

It's an Election Year!

Hello Minot!

We hope you all had a safe and happy holiday. In this month's article we would like to focus on the upcoming March 2024 Elections.

Town Meeting Election

Friday, March 1st, 2024

4-8 pm

Minot Town Office Meeting Room

At this election you will vote for 2 Selectmen for a 3-year term and 2 RSU 16 School Board Members for a 3-year term. Matthew Callahan and Lisa Cesare are both up for re-election as Selectmen and are currently running unopposed. Michael Downing and Angela Swenson are both up for re-election for the School Board and are currently running unopposed. If you are interested in running for one of these positions you can still do so as a write-in candidate.

Annual Town Meeting

Saturday, March 2nd, 2024

Minot Consolidated School Gym – Shaw Hill Rd.

Doors open at 8 am for voter check-in and registration.

The meeting starts at 9am though the completion of the warrant articles.

At Town Meeting you will be able to vote on warrant articles that dictate how your tax money and other funds obtained by the town are spent. Minot still utilizes an open Town Meeting so you must attend the meeting to vote. Town Reports with the warrant articles to be voted on will be available by February 13th.

Presidential Primary

Tuesday, March 5th, 2024

8 am – 8 pm

Minot Town Office Meeting Room

The front office may not be available for regular office transactions. Please call ahead of time.

Please check the State's website for candidate information.

New Law Update for 2024:

An unenrolled voter may choose which party ballot they would like to receive without enrolling in that party before or on election day. If you are enrolled in a political party and wish to change to a different party, you must make that change at least fifteen (15) days before the primary or party caucus to be eligible to vote or participate for that party. We recommend making a change in person by February 12th to make sure the change is reflected on the voter list. Once enrolled in a party, you must stay in that party for at least three (3) months.

What ballot am I eligible for?

Unenrolled - May select either a Democrat or Republican ballot

Democratic - Must receive a Democrat ballot

Green Independent - No ballot selection, party is not participating

Libertarian - No ballot selection, party is not participating

Republican - Must receive a Republican ballot

No Labels (qualifying) - No ballot selection, party is no participating

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Absentee Voting

Absentee Voting is available for the Town Meeting Election and the Presidential Primary. The cutoff date to make a request without special circumstances is 3 business days before any election.

The absentee request cutoff date for the Town Meeting Election is Tuesday, February 27th at 4 pm. You can call the office, mail in your request, or make your request in person.

The Presidential Primary cutoff is Thursday, February 29th at 6pm. You can make your request on the State's website, call the office, mail in a request, or make your request in person.

Please call the office, check out our website, minotme.org, or go to the States website if you have any election related questions or for more information. We will see you at the polls!