

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION & REFERENDUM

November 3, 2020

At the General Election to be held on November 3, 2020, in all the Towns, Villages, & Cities of Pierce County, the following polling place locations will be used for the wards indicated. If you have any questions concerning your polling place, contact the municipal clerk. **“Hours” refer to local Clerk Office Hours, NOT Election Day hours.**

PIERCE COUNTY LOCATION & HOURS OF POLLING PLACES

ALL POLLING PLACES OPEN AT 7:00 A.M. AND CLOSE AT 8:00 P.M.
ALL POLLING PLACES ARE ACCESSIBLE TO THE ELDERLY AND DISABLED VOTERS.

Municipality	Polling Place	Clerk	Address	Hours
Town of Clifton Wards 1, 2, 3	Town Hall – W11705 County Rd. FF, River Falls	Kris Johnson 426-0760	N8619 1060 th St., River Falls	By Appointment
Town of Diamond Bluff Ward 1	Town Hall – W9870 290 th Ave., Hager City	Todd Mehrkens 612-987-1059	W9004 290 th Ave., Hager City	By Appointment
Town of Ellsworth Wards 1 & 2	St. Paul’s UCC Church – W5706 State Rd. 72, Ellsworth	Phyllis Beastrom 273-5847	W6244 410 th Ave., Ellsworth	By Appointment
Town of El Paso Ward 1	Town Hall – N5325 450 th St., Ellsworth	Sherri Heise 273-4811 (#2)	N5325 450 th St., Ellsworth	By Appointment
Town of Gilman Ward 1	Town Hall – W3616 770 th Ave., Spring Valley	Becky Manley 778-4425	W3176 690 th Ave., Spring Valley	By Appointment
Town of Hartland Ward 1	Town Hall – W6170 County Rd. EE, Bay City	Jaimie Murphy 715-495-0636	W7003 290 th Ave., Ellsworth	By Appointment – After 5 p.m.
Town of Isabelle Ward 1	Red Wing Airport Fire Station – W7138 148 th Ave, Bay City	Julie Erickson 792-2008	W7187 135 th Ave., Bay City	By Appointment
Town of Maiden Rock Ward 1	Town Hall – W2096 County Road CC, Maiden Rock	Darla Pittman 647-3953	N1575 35 th St., Plum City	By Appointment
Town of Martell Wards 1 & 2	Town Hall – W5581 800 th Ave., Spring Valley	Sara Cardwell 715-977-1202	W6562 870 th Ave., River Falls	By Appointment
Town of Oak Grove Wards 1, 2, 3	Town Hall – N4939 1100 th St., Prescott	Andria Hayday 262-4005	N4939 1100 th St., Prescott	By Appointment
Town of River Falls Wards 1, 2, 3	Town Hall – W9015 770 th Ave., River Falls	Susan Freiermuth 425-1117	N7998 State Hwy. 65, River Falls	By Appointment
Town of Rock Elm Ward 1	Town Hall – N5412 170 th St., Elmwood	Monica Robey 639-4080	N5427 County Rd. S, Elmwood	By Appointment
Town of Salem Ward 1	Town Hall – N3599 County Rd. A, Maiden Rock	Ruth Kay 612-756-0286	W1085 Cardinal Dr., Spring Valley	By Appointment
Town of Spring Lake Wards 1 & 2	Town Hall – N7717 County Rd. B, Spring Valley	Donna Borgschatz 715-307-3463	W2294 County Rd. G, Elmwood	By Appointment
Town of Trenton Wards 1 & 2	Town Hall – W7926 250 th Ave., Hager City	Steve Thoms 792-5218	W8074 147 th Ave., Hager City	By Appointment
Town of Trimbelle Wards 1 & 2	Town Hall – N5310 800 th St., Ellsworth	Mary Kees 273-5860	W9115 501 st Ave., Ellsworth	By Appointment
Town of Union Ward 1	Town Hall – 1119 First St., Plum City	Barbara Schneider 647-2122	1119 First St., Plum City	By Appointment
Village of Bay City Ward 1	Village Hall – W6391 Main St., Bay City	Kimberly Lunda 594-3168	W6391 Main St., Bay City	Monday – Friday 7 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Village of Ellsworth Wards 1 – 4	Seyforth Building County Fairgrounds- 364 N. Maple St., Ellsworth	Nicole Stewart 273-4742	130 N. Chestnut St., Ellsworth	Monday – Friday 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Village of Elmwood Ward 1	Village Hall – 323 W. Winter Ave., Elmwood	Amy Wayne 639-3792	323 W. Winter Ave., Elmwood	Monday – Friday 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Village of Maiden Rock Ward 1	Village Hall – N510 County Rd. S, Maiden Rock	Shirley Gilles 448-2205	N510 County Rd. S, Maiden Rock	By Appointment
Village of Plum City Ward 1	Senior Citizen Center – 501 Main St, Plum City	Roxanne Gilles 647-2612	501 Main St., Plum City	Monday – Friday 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Village of Spring Valley Wards 1 – 3	Village Hall – E121 S. Second St., Spring Valley	Luann Emerson 778-5635	E121 S. Second St., Spring Valley	Monday – Friday 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
City of Prescott Wards 1 – 6	Old Ptacek’s Event Center – 1449 Orrin Rd., Prescott	Jayne Brand 262-5544	800 Borner St., Prescott	Monday – Friday 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
City of River Falls Dist. 1, Ward 5	Public Library – 140 Union St., River Falls	Amy White 426-3408	222 Lewis St., River Falls	Monday – Friday 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.
City of River Falls Dist. 3, Wards 6, 7, 8	City Hall Training Rm – 222 Lewis St., River Falls	Amy White 426-3408	222 Lewis St., River Falls	Monday – Friday 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.
City of River Falls Dist. 2, Wards 9, 10, 11	UWRF Falcon Center – 1110 S. Main St., River Falls (Upper Level Mezzanine)	Amy White 426-3408	222 Lewis St., River Falls	Monday – Friday 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.
City of River Falls Dist. 4, Wards 12, 13, 14	River Falls High School – 818 Cemetery Rd., River Falls (Media Center)	Amy White 426-3408	222 Lewis St., River Falls	Monday – Friday 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Notice of Meeting of the Local and Municipal Board of Canvassers

At the close of voting on Election Day, pursuant to the provisions of Wis. Stat. §19.84, the Election Inspectors will convene as a joint meeting of the Local Board of Canvassers and the Municipal Board of Canvassers for the purpose of conducting the local and municipal canvasses pursuant to Wis. Stat. §§7.51 and 7.53(1). This meeting will be open to the public pursuant to Wis. Stat. §§19.81-89.

UNOFFICIAL ELECTION RESULTS WILL BE POSTED ON THE PIERCE COUNTY WEBSITE:

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**Notice of General Election, Referendum
and
Sample Ballots**

November 3, 2020

OFFICE OF THE PIERCE COUNTY CLERK

TO THE VOTERS OF PIERCE COUNTY:

Notice is hereby given of a General Election to be held in Pierce County on November 3, 2020, at which the nominees for the offices named below shall be chosen. The names of the candidates for each office, whose nominations have been certified to or filed in this office, are given under the title of the office under the appropriate party, each in its proper column, together with the questions submitted to a vote, if any, in the sample ballot below.

INFORMATION TO VOTERS

Upon entering the polling place, a voter shall state his or her name and address, show an acceptable form of photo identification and sign the poll book before being permitted to vote. **If a voter does not have acceptable photo identification, the voter may obtain a free photo ID for voting from the Division of Motor Vehicles.** If a voter is not registered to vote, a voter may register to vote at the polling place serving his or her residence if the voter provides proof of residence. Where ballots are distributed to voters, the initials of two inspectors must appear on the ballot. Upon being permitted to vote, the voter shall retire alone to a voting booth or machine and cast his or her ballot except that a voter who is a parent or guardian may be accompanied by the voter's minor child or minor ward. An election official may inform the voter of the proper manner for casting a vote, but the official may not in any manner advise or indicate a particular voting choice.

Voting for President and Vice President

A vote for candidates for President and Vice President is a vote for the presidential electors of those candidates. A write-in vote for President and Vice President must designate the name of a presidential candidate. A write-in vote for a candidate for President only will be counted. A write-in vote for a candidate for Vice President only will not be counted.

Where Paper Ballots are Used

The voter shall make an **(X)** or other mark in the square next to the name of the candidate of his or her choice for each office for which he or she intends to vote. To vote for a person whose name does not appear on the ballot, the voter shall write in the name of the person of his or her choice in the space provided for a write-in vote. When voting for President and Vice President, the voter shall make an **(X)** or other mark next to the set of candidates (ticket) for president and vice president for whom he or she intends to vote. To vote for a Presidential ticket that does not appear on the ballot, the voter shall write in the names of persons of his or her choice in the spaces provided. On referendum questions, the voter shall make a cross **(X)** in the square next to "yes" if in favor of the question, or the voter shall make a cross **(X)** in the square next to "no" if opposed to the question.

Where Optical Scan Voting is Used

The voter shall fill in the oval or connect the arrow next to the name of the candidate of his or her choice for each office for which he or she intends to vote. To vote for a person whose name does not appear on the ballot, the voter shall write in the name of the person of his or her choice in the space provided for a write-in vote and fill in the oval or connect the arrow next to the write-in line. When voting for President and Vice President, the voter shall fill in the oval or connect the arrow next to the set of candidates (ticket) for president and vice president for whom he or she intends to vote. To vote for a Presidential ticket that does not appear on the ballot, the voter shall write in the names of persons of his or her choice in the spaces provided and fill in the oval or connect the arrow next the write-in lines. On referendum questions, the voter shall fill in the oval or connect the arrow next to "yes" if in favor of the question, or the voter shall fill in the oval or connect the arrow next to "no" if opposed to the question.

When using an *electronic ballot marking device* ("Automark," "Express Vote," "Clear Access" or "ImageCast Evolution-ICE") to mark an **optical scan** ballot, the voter shall touch the screen at the name of the candidate of his or her choice for each office for which he or she intends to vote. To vote for a person whose name does not appear on the ballot, the voter shall type in the name of the person of his or her choice in the space provided for a write-in vote. When voting for President and Vice President, the voter shall touch the screen at the set of candidates (ticket) for president and vice president for whom he or she intends to vote. To vote for a Presidential ticket that does not appear on the ballot, the voter shall type in the names of persons of his or her choice in the spaces provided. On referendum questions, the voter shall touch the screen at "yes" if in favor of the question, or the voter shall touch the screen at "no" if opposed to the question.

Where Touch Screen Voting is Used

The voter shall touch the screen at the name of the candidate of his or her choice for each office for which he or she intends to vote. To vote for a person whose name does not appear on the ballot, the voter shall type in the name of the person of his or her choice in the space provided for a write-in vote. When voting for President and Vice President, the voter shall touch the screen at the set of candidates (ticket) for president and vice president for whom he or she intends to vote. To vote for a Presidential ticket that does not appear on the ballot, the voter shall type in the names of persons of his or her choice in the spaces provided. On referendum questions, the voter shall touch the screen at "yes" if in favor of the question or the voter shall touch the screen next to "no" if opposed to the question.

The vote should not be cast in any other manner. Not more than five minutes' time shall be allowed inside a voting booth. Sample ballots or other materials to assist the voter in marking his or her ballot may be taken into the booth and copied. The sample ballot shall not be shown to anyone so as to reveal how the ballot is marked.

Spoiled Ballots

If a voter spoils a **paper or optical scan** ballot, he or she shall return it to an election official who shall issue another ballot in its place, but not more than three ballots shall be issued to any one voter. If the ballot has not been initialed by two inspectors or is defective in any other way, the voter shall return it to the election official who shall issue a proper ballot in its place.

The voter may spoil a **touch screen** ballot at the voting station before the ballot is cast.

After Voting the Ballot

After an official **paper** ballot is marked, it shall be folded so that the inside marks do not show, but so the printed endorsements and inspectors' initials on the outside do show. The voter shall then deposit his or her folded ballot in the proper ballot box or deliver the ballot to an inspector for deposit and leave the polling place promptly.

After an official **optical scan** ballot is marked, it shall be inserted in the security sleeve so the marks do not show. The voter shall then insert the ballot in the voting device and discard the sleeve, or deliver the ballot to an inspector for deposit. If a central count system is used, the voter shall insert the ballot in the ballot box and discard the sleeve, or deliver the ballot to an inspector for deposit. The voter shall leave the polling place promptly.

After an official **touch screen** ballot is cast, the voter shall leave the polling place promptly.

A voter may select an individual to assist in casting his or her vote if the voter declares to the presiding official that he or she is unable to

read, has difficulty reading, writing, or understanding English, or that due to disability is unable to cast his or her ballot. The selected individual rendering assistance may not be the voter's employer or an agent of that employer or an officer or agent of a labor organization which represents the voter.

The following is a sample of the official ballot:

Jamie R. Feuerhelm
Pierce County Clerk

The following are samples of the official ballots:

MACHINE/OPTICAL SCAN BALLOTS:

(printer insert machine ballots here)