

**ELECTION NOTICE FOR USE WITH THE
FEDERAL WRITE-IN ABSENTEE BALLOT (FWAB)**
R.C. 3511.16

Issued by the OTTAWA County Board of Elections

BOE to check one: Initial notification (to be posted 100 days prior to date of election)

May 3, 2022 Primary ELECTION

Due to ongoing litigation regarding the Ohio General Assembly and U.S. House of Representatives district maps, boards of elections will not be able to post a complete FWAB notice. For example, candidate names and precincts will be left blank for the offices of U.S. Representative to Congress, Ohio General Assembly, and party offices. However, boards are required to update the notification by the 46th day prior to the election with complete information, if possible.

State Executive Offices (Governor, Attorney General, Auditor of State, Secretary of State, Treasurer of State)			
Name of Candidate	Office	Party	Precincts
TBA	Governor		All precincts
	Attorney General		All precincts
	Auditor of State		All precincts
	Secretary of State		All precincts
	Treasurer of State		All precincts

U. S. Senate and U.S. Congress (Governor, Attorney General, Auditor of State, Secretary of State, Treasurer of State)			
Name of Candidate	Office	Party	Precincts
	Representative to Congress,		TBA

Ohio General Assembly

Name of Candidate	Office	Party	Precincts
	State Representative		TBA

Ohio Supreme Court

Name of Candidate	Office	Party	Precincts
TBA	Justice of the Supreme Court		All Precincts
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Ohio Court of Appeals (6th District)

Name of Candidate	Office	Party	Precincts
TBA	Judge, Full term		All Precincts

Ottawa County Commissioner

Candidate	Office /District/Term	Party
TBA		Democratic
TBA		Republican

Ottawa County Auditor

Candidate	Office /District/Term	Party
TBA		Democratic
TBA		Republican

Ottawa County Republican Central Committee

Candidate	Office /District/Term	Party
	State Central Committee, Man	
	State Central Committee, Woman	

TBA	Each Precinct 4 year term	
Ottawa County Democratic Central Committee		
Candidate	Office /District/Term	Party
	State Central Committee, Man	
	State Central Committee, Woman	
TBA	Each Precinct 4 year term	

Local Questions and Issues		
Number	Title	Precincts
	TBA	

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER FOR INDICATING YOUR CHOICES ON A FEDERAL WRITE-IN ABSENTEE BALLOT (FWAB):

To complete a Federal Write-In Absentee Ballot (FWAB), go to www.fvap.gov. You have the option of downloading a blank, hard copy FWAB to complete by hand, or proceeding through electronic completion of the FWAB using the website's FWAB Wizard.

The first page of the FWAB is a Voter Declaration/Affirmation you must complete in order for your ballot to count.

After completing the Voter Declaration/Affirmation, use the initial election notice issued on the 100th day before the election and the updated election notice issued on the 45th day before the election as a guide to:

- (1) write the name of each candidate or issue contest for which you are casting a vote and then
- (2) write the name of your choice of candidate or choice for or against an issue.

After you have completed the FWAB, **you must PRINT the ballot and MAIL it to your county board of elections at this address: Ottawa County Board of Elections, 8444 W SR163, Oak Harbor, OH 43449.** A complete listing of all county board of elections mailing addresses and contact information is available at <http://www.sos.state.oh.us/SOS/elections/electionofficials/boeDirectory.aspx#dir>.

Do not send your ballot via e-mail or fax; Ohio law prohibits electronic transmission of a voted ballot.