

Pursuant to a federal court order issued on Saturday, March 21st, the Wisconsin Elections Commission (WEC) has reactivated the online voter registration functionality of MyVote Wisconsin through March 30, 2020.

The City of Chippewa Falls Clerk's Office is continuing to urge residents to vote absentee **by mail**. **Absentee ballots cannot be requested over the phone. Requests must be received in writing in one of the following ways:**

If you have internet access, the easiest way is to sign up at MyVote Wisconsin <https://myvote.wi.gov>. Just look for the "Vote Absentee" button near the top of the page. On a mobile phone, use the menu button in the upper right corner of the website. There is a three-step process that starts with putting in your name and date of birth, followed by requesting your ballot. If you don't already have a photo ID on file with the clerk's office, you will be prompted to upload a copy. Mobile phone users can take a picture and upload it to MyVote. Absentee ballot requests submitted this way go directly to the clerk's office.

Voters can also request absentee ballots by mailing, emailing, or faxing the clerk's office. Contact information for the City Clerk is as follows:

City Clerk  
30 W Central Street  
Chippewa Falls, WI 54729  
Fax: 715-726-2759  
Email: [bgivens@chippewafalls-wi.gov](mailto:bgivens@chippewafalls-wi.gov)

These requests must be accompanied by a copy of your photo ID.

Voters who are indefinitely confined, meaning they may have difficulty getting to the polls for reason of age, illness, infirmity, or disability are not required to provide a photo ID.

The deadline for registered voters to request an absentee ballot be mailed to you is the Thursday before the election, April 2. Your absentee ballot must be received in the clerk's office or at your polling place by 8 p.m. on Election Day.