

**TOWN OF RUSSELL**  
**VOTING BY ABSENTEE BALLOT**  
Spring Election – April 7, 2015

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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.

**You must make a request for an absentee ballot in writing.**

Contact your municipal clerk and request that an application for an absentee ballot be sent to you for the election. You may also submit a written request in the form of a 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. You may make application for an absentee ballot by mail or in person.

**Making application to receive an absentee ballot by mail**

The deadline for making application to receive an absentee by mail is: **April 2, 2015 at 5 p.m.**

**Note:** 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.

<b>Town of Russell</b> David Good, Clerk 35900 State Hwy. 13 Bayfield, WI 54814 Town Office: 715-779-5338 Office Hrs.: Mondays, 8am-4 pm
<b>Other times by appointment only; please call Clerk to schedule.</b>
<b>No in-person absentee voting may occur on a weekend or legal holiday.</b>
<b>The first day to vote an absentee ballot in the clerk's office is March 23, 2015.</b>
<b>The last day to vote an absentee ballot in the clerk's office is April 3, 2015.</b>

The municipal clerk will deliver voted ballots returned on or before Election Day to the proper polling place or counting location before the polls close on April 7, 2015. Any ballots received after the polls close will be counted by the board of canvassers of postmarked by Election Day and received no later than 4:00 p.m. on the Friday following the election.

Posted Monday, March 16, 2015 at 4 p.m. – David L. Good – Clerk/Treasurer