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### Notice of Municipal and City School Board Elections Catawba County, North Carolina

Elections will be held Tuesday, November 5, 2019 for Catawba County Municipalities and City School Boards. Items on the ballots include: Town of Brookford Aldermen (2 seats); Town of Catawba Mayor and Councilmen (2 seats); City of Claremont Councilmen (3 seats); City of Conover Councilmen (3 seats); City of Hickory Aldermen: Wards 1, 2, and 3; Town of Long View Aldermen: Wards 1, 3, and 4; Town of Maiden Mayor and Councilmen (3 seats); City of Newton Mayor and Council (3 seats); Hickory Public Schools: Ward 4, 6, and Member At-Larger; Newton-Conover City Schools: Newton District (1 seat), Conover District (2 seats).

Precinct polling locations will be open from 6:30 AM until 7:30 PM and will have a marked 50 foot buffer zone concerning electioneering. The following twenty-nine precincts will be open: 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 22, 25, 26, 28, 30, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40. Precinct 28, St. Stephens 1, polling location is now at Christ Church-Northside, 2350 Springs Rd NE, Hickory, NC 28601. A list of precinct names and polling addresses are available at the Catawba County Board of Elections office and online: [www.catawbacountync.gov/elections](http://www.catawbacountync.gov/elections).

Qualified municipal residents in the following precincts will (for municipal elections only) vote at the following locations instead of their usual polling place:

- Town of Maiden residents in **East Maiden** (Pct 9) will vote at Maiden Community Center
- Town of Catawba residents in **Monogram** (Pct 21) will vote at Catawba Baptist Church
- Town of Brookford and Hickory City residents in **Mt. View 1 and 2** (Pcts 23 & 24) will vote at Brookford Town Hall
- Conover City residents in **Oxford** (Pct 27) will vote at Claremont City Hall
- Hickory City residents in **St. Stephens 2** (Pct 29) will vote at St. Stephens Lutheran Church ELCA (beside CVS)

Absentee voting by mail will be allowed. Requests for an absentee ballot must be submitted using a state authorized request form and received in the Catawba County Board of Elections office by 5:00 PM on October 29, 2019. Ballots will be mailed by the Board of Elections office starting after canvass of the Hickory Primary through October 29.

One-stop absentee voting will begin 8:00 AM Wednesday, Oct 16<sup>th</sup> and end 5:00 PM, Friday, Nov 1<sup>st</sup> at two locations:

- **Newton Main Library**, 115 West 'C' St, Newton – Main One-Stop Location (in lieu of elections office)
- **Highland Recreation Center**, 1451 8<sup>th</sup> St Dr NE, Hickory – Satellite One-Stop Location

One-Stop Hours: Weekdays 8 AM-5 PM, (closed weekends).

Election Board Members will meet 8:15 AM on Oct 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup>, and 5:00 PM Nov 4<sup>th</sup> and other times as may be necessary for the purpose of approving absentee ballot applications pursuant to G.S. 163.230.1(c1). Other business may be transacted by the board at this time. The Board will canvass the Municipal and School Board election on Friday, November 15<sup>th</sup> at 11:00am at the Board of Elections office.

Municipal and city schools residents who are not registered to vote must register on or before 5:00 PM, October 11<sup>th</sup>, 2019 to be eligible to vote on election day. Same-day registration at a one-stop site will be permitted. Any voter who has moved outside his or her precinct but within the county since the last election should submit a new registration/change of address form to the board of elections by October 11<sup>th</sup>. Photo ID is not required for this election.

For additional information contact Catawba County Board of Elections at the Government Center, 25 Government Dr., PO Box 132, Newton, NC 28658. Phone: 828-464-2424. Website: [www.catawbacountync.gov/elections](http://www.catawbacountync.gov/elections).

Barry R. Cheney, Chairman  
Catawba County Board of Elections

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