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What's Happening Now at the Town Clerk's Office:

Elections Information:

March 3rd is the Presidential Primary Election.

Early voting will be available for this election starting Monday February 24th through Friday February 28th at Town Hall. Early voting will take place between 8:30 am and 5:00 pm only. Additional parking is available in the lot across from the Milford Youth Center on Pearl Street.

On Election Day (March 3rd), the **polls will be open to vote in the Presidential Primary from 7:00 am until 8:00 pm at your normal polling locations and not at Town Hall.**

There are **sample ballots** on the Town website. https://www.milfordma.gov/town-clerk/pages/sample-ballots. Please view them before voting.

You can also **verify your voting status and party affiliation** here: https://www.sec.state.ma.us/ele/eleidx.htm

If you will be unable to make it to your polling location on Election Day between 7:00 am and 8:00 pm please apply for an **Absentee Ballot** using the following link as soon as possible to allow sufficient time for the mailing process: https://www.milfordma.gov/sites/milfordma/files/uploads/absentee_ballot.pdf

The Deadlines to Register to Vote for the Upcoming Elections are:

February 12th by 8:00 pm in the Town Clerk's Office, for the March 3rd Primary March 18th by 8:00 pm in the Town Clerk's Office, for the April 7th Town Of Milford Annual Election August 12th by 8:00 pm in the Town Clerk's Office, for the September 1st State Primary October 14th by 8:00 pm in the Town Clerk's Office, for the November 3rd Presidential Election

Helpful hints for completing the March 3rd Primary ballots:

When you are filling out your ballot, please make sure to completely color in the oval for your vote to be counted.

Do not mark and "X" or a check mark in place of the oval.

You do not have to vote for all the races unless you want to.

Make sure to only vote for the correct number of people as instructed for each race. That number is listed next to each race headline. (Example: Vote for One, Do Not Vote for More Than 10, Do Not vote for "No Preference and Write in").

For Town Committee Races Only:

You can either color in the oval to vote for the entire "GROUP" or you can vote for each person individually. Do not fill in the oval for the "GROUP" and individual people.

The Town of Milford's Annual Election is Tuesday April 7th. Polls will be open from 7:00am until 8:00 pm. Sample Ballots will be posted on the Town's website as soon as they are available. Early Voting is not available for the Annual Town Election.

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Upcoming Candidate Forums will open to the public and sponsored by the Milford Senior Center (March 23rd at 10:00 am) and Citizens of Milford (March 19th at St. Mary's Parish Hall at 6:30 pm) please visit their websites for updates. Milford High School will also have a forum for Board of Selectmen Candidates and School Committee Candidates only on March 18th at 12:30 pm (this will be open to the press but not the public).

http://citizensformilford.com/ https://milfordmaseniorcenter.com/

If you need to Register to Vote or verify your voting status for any of our upcoming Elections, please use the following link:

https://www.sec.state.ma.us/ele/eleidx.htm

Milford Polling Locations:

Precincts 1 & 6- Milford Senior Center, 60 North Bow St.

Precincts 2 & 3- Italian American Veterans Hall, 4 Hayward Field

Precincts 4, 5, 7, 8- Milford Portuguese Club, 119 Prospect Heights