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Make sure your absentee ballot counts, mail it by Oct. 29 or deliver in person

If you want your absentee ballot to count, the Laramie County Clerk's office recommends you mail it back by Monday, Oct. 29, or deliver it to the clerk's office before 7:00 p.m. on Nov. 6.

"Voters need to consider the extra time for ballots to reach our office because mail is processed in Denver, and if a ballot arrives after the legal deadline, it will not be counted," said County Clerk Debra Lee. State law requires ballots be in the clerk's office no later than 7:00 p.m. on Election Day.

"If you mail your ballot, we recommend you do so by Monday, Oct. 29, to ensure it arrives in time. Another option is for voters to deliver their ballot to the Clerk's office before the deadline," said Lee.

Early voting is continuing in the Atrium of the Laramie County Governmental Complex, 309 W 20th St., through Monday, Nov. 5. Voters may register and cast their ballot early, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. Persons registering to vote must provide a government-issued photo ID (Wyoming driving license preferred). According to Lee, nearly 3300 people had cast their vote early, and over 3100 absentee ballots were mailed as of Friday, Oct. 19.

Registered voters may still request an absentee ballot by calling the clerk's election department at (307) 633-4242. Voters must provide their name, date of birth, address, telephone number or email address where they may be contacted.

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“If you request an absentee ballot now, we can mail your ballot, but you should plan to hand-deliver it to the clerk’s office to make sure we have it by the November 6 deadline,” Lee advised.

For more information on the Nov. 6 election, visit <https://www.laramiecountyclerk.com/elections.aspx> .

Voters may call (307) 633-4242 if they have questions on absentee or early voting, voter registration, or polling places.

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