

Notice of Method of Counting Absentee Ballots

Absentee ballots will be publicly counted on September 29th for the Lewistown High School Bond election starting at 3p.m. at the following location: 712 W Main St, Suite 204 Lewistown MT as specified in 13-15-201, MCA, by the following method(s): counting by a voting system, by election judges appointed to count absentee ballots and while the polls are open. Any person observing the procedures of the count is required to take the oath provided in 13-15-207(4), MCA.

Notice of Voting System Exhibition and Ballot Layout:

Please note that the county's voting system is on public exhibition at Fergus County Courthouse, 712 W Main St Suite 204. Please see diagrams of the voting system and ballot arrangement and instructions on voting below.

Sample County	State of Montana	Election Date
INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS	COUNTY	COUNTY
1. TO VOTE, COMPLETELY FILL IN (●) THE OVAL USING A BLUE OR BLACK PEN. 2. To write in a name, if applicable, completely fill in the oval to the left of the line provided, and on the line provided print the name of the write-in candidate for whom you wish to vote. 3. DO NOT MAKE AN IDENTIFYING MARK, CROSS OUT, ERASE, OR USE CORRECTION FLUID. If you make a mistake or change your mind, exchange your ballot for a new one. VOTE IN ALL COLUMNS (VOTE BOTH SIDES)	(Continued)	(Continued)
	FOR SAMPLE OFFICE 1 (VOTE FOR ONE)	FOR SAMPLE OFFICE 3 (VOTE FOR ONE)
	☐ GEORGE WASHINGTON ☐ JOHN ADAMS ☐ _____	☐ JAMES BUCHANAN ☐ ABRAHAM LINCOLN ☐ _____
	FOR SAMPLE OFFICE 2 (VOTE FOR ONE)	
	☐ ANDREW JACKSON ☐ MARTIN VAN BUREN ☐ WILLIAM H. HARRISON ☐ JOHN TYLER ☐ _____	



The ExpressVote is a ballot-marking system that is available for anyone to use during the upcoming election. Its main purpose is to allow voters with disabilities and other special needs to mark a ballot privately and independently.

DATED this 19th day of August 2026.
/s/Janel J. Tucek
Fergus County Election Administrator