

All Australian Balloting is held at: Martin Memorial Hall, Route 5, Ascutney