

State Primary Election, September 1, 2020
Deadline to Register to vote: August 22, 2020
Location to Vote: Town Hall 183 Main Street

STATE PRIMARY ELECTION VOTERS GUIDE

In response to COVID-19 the Governor signed Legislation that allows 3 options to vote:

1. Vote by Mail
2. Vote Early in Person
3. Vote on Election Day

State Primary Election Vote by Mail: The Secretary of the Commonwealth recently sent out Vote by Mail application cards.

PLEASE APPLY EARLY- to allow ample time for processing your application and for the postal services to deliver your ballot to you. Please complete the cards and return them to the Town Clerk's Office, 183 Main Street. The last day to submit an application by mail is, 5:00 PM, August 26, 2020. Application must be signed to be processed.

Please Remember to sign the Vote by Mail or Early Vote Ballot Envelopes they must be signed to be counted.

The Deadline to Register to Vote in the September 1, 2020 Primary is August 22, 2020.

State Primary Election Vote Early in Person: The Town Hall will be open to Early Vote in Person from August 22, 2020 – August 28, 2020. The schedule is as follows:

Day	Date	Hours
Saturday	8/22	8:00 AM - 12:00 NOON
Sunday	8/23	8:00 AM - 12:00 NOON
Monday	8/24	8:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Tuesday	8/25	8:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Wednesday	8/26	8:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Thursday	8/27	8:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Friday	8/28	8:00 AM - 12:00 NOON

State Primary Vote on Election Day:

Date: September 1, 2020

Location: Town Hall 183 Main Street

Time: 7:00 AM to 8:00 PM

FOR A PRIMARY ELECTION ONLY: In a primary election, a voter who is NOT registered in a political party (Unenrolled or commonly known as Independent) must specify the party ballot type of choice on the application to vote by mail or in person voting (early or on election day). We are unable to process applications for Unenrolled/ Independent voters who do not select a party ballot type on their application. Unenrolled/ Independent voters who select a party ballot type do not become registered in that party – they remain Unenrolled/ Independent voters. Voters who are registered in one of the 4 political parties (Democrat, Republican, Green-Rainbow, Libertarian) MUST take that party ballot and are not given a choice of ballot type.

Sample Ballots will be available to view on the town website: www.grovelandma.com

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO TO THE POLLS

Educated voters will reduce the amount of time necessary in the voting booths and reduce lines and crowding while voting.

- **Review the Ballot**
- **Wear a Face Covering**
- **Bring an ID** – in some cases voters will be required to show an ID.
- **Don't touch your face** while at the polling location.
- **Maintain Social Distancing** – keep 6' away from anyone not from your household.
- **Keep your ballot dry and free from hand sanitizers** – to avoid tabulator issues.