

TOWN OF WASCOTT

VOTING BY ABSENTEE BALLOT **Spring Election – April 6, 2010**

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 10 days before the election. The elector must also be registered in order to receive an absentee ballot.

TO OBTAIN AN ABSENTEE BALLOT YOU MUST MAKE A REQUEST IN WRITING.

Contact your municipal clerk and request that an application for an absentee ballot be sent to you for the upcoming election. You may also request an absentee ballot by 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.

Each person requesting an absentee ballot must provide a signature.

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.

You can personally go to the clerk's office and complete a written application, and **vote an absentee ballot during the hours specified for casting an absentee ballot beginning March 16, 2010.**

(Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 7:30 a.m.-12:00 Noon)

Jeannette Atkinson, Clerk-Treasurer

Town of Wascott

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The deadline for making application to vote absentee by mail is 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 1, 2010.

The deadline for voting an absentee ballot in the clerk's office is 5:00 p.m. on Monday, April 5, 2010.

All voted ballots must be returned to the town clerk so the clerk can deliver them to the proper polling place before the polls close on election day. Any ballots received after the polls close will not be counted.

(Posted this 3rd day of March, 2010 at the Wascott Town Hall, Wascott Fire Department, Stop-A-Sec, McNamara's and the town's website-www.townofwascott.org)