

County Auditor Information

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Aitkin	218-927-7354	218-927-7324
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Becker	218-846-7311	218-846-7257
Beltrami	218-333-8448	218-333-4246
Benton	320-968-5027	320-968-5337
Big Stone	320-839-6366	320-839-6370
Blue Earth	507-304-4341	507-304-4396
Brown	507-233-6617	507-359-1430
Carlton	218-384-9127	218-384-9116
Carver	952-361-1910	952-361-1919
Cass	218-547-7275	218-547-7278
Chippewa	320-269-7447	320-269-7412
Chisago	651-213-8500	651-213-8510
Clay	218-299-5006	218-299-5195
Clearwater	218-694-6520	218-694-6244
Cook	218-387-3642	218-387-3043
Cottonwood	507-831-1905	507-831-4553
Crow Wing	218-824-1045	218-824-1046
Dakota	651-438-4305	651-438-4391
Dodge	507-635-6239	507-635-6265
Douglas	320-762-3077	320-762-2389
Faribault	507-526-6211	507-526-6290
Fillmore	507-765-4701	507-765-2662
Freeborn	507-377-5121	507-377-5175
Goodhue	651-385-3032	651-385-3196
Grant	218-685-4520	218-685-4521
Hennepin	612-348-5151	612-348-2151
Houston	507-725-5803	507-725-2647
Hubbard	218-732-3196	218-732-3645
Isanti	763-689-1644	763-689-8210
Itasca	218-327-2860	218-327-7426
Jackson	507-847-2763	507-847-4718
Kanabec	320-679-6430	320-679-6431
Kandiyohi	320-231-6202	320-231-6263
Kittson	218-843-2655	218-843-2656
Koochiching	218-283-1112	218-283-1104
Lac qui Parle	320-598-7444	320-598-3125
Lake	218-834-8315	218-834-8358
Lake of the Woods	218-634-2836	218-634-2509
LeSueur	507-357-2251	507-357-6375
Lincoln	507-694-1529	507-694-1198
Lyon	507-537-6724	507-537-6091
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Martin	507-238-3211	507-238-3259
McLeod	320-864-1260	320-864-3268
Meeker	320-693-5212	320-693-5217
Mille Lacs	320-983-8310	320-983-8336
Morrison	320-632-0132	320-632-0139
Mower	507-437-9535	507-434-2646
Murray	507-836-6148	507-836-6114
Nicollet	507-931-6800	507-931-0856
Nobles	507-295-5258	507-372-8390
Norman	218-784-5471	218-784-4531
Olmsted	507-328-7650	507-328-7964
Otter Tail	218-998-8030	218-998-8042
Pennington	218-683-7000	218-683-7026
Pine	320-591-1670	320-591-1671
Pipestone	507-825-6740	507-825-6741
Polk	218-281-2554	218-281-3801
Pope	320-634-5705	320-634-3087
Ramsey	651-266-2171	651-266-2177
Red Lake	218-253-2598	218-253-4894
Redwood	507-637-4013	507-637-4072
Renville	320-523-2071	320-523-3679
Rice	507-332-6104	507-333-3754
Rock	507-283-5060	507-283-1343
Roseau	218-463-1282	218-463-4283
St. Louis	218-726-2385	218-725-5060
Scott	952-496-8560	952-496-8174
Sherburne	763-241-2861	763-241-2869
Sibley	507-237-4070	507-237-4073
Stearns	320-656-3913	320-656-3916
Steele	507-444-7410	507-444-7470
Stevens	320-589-7409	320-589-2036
Swift	320-843-4069	320-843-2275
Todd	320-732-4414	320-732-4001
Traverse	320-563-4242	320-563-4424
Wabasha	651-565-2648	651-565-2774
Wadena	218-631-7650	218-631-7652
Waseca	507-835-0610	507-835-0633
Washington	651-430-6790	651-430-6178
Watonwan	507-375-1210	507-375-3547
Wilkin	218-643-7165	218-643-7169
Winona	507-457-8830	507-457-6454
Wright	763-682-7578	763-682-7873
Yellow Medicine	320-564-3132	320-564-3670

County auditor e-mail information is available at:
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Guide to Voting Absentee for Minnesotans in the Military & those Overseas

This brochure is intended as a guide for military and overseas absentee voting. A guide to absentee voting for domestic voters in Minnesota is available at: www.sos.state.mn.us or by calling 651-215-1440.

The 2010 election dates in Minnesota:

State Primary: August 10, 2010

State General Election: November 2, 2010

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Military & Overseas Voting

There are special forms and procedures to make voting easier for Minnesotans serving in the military, their dependents, or Minnesotans who are overseas on Election Day.

You may apply for an absentee ballot even if you have not previously registered to vote in Minnesota.

Who Qualifies

1. Minnesota residents serving in the U.S. Uniformed Services on active duty; or
2. Minnesota residents who are the spouse or dependent of an individual serving in the U.S. Uniformed Services on active duty; or
3. Minnesota residents who are living temporarily overseas; or
4. Individuals living permanently overseas whose last place of residence in the United States was in Minnesota.

“Uniformed Services” include the U.S. Armed Forces, Merchant Marine, the Public Health Service Commissioned Corps, and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

Additional eligibility requirements:

- must be a U.S. citizen;
- must be at least 18 years old on Election Day;
- must have any felony conviction completed or discharged;
- must not have had your voting rights revoked by a court; and
- must not have been found legally incompetent by a court.

Voting Process

1. Complete the absentee ballot application for military and overseas voters, known as the Federal Post Card Application (FPCA). Visit: minnesota.overseasvotefoundation.org to complete the form or contact your county auditor for further assistance.
2. You need to indicate on the application how you would like to receive your ballot. You may receive the ballot by mail, fax or e-mail. The ballot will be sent to you 46 days before each election, or after receipt of your application if submitted less than 46 days before a given election.
3. **You must print out and sign the application.** Submit it to your county auditor by mail, fax, or as a scanned .pdf attachment to an e-mail.
4. You must return your completed paper ballot and accompanying materials to your county auditor (*ballots cannot be returned by fax or e-mail*). Please send your completed ballot to the county auditor as soon as possible. In Minnesota, ballots must be received by Election Day to be counted.
5. If you requested an absentee ballot, but do not believe that you will receive it in time, you may use the Federal Write-In Absentee Ballot (FWAB) to vote for your choices and return it in time to be counted. For federal offices you may indicate your choice by writing in a candidate name or political party. When voting for state or local races on the FWAB, you must write the name of a candidate (not just a political party) for your vote to be counted. The FWAB can be obtained from your Voting Assistance Officer or online at: minnesota.overseasvotefoundation.org.

Tips

- A member of your immediate family (*spouse, parent, sister, brother, or child over 18 years of age*) can complete and submit your application for you.
- If available, include your Minnesota driver’s license number, state ID card number, U.S. Passport number or the last four digits of your Social Security number on your application. Remember which number you provide. You will need to provide the same number on the materials you return with your ballot.
- Allow enough time to return your ballot using the mail, a package delivery service or the diplomatic pouch at a U.S. Embassy or Consulate. Your voted ballot must be received by Election Day.
- Follow all instructions provided with your absentee ballot materials.

Resources

Additional information for military and overseas voters is available at: minnesota.overseasvotefoundation.org

Military voters may also go to their Voting Assistance Officer or their Voting Action Officer for information on absentee voting. Their contact information is available from Department of Defense’s Voting Information Center at 1-800-438-8683 or by visiting: www.fvap.gov.

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