

**Election Commission** 

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Milwaukee, WI – Absentee ballots for the April 5 Spring & Special Election are being mailed today! The City of Milwaukee Election Commission is pleased to announced that voters will have multiple return options when voting an absentee ballot by mail. A Waukesha circuit court has recently ordered the Wisconsin Election Commission to remove all guidance on unstaffed, 24 hour drop boxes. As a result, City of Milwaukee secure drop boxes will not be open for 24 hour service this election.

However, we still seek to offer convenience for voters who may not want or have time to mail their ballot through the United States Postal Service. **Voters can return their ballot to any of the nine (9) early voting sites during early voting hours. Additionally, we will be offering drive-up drop-off on both Saturdays at every early voting location from 10:00am - 3:00pm.** Voters will not need to leave their cars to drop off their ballots with an election worker. Voters across Wisconsin have shown a desire and demand for convenience voting options. The City of Milwaukee remains committed to making voting as easy and accessible as possible for our citizens.

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