

NOTICE OF PRIMARY ELECTION TUESDAY, JUNE 9, 2026

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 9th day of June, 2026, in the County of Richland, State of North Dakota, an election will be held for the election of state, district, county and city officers, state and local measures.

This election will be held with seven (7) Vote Centers along with the option of absentee voting.

Valid Richland County residents interested in obtaining an absentee ballot may visit the ND Secretary of State's website: sos.nd.gov/elections to print an Absentee Ballot Application or call the Richland County Auditor at 701-642-7700 to have an application sent to them. After printing, complete/sign and return to the Richland County Auditor, 418 2nd Ave N, Wahpeton ND 58075. Completed/signed applications may also be emailed to sfossam@co.richland.nd.us

Once Richland County receives the application, verifies the information is correct and it is signed, a ballot will be mailed to the voter. You can return your completed vote by mail ballot by methods below:

1. USPS mail - Richland County Auditor, 418 2nd Ave N, Wahpeton ND 58075
2. Deposit in Secure Ballot Drop Box before 7:00 pm on Tuesday June 9, 2026, located at the following location:
Richland County Courthouse, 418 2nd Ave N, Wahpeton ND – NW corner of Courthouse

*Absentee ballots must be received by the close of polls (7:00 pm) on Tuesday, June 9th, 2026 regardless of the date they were postmarked by USPS. Ballots may be mailed, hand delivered to the Auditor's Office, or deposited in the Secure Drop Box located on the NW corner of the Courthouse. Absentee ballots may NOT be accepted at any of the seven vote centers. County residents also have the option to vote in person, via an absentee ballot, Monday - Friday from 8:00 am - 5:00 pm at the Auditor's Office located in the Courthouse. The last day to request an absentee ballot application for the Primary Election is Monday, June 8, 2026.

VOTER CENTERS

Abercrombie Community Center
516 Broadway, Abercrombie ND

Colfax Community Center
209 Broadway St S Colfax ND

Fairmount Community Center
113 Main Ave, Fairmount ND

Hankinson Community Center
112 Main Ave S, Hankinson ND

Lidgerwood KC Hall
56 Wiley Ave S, Lidgerwood ND

Wahpeton Event Center
995 21ST Ave N, Wahpeton ND

Wyndmere Fire Hall
306 Cedar Ave, Wyndmere ND

POLLS OPEN

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Contact the Richland County Auditor's Office at 701-642-7700 with any questions.

NOTICE OF POST ELECTION AUDIT

NOTICE is hereby given that Richland County will be conducting a Post Election Audit at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, June 15th in the Commission Room at the Richland County Courthouse located at 418 2nd Ave N Wahpeton, ND 58075. The purpose will be to conduct the 2026 Primary Election Post Election Audit as prescribed by North Dakota Century Code.

Dated at Wahpeton, ND this June 5, 2026.

Sandy Fossum

Richland County Auditor