



# **VOTE DEMOCRAT**

## **November 3, 2020**



President of the United States

**Joseph R. Biden**

United States Senator

**Ben Ray Lujan**

United States Representative, District 1

**Deb Haaland**

State Senator, District 13

**Bill O'Neill**

State Representative in District 17

**Debbie Armstrong**

Public Regulation Commissioner, District 1

**Cynthia Hall**

District Attorney, 2<sup>nd</sup> Judicial District

**Raul Torrez**

County Clerk

**Linda Stover**

County Treasurer

**Nancy Bearce**

New Mexico Supreme Court

Position 1 - **Shannon Bacon**

Position 2 – **David Thomson**

Court of Appeals

Position 1 - **Zach Ives**

Position 2 - **Shammara Henderson**

Position 3 - **Jane Yohalem**

District Court, Second Judicial District

Division 6 – **Daniel Ramczyk**

Division 13 – **Lisa Ortega**

Division 15 – **Courtney Weaks**

Division 17 – **Erin OConnell**

Division 22 – **Amber Chavez Baker**

Division 23 – **Joshua Allison**

Division 28 – **Clara Moran**

Division 29 – **Lucy B. Solimon**

Judge of the Metropolitan Court

Division 10 – **Brittany Maldonado Malott**

Division 12 – **Jason Jaramillo**

Division 15 – **Felicia Blea-Rivera**

Division 16 – **David Murphy**

## IMPORTANT 2020 ELECTION INFORMATION

Because Election procedures have changed as the result of COVID-19, we recommend absentee voting as the way to maximize individual safety. A YouTube video at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UnrQ5msHCQQ> explains the process. Important information about absentee voting and in-person voting is contained on both the front and back sides of this flyer.

### VOTER REGISTRATION AND ADDRESS CHANGE

Tuesday, October 6, 2020 is the last day to register online on-line at the Secretary of State's website ( <https://portal.sos.state.nm.us/OVR/WebPages/InstructionsStep1.aspx> ) and on paper in order to vote in the 2020 election.

If you have not met this deadline, you may be eligible to register to vote at the County Clerk's Annex (from Oct. 6 to 16, 2020, M-F 8am to 5pm) or at an early voting location from October 17 to 31, 2020, M-S 10am to 7pm). To do so, bring a picture ID, such as a driver's license or DMV identification or a student identification with a picture or a utility bill or other writing with your name and address.

The County Clerk will mail every registered voter an absentee ballot application to the mailing address at the time they registered to vote. If your mailing address has changed, you should update your registration through the Secretary of State's website above to reflect your current address before October 6.

### ABSENTEE VOTING (VOTE BY MAIL) INFORMATION

1. Apply for an absentee ballot (to vote by mail) in one of the following ways:
  - Go online to the County Clerk's website at <https://www.bernco.gov/clerk/absentee-voting.aspx> and print an absentee ballot application. Complete it, place a stamp on it, and mail it.
  - Go to the Secretary of State's website and apply on-line for an absentee ballot at <https://portal.sos.state.nm.us/OVR/WebPages/AbsenteeApplication.aspx>. To do this, you will need to provide your social security number and a current or expired driver's license or DMV identification card.
  - If you want your ballot sent to an address that is not your mailing address when you registered to vote, you may request that it be sent to a different address.
  - Complete and Return the Absentee Ballot Application form that you Receive from the Bernalillo County Clerk. On September 14, 2020, the County Clerk's Office will mail an application for an absentee ballot to all voters registered in Bernalillo County. Complete and return it immediately to ensure you receive an absentee ballot in time to have your vote count.
2. Complete you Ballot.
  - Mark your ballot in the same way you would if you went to the poll to vote. Read and follow the instructions very carefully. Failure to follow these instructions may result in your vote not being counted. A You-Tube video at
  - For first time voters who registered to vote by completing a paper registration form, it will be necessary to present a copy of identification on the first time they vote. If voting absentee, copy the appropriate identification and submit it with your absentee ballot. Appropriate identification includes a copy of license, DMV identification, or other current and valid photo identification card or a document such as a utility bill, bank statement, government check, or other government document that shows the name and address of the voter. **MORE INFORMATION ON BACK**

## **ABSENTEE VOTING (VOTE BY MAIL) INFORMATION (CONTINUED)**

3. Return Your Ballot no later than 7:00 pm on November 3, 2020. There are many ways to do this.
  - Mail your ballot in its postage prepaid envelope. Because of the slowdown in the time it takes for mail to be delivered, we recommend that if you deliver your ballot this way, you mail it at least 2 weeks before Nov. 3 to ensure timely arrival. If it arrives after 7:00 on election day, it will not be counted.
  - Take your completed ballot to a locked drop box at the County Clerk's Office, an early voting location, or an election day location, and deposit it in the locked drop box no later than 7:00 pm on Nov 3.
  - Give your completed and sealed ballot to a spouse, parent, child, brother or sister or caretaker and have that person deliver it to a locked drop box at the County Clerk's Office, an early voting location, or an election day location, and deposit it in the locked drop box no later than 7:00 pm on Nov 3. If one of these people returns your absentee ballot, they must complete the certification on the outside envelope in which they state their relationship to you, the absentee voter. It is illegal for anybody other than one of these people to drop off your ballot.
  
4. What Happens if I Have Received an Absentee Ballot and Decide to Vote in Person?

The County Clerk may convene an Election Board to qualify returned absentee ballots beginning on October 7 and continuing through October 28. Beginning on October 29, absentee ballots will be processed and counted.

If you have already applied for an absentee ballot, but have not received or completed and returned it and decide to vote in person, whether early or on election day, go to a polling place. You will be asked to sign an affidavit saying you have not voted and will not vote your absentee ballot. This information will be verified and your absentee ballot will be cancelled. You will then be given a replacement regular ballot to vote in person.

## **VOTING DATES AND LOCATIONS**

Early Voting: Saturday, October 17 – Saturday, October,31, 2020, 10:00am-7:00 pm, Los Ranchos Villa, 6601 4TH Street NW, Suites E and F, Los Ranchos 87107

General Election. Tuesday November 3, 2020, Voting 7:00 am – 7:00 pm, Close locations: Los Ranchos Villa, 6601 4TH Street NW, Suites E and F, Los Ranchos 87107; Valley High School, 1505 Candelaria Rd. NW, Albuquerque 87107; Garfield Middle School, 3501 6th St. NW, Albuquerque 87107; Taylor Middle School, 8200 Guadalupe Trail, Los Ranchos 87114