

TOWN OF OULU
VOTING BY ABSENTEE BALLOT
February 16, 2016 Primary Election

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 28 consecutive days before the election. The elector must also be registered in order to receive an absentee ballot. **PROOF OF IDENTIFICATION MUST BE PROVIDED BEFORE AN ABSENTEE BALLOT MAY BE ISSUED.**

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 request an absentee ballot by 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, and your signature.

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, complete a written application, and vote an absentee ballot during the hours specified for casting an absentee ballot. Military Electors should contact the Municipal Clerk regarding the deadlines for requesting or submitting an absentee ballot.

You may also request and vote an absentee ballot in the clerk's office or other specified location during the days and hours specified for casting an absentee ballot in person.

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Hours: M-F; 8 a.m. - 7 p.m. by appointment only

The deadline for electors to register by mail to vote is 5 p.m. on January 27, 2016. The last day for electors to request an absentee by mail is 5 p.m. Thursday, February 11, 2016.

The first day to vote an absentee ballot in the clerk's office is:
Monday, February 1, 2016

The last day to vote an absentee ballot in the clerk's office:
Friday, February 12, 2016

No in-person absentee voting may occur on a weekend or legal holiday.

ALL VOTED BALLOTS MUST BE RETURNED TO THE MUNICIPAL CLERK SO THE CLERK CAN DELIVER THEM TO THE PROPER POLLING PLACE BEFORE THE POLLS CLOSE ON ELECTION DAY. ANY BALLOTS RECEIVED AFTER THE POLLS CLOSE WILL BE COUNTED BY THE BOARD OF CANVASSERS IF POSTMARKED BY ELECTION DAY AND RECEIVED NO LATER THAN 4:00 P.M. ON THE FRIDAY FOLLOWING THE ELECTION.

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