# **Absentee Voting**

In Vermont, we make it easy to vote. If you prefer to vote early or by mail you can! Voting starts as soon as ballots are available—not later than 45 days before the primary or general election and 20 days prior to a municipal election that uses the Australian ballot.

#### **Deadlines**

All early voter absentee ballot requests must be submitted by 4 p.m. or by the close of the town clerk's office on the day before the election.

All ballots must be returned to the town clerk's office before the close of the office on the day before the election, or to the polling place before 7 p.m. on the day of the election, in order to be counted.

#### **In-home Ballot Delivery**

If you are sick or have a disability, a ballot can be delivered to your home on Election Day. You may request an absentee ballot up until 4 p.m. on the day before the election. Two justices of the peace (of different parties when possible) will deliver a ballot to you, and then will bring the ballot back to the polling place so that it can be placed in the ballot box and counted.

### **Additional Resources**

## **Related Links**

- Absentee Voting Form
- Voter Application