

## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

### **FOR ELDERLY VOTERS OR VOTERS WITH DISABILITIES**

**Any elderly voter or a voter with a disability whose polling place is inaccessible may vote early by absentee ballot or during the Early Voting period.**

The voter may vote by absentee ballot or during the early voting period. To vote an absentee ballot by-mail, the voter must make the request in writing and include their name (as registered), date of birth, Social Security number, residence address (911 address), mailing address (if different from residence address), the election(s) they wish to vote in, the reason they are requesting to vote an absentee ballot and their signature. The written request must be received not later than April 25, 2026. Requests must be mailed to the Polk County Election Commission, P.O. Box 157, Benton, TN 37307. If you are voting during the Early Voting period, remember to bring photo identification with you. Forms of acceptable identification include, Tennessee driver's license with your photo, United States Passport, Photo ID issued by the Tennessee Department of Safety and Homeland Security, Photo ID issued by the federal or Tennessee state government, United States Military photo ID, Tennessee handgun carry permit with your photo.

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