



OFFICIAL VOTING INFORMATION COUNTY OF BOTETOURT RESIDENTS



November 8, 2016 General Election for the County of Botetourt

Deadline to Register to Vote in the November 8, 2016 General Election is

Monday, October 17, 2016 @ 5:00 pm. The Botetourt County Department of Elections & Voter Registration will be open until 5:00 pm on Monday, October 17, 2016 for the purpose of registering qualified persons. Individuals who will be 18-years of age on or before November 8, 2016 are eligible to register to vote and participate in the November 8, 2016 General Election.

CHANGE OF NAME OR ADDRESS: If you are currently a registered voter and have had a **change to your name or address**, you must notify the Registrar in writing or appear in person in the Department of Elections & Voter Registration to update the information. Failure to update your information prior to Election Day will result in a delay at the polling location and/or the inability to vote.

****Notifying the Post Office does NOT change your Voter Registration information****

ABSENTEE VOTERS: Voters who will be unable to vote in their precinct on Election Day, may be eligible to vote absentee. For the convenience of registered voters who need to vote by **absentee ballot**, the Voter Registration Office will be open from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm on **Saturday, October 29, 2016 and Saturday, November 5, 2016 for in-person absentee voting.** Applications can be submitted online at www.elections.virginia.gov or requested by calling the Department of Elections & Voter Registration at (540) 928-2120. Deadline to receive absentee ballot applications to receive ballots by mail is Tuesday, November 1, 2016.

INTERESTED IN PARTICIPATING: Elections would not be possible without the participation of voters as election officials. These officials carry out important duties at each polling place to ensure the election is done efficiently and with integrity. We are looking for voters who would be interested in becoming election officials for upcoming elections. Come be a part of the Presidential election in November '16 while enjoying comradery with fellow Botetourt County citizens. A stipend is paid based on participation. Please contact our office for more information.

PRECINCT CHANGES: Botetourt County performed Precinct Consolidations in early 2015 which may have affected your polling location. If you are unsure if you were affected, please contact Botetourt County Department of Elections & Voter Registration at (540) 928-2120 to verify your polling location. Voters are required to vote at their assigned polling location on Election Day. You may also check your registration online at www.elections.virginia.gov.

All eligible Botetourt County residents are encouraged to register to vote. Please contact our office if you have any questions or concerns or would like to be involved with the Election process. For more information: http://www.botetourtva.gov/government/voter_info.php

Traci S. Clark, Director of Elections & General Registrar

Botetourt County Department of Elections & Voter Registration

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Office Hours: 8:30 am – 4:30 pm, Monday – Friday