

Information on the upcoming May 15th Douglas County Mail Ballot

Tuesday, April 24th – Close of Registration for all residents of Douglas County.

Wednesday, April 25th – Ballots will be mailed to all Active Voters in Douglas County.

Tuesday, May 15th – Election Day, ballots must be received by Noon.

Monday, May 21st – Official Canvass, 9:00 AM, Commissioners Meeting Room

Submitting your Completed Ballot

When you have finished marking your ballot:

1. Refold your ballot along the original crease lines.
2. Verify that the name on the back of the envelope matches the person signing the envelope.
3. Place your ballot in the envelope and seal it.
4. **SIGN** in Section 1 on the back of the envelope, or else your ballot will not be processed.

Official Advanced Ballot

Your advance voting ballot will be separated from this signed advance voting ballot envelope in order to guarantee the confidentiality of your vote. *KSA 25-1120*

1. Verify the name to the right matches the person signing this envelope.
2. Place ballot in envelope.
3. Sign envelope.
4. Return this ballot by Noon on Election Day.

1 **Statement of Advance Voter**
Failure to sign will invalidate ballot

I hereby declare that I marked the enclosed ballot and that such ballot was enclosed and sealed in this envelope by me.

Signature Needed
Name of Advance Voter _____

Signature of Advance Voter _____ Date _____

Optional: I hereby authorize the following person to mail or deliver my advance voting ballot to the county election office (this person must complete Statement #2):

Name of Authorized Person _____

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Sticker with YOUR NAME

2 **Statement of Person Assisting Voter**
Check the statements that apply.

I hereby acknowledge that I have been designated by the voter to mail or deliver the enclosed advance voting ballot to the county election office and affirm that I will deliver such a ballot as instructed by the voter and that I have not exercised undue influence on the voting decisions of the voter.

If assisting a voter with an illness, disability, or lack of proficiency in the English language, I hereby affirm that I have not exercised undue influence on the voter's decisions and have marked the ballot as instructed by the voter to whom the ballot was issued.

Name of Authorized Person _____

Signature of Authorized Person _____ Date _____

You may return your ballot a couple of different ways:

→ If returning **IN PERSON** on Election Day, this ballot **MUST** be returned by NOON to either:

- County Clerk's Office;
- Drop box in the small parking lot south of the courthouse or
- Treasurer satellite offices at
3000 W. 6th Street, Dillions, Lawrence
2000 W 31st Street, Suite B, Lawrence

→ If returning by **MAIL**, **Please return you ballot as soon as possible.**

Voter Assistance Information

- Any voter who is unable to mark his or her ballot by reason of sickness, physical disability, or illiteracy may request assistance in voting.
- Power of Attorney does not authorize a person to vote for another. Laws provide for assisting the voter only.
- If you have assisted a voter, you must sign the Statement of Person Assisting Voter on the back of the return envelope.