

Instructions re: Absentee Ballot

Dear Applicant for an Absentee Ballot:

In response to your application, I enclose a ballot for use in the Northern Cheyenne Tribal election set for December 5, 2023 for five members of the Northern Cheyenne Tribal Schools Board. I also enclose a return envelope addressed to me.

After executing the ballot, you should place it in the return envelope and seal the envelope. Do not write a return address or other information which could identify you on the return envelope or the ballot, since if such identifying information is provided the ballot will not be counted.

You may cast the enclosed ballot either by:

- Delivering it (in the sealed envelope) in person or by mail to my office so that it reaches my office no later than 4:30 p.m. of the day of the election. Upon receiving your ballot, I will arrange for the timely deposit of the ballot in the ballot box in your District. However, if you wait until the day of the election to deliver it to my office, you run the risk that there will be insufficient time to get your ballot into the District ballot box before the polls close.
- Alternatively, you may personally deposit the enclosed ballot in the ballot box at your District polling place on the day of the election, before the polls close.

If the absentee ballot is lost in the mail or is otherwise lost before it is cast, you will not be able to vote in this election.

Please feel free to call if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

NORTHERN CHEYENNE TRIBE

By 
Tribal Secretary

Application for Absentee Ballot

*This will serve as an application for an absentee ballot
for the December 5, 2023 election.
It must be delivered to the Tribal Secretary as promptly as possible.*

Secretary
Northern Cheyenne Tribe
P.O. Box 128
Lame Deer, MT 59043

Dear Secretary:

I hereby request an absentee ballot for the Tribal election to be held on December 5, 2023 (or any rescheduling thereof).

I hereby certify that I expect that on the day of the election (or any rescheduling thereof):

Mark at least one box:

- ☐ I will not be physically present on the Reservation.
- ☐ I will be too ill to vote in-person.
- ☐ I will be physically incapable of voting.

I am an enrolled member of the Northern Cheyenne Tribe who will be at least 18 years old on the day of the election. I am listed in the _____ District Voters List. My mailing address is:

Signature of Applicant

On this _____ day of _____, 2023, _____ (name of applicant) personally appeared before me, whose identity I verified on the basis of _____ (basis for identification), who acknowledged that he/she signed the application.

NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF _____
RESIDING AT _____
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES: _____