

Public Notice
Town of Newport
Newport, New Hampshire

August 31, 2020

Pursuant to Laws of 2020, Chapter 14 authorizes the partial processing of absentee ballots that have been received by the Town Clerk on Thursday, Friday, Saturday or Monday prior to the election.

The Town of Newport will partially process absentee ballots on Thursday, September 3, 2020 beginning at 8:30 AM. This will be done at 15 Sunapee Street in the Selectmen's Office.

Social distancing will be observed and we respectfully request that all observers wear a face covering. All observers must be six feet from the absentee ballot envelope. Partial processing means that the Moderator and election officials will open the outer envelope, remove and examine the inner affidavit envelope, without opening it, determine whether the affidavit envelope has been properly executed (RSA 659:50, I (b)). We will publicly announce the name of the voter and make a notation on the check list. After the partial processing, the ballots will be kept in a secure location until the day of the election.

This is the only session that will be held prior to the election on Tuesday, September 8, 2020

Posted by: Virginia O'Brien Irwin
Moderator