

**PRIMARY ELECTION PROCLAMATION**  
**SHERIDAN COUNTY, WYOMING**

**Notice is hereby given, that a Primary Election will be held in Sheridan County, Wyoming on August 18, 2020 between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. for the following purposes:**

**PARTISAN OFFICES TO BE NOMINATED BY EACH PARTY**

Federal & Statewide Offices file with Secretary of State; Fee: \$200.00

State Legislative Offices file with the Secretary of State; Fee: \$25.00

County Offices file with the Sheridan County Clerk's Election office; Fee: \$25.00

You may file for office with the Sheridan County Clerk's Election office by mail, in person, or by emailing the form and calling to make your payment via credit card over the phone if applicable.

Precinct Committee Men and Women file with the Sheridan County Clerk's Election office; Fee: None

**US Officials**

- U.S. Senate (6-Year Term)
- U.S. Representative (2-Year Term)

**Wyoming Legislative Officials**

- State Senator District #22 (4-Year Term)
- House of Representatives District #29 (2-Year Term)
- House of Representatives District #30 (2-Year Term)
- House of Representatives District #40 (2-Year Term)
- House of Representatives District #51 (2-Year Term)

**Sheridan County Offices**

- 2 Commissioners (4-Year Term)

**Precinct Committee Men and Women**

W.S. 22-4-101(b)... "shall be electors registered in the party and resident in the precinct"

36 Partisan Offices for Republican Precinct Committeemen (2-Year Term)

36 Partisan Offices for Republican Precinct Committeewomen (2-Year Term)

29 Partisan Offices for Democratic Precinct Committeemen (2-Year Term)

29 Partisan Offices for Democratic Precinct Committeewomen (2-Year Term)

**NON-PARTISAN OFFICES TO BE NOMINATED  
BY EACH MUNICIPAL PRIMARY ELECTION**

Municipal Candidates file with their City Clerk or Town Clerk; Fee: \$25.00

**City of Sheridan**

- Mayor (4-Year Term)
- 3 Councilmembers (4-Year Term)

**Town of Dayton**

- 2 Councilmembers (4-Year Term)

**Town of Ranchester**

- 2 Councilmembers (4-Year Term)

**ROTATION OF CANDIDATE NAMES**

The names of candidates will be rotated on the official ballots and will not always appear in the order indicated in the sample ballots.

**KEY DATES**

**May 14, 2020 – May 29, 2020:** Filing dates for above offices.

**August 3, 2020:** Pre-Registration Closes at 5 p.m. for the **Primary Election**. As a reminder, registration is **allowed** at the polls on Election Day.

**August 11, 2020:** Statement of Campaign Contributions and Expenditures due.

**NOTICE TO ANY PERSON REQUIRED TO FILE A REPORT UNDER W.S. 22-25-106**

**22-25-108. Failure of persons to file reports; notice; penalties; reconsideration.**

- (a) Any person required to file a report under W.S. 22-25-106 shall be given notice prior to an election, by the appropriate filing office specified under W.S. 22-25-107, that failure to file the report within the time required by that section shall subject the person to civil penalties as provided in subsection (f) of this section. The notice shall inform any candidate's campaign committee, organization, political party or political action committee that the officers responsible for filing the report shall be subject to the same civil penalties as the candidate's campaign committee, organization, political party or political action committee for failure to file the report.

**ABSENTEE VOTING**

Absentee Voting is not new to Wyoming and remains an option for all Wyoming Voters. Absentee Voting is one way to ensure the 2020 election is conducted in a manner that protects the integrity of the process and the health and safety of our voters and election staff. The voter can request and vote by Absentee Ballot for any reason, including the voter cannot be physically present or feels their health may be compromised. Therefore, the Sheridan County Clerk's Office is encouraging all Sheridan County voters to consider the options they have to cast a ballot, including voting by Absentee Ballot.

**Requesting an Absentee Ballot:** A qualified elector may request an Absentee Ballot for the Primary or General Election any time by writing, by telephone, or in person. An absentee request form may be downloaded from our website at [www.sheridancounty.com](http://www.sheridancounty.com) Absentee Ballots will not be available on Election Day. For the Primary Election, the last day to request an Absentee Ballot will be Monday, August 17, 2020. For the General Election, the last day to request an Absentee Ballot will be Monday, November 2, 2020.

**County Courthouse Absentee Ballot Drop Box:** For your convenience, to drop your Absentee Ballot off, a drive through Ballot Drop Box will be installed in Sheridan County's East Parking Lot located behind Sheridan County Public Health. For the Primary Election, you must deposit your Absentee Ballot in the Drop Box by 7 p.m. on August 18, 2020 to be counted. For the General Election, you must deposit your Absentee Ballot in the Drop Box by 7 p.m. on November 3, 2020 to be counted.

**Absentee Polling Place:** While the option to have an Absentee Polling Place has been adopted by the Sheridan County Commissioners, the Wyoming Secretary of State's Office issued Directive No. 2020-02. Considering that directive and for the sake of public health and safety, the Sheridan County Clerk will open an Absentee Polling Place at the Courthouse from Monday, August 3<sup>rd</sup> through Monday, August 17<sup>th</sup> for the hours of 9 to 5.

**Deadline for Return of Absentee Ballot:** Absentee Ballots must be returned to the Sheridan County Courthouse Absentee Ballot Drop Box or to the Sheridan County Clerk's Office by 7 p.m. on August 18, 2020 to be counted for the Primary Election and by 7 p.m. on November 3, 2020 to be counted for the General Election. Note: Absentee Ballots cannot and will not be accepted at the Polling Locations on Election Day.

**NOTICE TO ABSENTEE VOTERS**

**Absentee Ballots cannot and will not be accepted at the Polling Locations on Election Day.**

**THE DISTRICTS, PRECINCTS AND POLLING PLACES ARE DESIGNATED AS FOLLOWS  
FOR THE UPCOMING 2020 PRIMARY ELECTION:**

Per the Wyoming Secretary of State’s Directive No. 2020-03 and for the sake of public health and safety, the Sheridan County Clerk has consolidated all polling locations into the following six (6) polling locations for the upcoming 2020 Primary Election. The primary method of voting in Wyoming remains the same and allows the voters the option to participate in person at the ballot box.

Please call the Sheridan County Election Office at 307-674-2515 if you need any assistance locating your polling location.

	Old Polling Location	New Polling Location - 9 South Connor Street, Sheridan WY
1-1	Ed Hammers Inc	Holy Name Church
3-2	Courthouse	Holy Name Church
3-3	Holy Name Church	Holy Name Church
4-3	Holy Name Church	Holy Name Church
4-4	Holy Name Church	Holy Name Church
	Old Polling Location	New Polling Location - 1753 Victoria Street, Sheridan WY
2-1	Exhibit Hall	Exhibit Hall
2-2	Exhibit Hall	Exhibit Hall
2-3	Exhibit Hall	Exhibit Hall
2-4	Exhibit Hall	Exhibit Hall
2-5	Exhibit Hall	Exhibit Hall
5-1	Tourist Information Center	Exhibit Hall
7-1	Beckton School House Building	Exhibit Hall
13-1	Exhibit Hall	Exhibit Hall
16-1	Wyarno Fire Hall	Exhibit Hall
	Old Polling Location	New Polling Location - 1660 Big Horn Ave, Sheridan WY
3-4	The Rock Church	Calvary Baptist Church
3-5	Calvary Baptist Church	Calvary Baptist Church
	Old Polling Location	New Polling Location - 5135 Coffeen Ave, Sheridan WY
4-2	Water Products, Inc	Bethesda Worship Center
6-1	Bethesda Worship Center	Bethesda Worship Center
8-1	Story Women's Club	Bethesda Worship Center
9-1	Clearmont Fire Hall (Arvada)	Bethesda Worship Center
10-1	Clearmont Town Hall	Bethesda Worship Center
11-1	Bethesda Worship Center	Bethesda Worship Center
19-1	Prairie Dog Women's Club	Bethesda Worship Center
	Old Polling Location	New Polling Location - 314 S. 2nd Street, Big Horn WY
12-1	Big Horn Women's Club	Big Horn Women's Club
	Old Polling Location	New Polling Location - 145 Coffeen Street, Ranchester WY
17-1	Ranchester Town Hall	Ranchester Town Hall
17-2	Ranchester Town Hall	Ranchester Town Hall
18-1	Ranchester Town Hall	Ranchester Town Hall
20-1	Dayton Town Hall	Ranchester Town Hall
20-2	Dayton Town Hall	Ranchester Town Hall

**NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION**

Notice is hereby given, that a General Election will be held in Sheridan County, Wyoming on November 3, 2020 between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. for the following purposes:

**RETENTION OF JUDGE OF CIRCUIT COURT**

File with the Secretary of State May 4 – August 3, 2020

- Fourth Judicial District, Judge A (6-Year Term)
- Fourth Judicial District, Judge B (6-Year Term)

**NON-PARTISAN OFFICES TO BE ELECTED**

File with the Sheridan County Clerk’s Election office; Fee: None

You may file for office with the County Clerk by mail, in person, or by emailing the form

Filing Dates: August 5 – August 24, 2020

**School District Trustees**

- 1 Big Horn Trustee District #1 (4-Year Term)
- 1 Dayton Trustee District #1 (4-Year Term)
- 1 Ranchester Trustee District #1 (4-Year Term)
- 5 Trustees District #2 (4-Year Term)
- 3 Trustees District #3 (4-Year Term)

**Northern Wyoming Community College**

- 4 Trustees (4-Year Term)

**Conservation District Supervisors**

- 2 Rural Supervisor (4-Year Term)

**Ballot Propositions**

- Continuance of the 1% Specific Purpose Capital Facilities Tax
- Constitutional Amendment

**ROTATION OF CANDIDATE NAMES**

The names of candidates will be rotated on the official ballots and will not always appear in the order indicated in the sample ballots.

**KEY DATES**

**August 5 – 24, 2020:** Filing Dates for above offices

**July 15, 2020:** All Ballot Questions for the General Election are due to the Sheridan County Clerk.

**October 19, 2020:** Pre-Registration Closes at 5 p.m. for the **General Election**. As a reminder, registration is **allowed** at the polls on Election Day.

**October 27, 2020:** Statement of Campaign Contributions and Expenditures due.

**NOTICE TO ANY PERSON REQUIRED TO FILE A REPORT UNDER W.S. 22-25-106 22-25-108. Failure of persons to file reports; notice; penalties; reconsideration.**

- (b) Any person required to file a report under W.S. 22-25-106 shall be given notice prior to an election, by the appropriate filing office specified under W.S. 22-25-107, that failure to file the report within the time required by that section shall subject the person to civil penalties as provided in subsection (f) of this section. The notice shall inform any candidate’s campaign committee, organization, political party or political action committee that the officers responsible for filing the report shall be subject to the same civil penalties as the candidate’s campaign committee, organization, political party or political action committee for failure to file the report.

If a voter requires assistance at the polls to vote by reason of blindness, disability, or inability to read or write, the voter may be given assistance by a person of the voter’s choice. If you have questions regarding the accessibility of your polling place, or ADA equipment to mark your ballot, please contact the Election Clerk’s Office at 674-2515.

Dated this 11<sup>th</sup> day of May 2020

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Eda Schunk Thompson, Sheridan County Clerk