2025 MUNICIPAL PRIMARY UMOVA NOTICE

**What the Notice Must Include**

* A list of all offices and ballot measures (referenda) that the county expects to be on the ballot at the upcoming primary or election.
* Specific instructions for how a covered voter is to indicate his/her choices for each office and each ballot measure on the Federal Write-in Absentee Ballot (FWAB).

**When the Notice Must be Available**

* A county must prepare the election notice at least 90 days before a primary or election.
* For a special election, the notice must be prepared as soon as practicable.

**Availability of the Notice**

* A county that maintains a publicly accessible website MUST make the notice and updated versions of the notice available on its website.
* If a covered voter requests a copy of the notice, the county must deliver it by fax, email, over the Internet or by regular mail as the voter requests.

**Updating the Notice**

* As the names of candidates for the various offices and ballot questions become available, the notice must be promptly updated to include the names of those candidates and specific information about the ballot questions.
* The updated notice must be publicly available.

**NOTE: It is sufficient to provide a list of candidates as an addendum to the notice, provided the list clearly identifies the office for which each candidate is running.**

**Instructions**

*The notice must contain the following instructions regarding voting by absentee ballot:*

* You may request an absentee ballot from this office at any time prior to a primary or election. However, if time does not permit you to receive and return an official absentee ballot, you are also entitled to vote using the Federal Write-in Absentee Ballot (FWAB).
* You may use the FWAB to vote for candidates for **all** state and local offices, and ballot initiatives.
* To vote, fill out and send in the **Voter Information Page** (page 2) and **Official Backup Ballot** (page 3) of the FWAB.
  + To vote for state and local offices or for ballot initiatives – write the names of candidates or the ballot initiative in the appropriate section of the FWAB.
    - Under the **Office/Ballot Initiative** heading, enter the office the candidate is running for or the title of the Ballot Initiative (referendum).
    - Under the **Candidate Name, Party Affiliation or Initiative Vote** heading, list the name of the candidate you wish to vote for, or if you are voting on a Referendum question write “yes” or “no.”

**Official Notice of Election for Military and Overseas Voters**

**County of Jefferson**

2025 Municipal Primary (May 20, 2025)

This is an official notice of a Primary Election to be conducted on 5/20/2025 in Jefferson County. You may register to vote and request an official absentee ballot by using the Federal Postcard Application (FPCA), available at [www.vote.pa.gov](http://www.vote.pa.gov) or [www.fvap.gov](http://www.fvap.gov). You may apply for an absentee ballot by submitting your FPCA by fax to (814) 849 - 1653 or by email to klupone@jeffersoncountypa.gov.

You may request an absentee ballot from this office at any time prior to a primary or election. However, if time does not permit you to receive and return an official absentee ballot, you are also entitled to vote using the Federal Write-in Absentee Ballot (FWAB). Military electors may also use the FWAB to register to vote and vote simultaneously.

You may use the FWAB to vote for **all** federal, state, and local offices, and ballot initiatives.

To vote, fill out and send in the **Voter Information Page** (page 2) and **Official Backup Ballot** (page 3) of the FWAB.

To vote for offices or for ballot initiatives, write the names of candidates or ballot initiatives in the appropriate section of the FWAB. Under the **Federal Offices** heading, enter the name or political party of the federal candidate you choose. Under the **Other Offices** heading, enter the state or local office, name of candidate or political party of the candidate you choose. Under the **Ballot** **Initiative or other items** heading, enter the title of the ballot initiative (referendum) you are voting on and write “yes” or “no.”

**NOTE: THIS NOTICE WILL BE UPDATED WITH THE NAMES OF CANDIDATES WHEN THEY BECOME AVAILABLE.**

**THE NOTICE MUST BE CONSULTED REGULARLY BECAUSE OF THE POSSIBILITY THAT CANDIDATE LISTS MAY CHANGE.**

**DEMOCRATIC BALLOT**

JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT – Vote for One – All Precincts within Jefferson County

JUDGE OF THE COMMONWEALTH COURT – Vote for One – All Precincts within Jefferson County

DISTRICT ATTORNEY – Vote for One – All Precincts within Jefferson County

PROTHONOTARY – Vote for One – All Precincts within Jefferson County

SCHOOL DIRECTOR -

TOWNSHIP SUPERVISOR -

BOROUGH COUNCIL -

BOROUGH MAYOR – Vote for One – All Boroughs within Jefferson County

TAX COLLECTOR – Vote for One – All Precincts within Jefferson County

**REPUBLICAN BALLOT**

JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT – Vote for One – All Precincts within Jefferson County

JUDGE OF THE COMMONWEALTH COURT – Vote for One – All Precincts within Jefferson County

DISTRICT ATTORNEY – Vote for One – All Precincts within Jefferson County

PROTHONOTARY – Vote for One – All Precincts within Jefferson County

SCHOOL DIRECTOR – Various

TOWNSHIP SUPERVISOR -

BOROUGH COUNCIL -

BOROUGH MAYOR – Vote for One – All Boroughs within Jefferson County

TAX COLLECTOR – Vote for One – All Precincts within Jefferson County