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Voters Encouraged to Request Absentee Ballots Early, Utilize Online Tools *New Polling Place Location Letters Sent with Old Location Address to be Re-Issued*

PITTSBURGH – While the deadline for voters to apply for an absentee ballot is October 30, the Allegheny County Elections Division today encouraged voters who will be seeking an absentee ballot to apply early. Voters are also encouraged to submit their applications in person which will allow them to receive an absentee ballot that can be completed and returned while in the office.

Voters who will be absent from their municipality on November 6, or those who cannot reach the polls due to an illness or physical disability, must apply for an absentee ballot by next Tuesday, October 30. Specifically, applications for an absentee ballot must be completed, signed and received before 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 30. Completed absentee ballots must then be received by the Elections Division no later than 5:00 p.m. on Friday, November 2.

The downloadable request [form](#), in several languages, can be found at the Department of State's website, VotesPA.com. Applicants will be expected to provide basic voter registration information and to specify the reason for applying to vote absentee. Voters wishing to submit their applications in person can do so at the Elections Division between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. The office is located at 542 Forbes Avenue in Room 601 of the County Office Building in downtown Pittsburgh (Pittsburgh, PA 15219).

All those voting by absentee ballot will be required to provide a Pennsylvania Driver's License number, PennDOT ID number, or the last four digits of their social security number. If none of these are available, a photocopy of an acceptable photo ID must be included. A list of approved, alternative types of identification is available on the [Absentee Ballot page](#) of VotesPA.com. If in doubt, voters may call the county's Elections Division at 412-350-4520 or the VotesPA toll-free number at 1-877-VotesPA (877-868-3772) regarding acceptable ID.

The Elections Division also reminds residents who intend to vote in the General Election that they may verify their registration, look up their polling place and view a sample ballot online at the county's "[On Election Day](#)" webpage. Of particular note, there is a proposed county Home Rule Charter amendment question on all ballots in the county. Additionally, three municipalities also have questions on the ballot in those municipalities for this election. Bethel Park has four questions, Monroeville five, and West Deer four questions. Voters in those municipalities are encouraged to review their sample ballot to view the questions, as well as the explanation for each, prior to election day.

Finally, there are 33 polling place locations that have changed since the May primary election. Voters in affected voting districts received letters that mistakenly listed the old polling place location earlier this week. Corrected letters are being issued with the new polling place locations. Additionally, the Elections Division will post notices at the old polling locations on Election Day to redirect voters to the new locations. Information will also be shared via social media and directly with the impacted municipalities as well.

The complete list of new polling places follows on the second page:

Municipality	Ward	District	New Polling Place Location
Baldwin Borough	0	1	St. Albert the Great, 3198 Schieck Street
Baldwin Borough	0	2	St. Albert the Great, 3198 Schieck Street
Baldwin Borough	0	7	North Zion Lutheran Church, 5100 Brownsville Road
Baldwin Borough	0	10	North Zion Lutheran Church, 5100 Brownsville Road
Baldwin Borough	0	11	Baldwin United Presbyterian Church, 201 Knoedler Road
Carnegie	1	1	Carnegie Borough Building, One Veterans Way
Carnegie	1	4	Carnegie Borough Building, One Veterans Way
McCandless	2	1	North Allegheny Senior High Entrance, 10375 Perry Highway
McCandless	2	2	Ingomar Elementary School, 602 W Ingomar Road
Mt. Lebanon	5	3	Mt. Lebanon United Lutheran Church, 975 Washington Road
Mt. Lebanon	5	5	Mt. Lebanon United Lutheran Church, 975 Washington Road
Mt. Lebanon	5	8	Mt. Lebanon United Lutheran Church, 975 Washington Road
Penn Hills	2	1	Victory Temple Sunday School Class, 2824 Graham Boulevard
Penn Hills	3	5	Hebron United Presbyterian Church, 10460 Frankstown Road
Penn Hills	7	5	Mt. Hope Community Presbyterian, 12106 Frankstown Road
Pittsburgh	2	1	Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh, 612 Smithfield Street
Pittsburgh	4	3	Oak Hill Management Office, 280 Burrows Street
Pittsburgh	11	2	Laurentian Hall Apts., 5321 Penn Avenue
Pittsburgh	11	4	Laurentian Hall Apts., 5321 Penn Avenue
Pittsburgh	11	6	Mt. Ararat Community Center, 745 North Negley Avenue
Pittsburgh	11	11	Mt. Ararat Community Center, 745 North Negley Avenue
Pittsburgh	11	17	Mt. Ararat Community Center, 745 North Negley Avenue
Pittsburgh	15	6	Magee Center, 745 Greenfield Avenue
Pittsburgh	26	16	Riverview Park Visitor Center, 158 Riverview Drive
Plum	0	8	Holiday Park Church of Christ, 1510 Abers Creek Road
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Shaler	1	4	Cherry City VFC, 309 Davis Avenue
Stowe	2	2	Ohioview Towers, 92 Pleasant Ridge Road
Stowe	4	1	Rocky's Restaurant, 1562 Island Avenue
Upper St. Clair	3	1	Twp Bldg Lower Level Training Rm, 1820 McLaughlin Run Road
Upper St. Clair	3	3	Twp Bldg Lower Level Training Rm, 1820 McLaughlin Run Road
Wilkinsburg	1	6	Community Forge/Johnston School, 1256 Franklin Avenue
Wilkinsburg	2	1	Community Forge/Johnston School, 1256 Franklin Avenue

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