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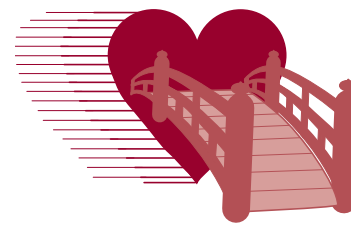
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SPECIAL ELECTION EDITION

"BRING IT TO THE BALLOT" WISCONSIN NOW REQUIRES A PHOTO ID TO VOTE

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Beginning with the 2012 February Primary and all subsequent elections thereafter, Wisconsin electors must show an acceptable photo ID before receiving and casting a ballot.

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DO I HAVE THE RIGHT PHOTO ID?

If you have one of these photo ID's you are ready to vote!

These are acceptable for voting purposes, and can be unexpired or expired after the date of the most recent general election (currently, the November 2, 2010 election):

- A Wisconsin DOT-issued driver license, even if driving privileges are revoked or suspended
- A Wisconsin DOT-issued identification card
- Military ID card issued by a U.S. uniformed service
- A U.S. passport

These photo IDs are also acceptable for voting purposes, but must be unexpired:

- A certificate of naturalization that was issued not earlier than two years before the date of an election at which it is presented
- A driving receipt issued by Wisconsin DOT (valid for 45 days)
- An identification card receipt issued by a federally recognized Indian tribe in Wisconsin
- A photo identification card issued by a Wisconsin accredited university or college that contains date of issuance, signature of student, and an expiration date no later than two years after date of issuance. **Also, the university or college ID must be accompanied by a separate document that proves enrollment.**

Important things to know:

- There is no such thing as a "Wisconsin Voter ID card". The new Voter Photo ID Law uses existing photo ID's for people to prove their identity before voting.
- The address on your ID doesn't have to be current. And the name on your ID doesn't need to be an exact match for your name in the poll book. (So, Richards who go by Rich, Bobs who are also Roberts and Susans with IDs for Sue can all relax).
- Of course, there are certain requirements. Your ID should look like you. Even if you've colored your hair, shaved your beard or lost some weight, as long as your photo ID reasonably resembles you, it should be accepted.

How do I get a Free State ID card?

Required documents for a FREE Wisconsin ID for voting purposes:

To get a Free State ID for voting purposes you must provide your social security number and present any documentation listed below that proves your name & date of birth, legal presence, identity, and Wisconsin residency.

One acceptable document can be presented as proof in multiple categories.

Name & Date of Birth (need one)

- Birth certificate (certified)
- Certificate of Citizenship
- Driver License (Other U.S.)
- Foreign Passport (valid w/I-551 or I-94 arrival and departure)
- TSA Worker ID (Transportation Worker Identification Credential)
- Arrival/Departure Record
- Court Order: Adoption, Divorce Name or Gender

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7:30 am – 4:30 pm Monday – Friday

Community Events



BOARD AND COMMISSION MEETING SCHEDULES:

Meetings are held in the Board Room, Municipal Building, 210 Cottonwood Avenue and begin at 7:00 p.m.

- 1st Monday.....Park and Recreation Board meeting
- 2nd & 4th Mondays.....Village Board meetings
- 2nd Tuesday.....Police and Fire Commission meeting - 7:30 p.m.
- 3rd Monday.....Architectural Board/Plan Commission meeting

Agendas are posted in the entryways of the Municipal Building as well as on the website: www.villageofhartland.com



RECYCLING CENTER

701 Progress Drive
Open Fridays from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Due to the recent state law prohibiting the disposal of electronic waste materials into the landfill, the Village has expanded our recycling drop off site to accept the collection of televisions, computer peripherals, consumer printers, fax machines, VCR's DVD players/recorders, notebook, laptop and desktop computers and computer monitors. These may be deposited in a separate drop off box located in the Public Works Yard during the open recycling hours as noted above.

To receive the Electronic Newsletter "Hartland Happenings" go to the village website at www.villageofhartland.com and register to receive timely news updates from the Village.

Wisconsin Residency (need one)

Pay Stub
 Mortgage Documents
 Utility Bill (includes Cable & Landline Phone)
 Employee Photo ID
 Dept. of Corrections Document
 Insurance Policy
 Financial Institution Statement
 College Enrollment Document
 Certified School Record
 Gov-Issued Correspondence



A complete list of documents that are acceptable for obtaining your Free State ID can be found at:
www.dot.wisconsin.gov/drivers/drivers/apply/idcard.htm

If a person has none of the photo ID forms listed above, a Wisconsin ID can be freely obtained for voting purposes if these requirements are met:

- Must be at least 18 years of age on the date of the next election
- Eligible to vote in Wisconsin
- Do not currently have a valid or unexpired WI Driver License (DL)
- Do not have a WI State ID card that is not eligible for renewal

Valid out-of-state driver licenses must be surrendered to obtain a WI State ID card.

When applying at the DMV for a Wisconsin ID, check the box indicating that you want it FREE for voting purposes. Once documentation is accepted, the FREE Wisconsin ID Card is processed and mailed. A Wisconsin ID Card Receipt is issued and is an acceptable ID for voting purposes until your card arrives.

Are There EXEMPTIONS/Exceptions to the New Law?

Photo ID is always required when voting at the polling place and at the clerk's office unless you are a confidential elector.

Photo ID is not required for these absentee voters:

- Military electors
- Voters who are permanently abroad
- Confidential electors

Photo ID is not required, but is replaced with alternative requirements for these absentee voters:

- Indefinitely confined voters
- Nursing home and other care facility residents who have ballots delivered by a

Special Voting Deputy

- Residents of care facilities who are not visited by a Special Voting Deputy

PROVISIONAL BALLOTS:

Voters who do not provide Photo ID

Voters, including absentees, who are required but unable to provide photo ID may vote by provisional ballot.

Provisional ballots are not counted unless the voter provides an acceptable photo ID to the municipal clerk by 4 p.m. the Friday after the election.

CHANGES TO ABSENTEE VOTING:

Absentee in the Clerk's Office

Absentee voting in the clerk's office is now restricted to the two weeks before an election. **Absentee voting now ends at the close of business the Friday before the election. For the Spring Primary that date is Friday, February 17, 2012 at 5:00 p.m.** Please plan appropriately.

The new law prohibits absentee voting and voter registration the Saturday, Sunday or Monday before an election.

Beginning in 2012, absentee voters in the clerk's office must present the same type of photo ID required at the polls.

Absentee Requests by Mail

Beginning in 2012, absentee requests for ballots sent by mail must be accompanied by a photocopy of an acceptable form of voter ID.

Once you have sent the clerk's office a photocopy of your ID, you will not need to send photocopies with future absentee ballot requests by mail, fax or email unless you change your name or address.

Absentee Requests by Email/Fax

If submitting an absentee request via fax or email, you must either include a photocopy of acceptable ID with your request or place a copy in your absentee ballot envelope.

Clerks can only email or fax absentee ballots to military or overseas electors.

Clerks cannot email or fax ballots to any other electors.

OTHER ELECTION LAW CHANGES

Signing the Poll Book

Voters must sign the poll book to obtain a ballot. The poll book now contains a signature block for each voter. Only one poll book needs to be signed.

Voters unable to sign the poll book because of a physical disability are exempt from this requirement. If this applies to you, tell the election officials that you are unable to sign because of a disability. Election officials will write "exempt" in your signature block.

Hospitalized Voters

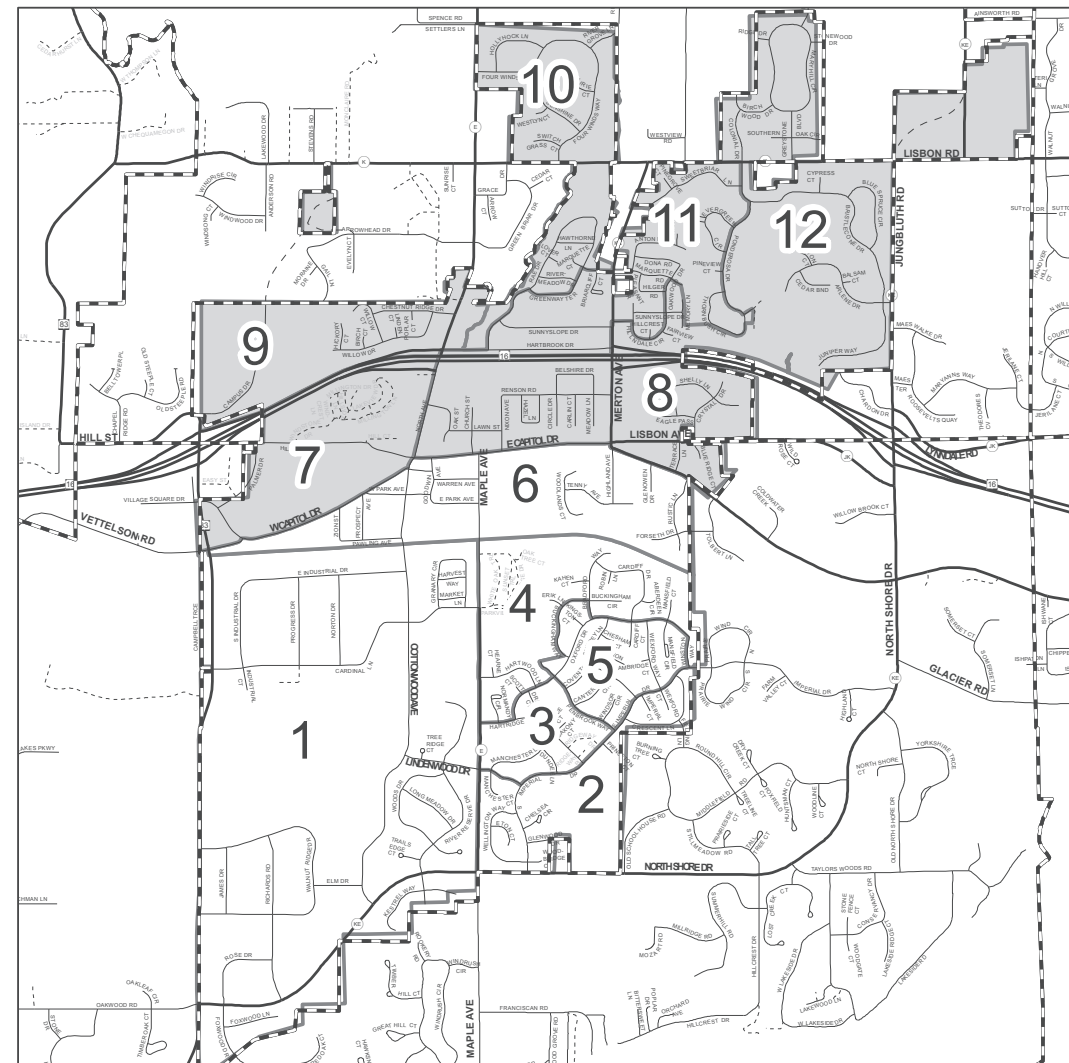
Hospitalized voters may appoint an agent to pick up their ballot from the clerk's office. The agent must present the hospitalized voter's photo ID to the clerk's office.

Voter Registration Changes

You can register to vote until the Friday before the election or on Election Day. For the Spring Primary this date is Friday, February 17. You must reside at your address for **28 consecutive days** to be eligible to vote, and you may no longer use a corroborating witness as proof of residence. Proof of residence is required when registering less than 20 days before an election, on Election Day, and for first time Wisconsin voters registering by mail. For more information on acceptable proof of residence review the information contained in this newsletter or contact the municipal clerk's office at 262/367-2714.

Adopted Ward Plan: Village of Hartland

Map prepared by Waukesha County Parks and Land Use - Land Information Systems Division: 01/23/2012



NEW WARD CONFIGURATIONS

After the 2010 U.S. Census, all Wards of the Village were reconfigured based on the new census data. In accordance with the regulations as specified in Wisconsin State Statutes §5.10 Wards 1-12 were created using the criteria of having not less than 300 nor more than 1,000 population ranges.

Here is the breakdown using the population data:

Ward Number	Population
Ward 1	737
Ward 2	748
Ward 3	774
Ward 4	800
Ward 5	749
Ward 6	908
Total	4,716

Ward Number	Population
Ward 7	898
Ward 8	854
Ward 9	403
Ward 10	698
Ward 11	874
Ward 12	667
Total	4,394

For Voting purposes wards are combined in the Village of Hartland. All municipal offices are elected at-large positions. Wards 1-6 is indicated by white on the voting maps and Wards 7-12 is indicated by blue on the voting maps. The street address listing will also show streets in Wards 1-6 as white and streets in Wards 7-12 as blue.

The Voting Map is included with this newsletter. However, it is sometimes difficult to read with the small size available. The

street address listing is a much better way to view your ward assignment. That is available on-line as well as prominently displayed at the voting location on election day.

Voting information is also available on the Government Accountability website: <http://gab.wi.gov>. You are able to view your Voting information through the home page of this website.

SPRING PRIMARY ELECTION TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2012 Polls Open 7 a.m. - 8 p.m.

Vote in the Community Center, Municipal Building, 210 Cottonwood Avenue.

Wards 1-6
 Wards 7-12

The ballot will contain the Lake Country Municipal Court Judge office and the Hartland/Lakeside School Referendum.