

# Election Notice for use With the Federal Write-In Absentee Ballot (FWAB)

R.C. 3511.16

## Issued by the Columbiana County Board of Elections

BOE to check one:       Initial notification (to be posted 100 days prior to date of election)  
                                   Updated notification (to be posted 46 days prior to date of election)

### **MAY 4, 2021 PRIMARY/SPECIAL ELECTION**

(month, date, year, primary/general/special)

<b>Local Offices (Mayor, Attorney, Auditor, Treasurer, Council President, Council, Board of Public Affairs, Trustee, Fiscal Officer, Educational Service Center Board Member, Board of Education Member, etc.)</b>			
<b>Name of Candidate</b>	<b>Office /District/Term</b>	<b>Party</b>	<b>Precincts</b>
Rick Noel	Mayor	REP	All Columbiana City Precincts
Daniel P. Bekar	Council	REP	All Columbiana City Precincts
Amanda J. Banner	Council	REP	All Columbiana City Precincts
John T. Mercer	Council at Large	DEM	All East Liverpool City Precincts
Robert Nizer, Jr.	Council at Large	DEM	All East Liverpool City Precincts
C. Fred Rayl	2 <sup>nd</sup> Ward Council	DEM	East Liverpool City 2-A and 2-B
Thomas F. Baker	President of Council	REP	All Salem City Precincts
Tod A. Mumpire	Treasurer	REP	All Salem City Precincts
Sal Salvino	Council at Large	REP	All Salem City Precincts
Jacob Gano	Council at Large	REP	All Salem City Precincts
Andrew Null	Council at Large	REP	All Salem City Precincts
William G. Garlough	Council	DEM	Leetonia Village
Melissa M. Hiner	Council	REP	All Lisbon Village Precincts
Randall S. Allmon	Council	REP	All Wellsville Village Precincts

Local Questions and Issues	
Title	Precincts
Anshu, LLC, dba Suburban Market, Sunday sales	Salem City 2-A

**Elimination of Primary Election**

Section 3513.02 of the Revised Code of Ohio provides that a municipal partisan primary election shall not be conducted under certain circumstances.

No primary election will be conducted for a particular political party in an odd-numbered year if, in accordance with R.C. 3513.02, the following occurs:

- No valid declaration of candidacy is filed by a candidate of a political party for election to any of the offices to be voted for at the general election in that year; or
- Not more than one party declaration of candidacy is filed for each office to be voted upon at the general election.

However, if the only office for which there is a primary contest is that of ward council member, a primary election will be held for that party only in the ward in which there is a contest, and only the names of the candidates for that ward office will appear on the party's ballot. (R.C. 3513.02).

**\*The listed candidates and issue have been certified and will appear on the November 2, 2021 General Election ballot.**

## **INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER FOR INDICATING YOUR CHOICES ON A FEDERAL WRITE-IN ABSENTEE BALLOT (FWAB):**

To complete a Federal Write-In Absentee Ballot (FWAB), go to [www.fvap.gov](http://www.fvap.gov). You have the option of downloading a blank, hard copy FWAB to complete by hand, or proceeding through electronic completion of the FWAB using the website's FWAB Wizard.

The first page of the FWAB is a Voter Declaration/Affirmation you must complete in order for your ballot to count.

After completing the Voter Declaration/Affirmation, use the initial election notice issued on the 100<sup>th</sup> day before the election and the updated election notice issued on the 46<sup>th</sup> day before the election as a guide to:

- (1) write the name of each candidate or issue contest for which you are casting a vote and then
- (2) write the name of your choice of candidate or choice for or against an issue.

After you have completed the FWAB, **you must PRINT the ballot and MAIL it to your county board of elections at this address: 7989 Dickey Drive, Suite 3, Lisbon, OH 44432.**

A complete listing of all county board of elections mailing addresses and contact information is available at: <https://ohiosos.gov/SOS/elections/electionofficials/boeDirectory.aspx#dir>.

**Do not send your ballot via e-mail or fax; Ohio law prohibits electronic transmission of a voted ballot.**