2020 ELECTION INFORMATION

REGISTER TO VOTE:

To Register to Vote please request our registration card to fill out with the accompanied IDs or visit the state website for these forms.

1. Government-issued photograph identification document or credential. A government-issued photograph identification document or credential, including, but not limited to, a current and valid United States passport, military identification, driver's license or state identification;

[PL 2009, c. 253, §11 (NEW).]

2. Other government-issued identification document. A government-issued identification document without a photograph, including, but not limited to, a certified birth certificate or a signed social security card;

[PL 2009, c. 253, §11 (NEW).]

- **3. Other official documents.** An official document, including, but not limited to, a document confirming eligibility determinations for public benefits, a utility bill, a bank statement, a government check, a paycheck or other government document that shows the name and address of the voter; or
- **4. Verified unique identifier for new voters.** A verified unique identifier for new voters, including the voter's Maine driver's license number, Maine identification number or the last 4 digits of the voter's social security number that are successfully verified through the central voter registration system verification.

ABSENTEE VOTING AND REQUESTS:

Absentee voting and requests allows you to cast a ballot without going to a voting place on Election Day. Absentee ballots **must** be requested and are not automatically sent. For the November 3, 2020 General Election, the deadline to request an absentee ballot by telephone or online Absentee Ballot Request service is 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 29, 2020.

Any <u>Gouldsboro registered voter</u> may cast an absentee ballot instead of voting in person at a voting place on Election Day. You don't need to have a specific reason or be unable to vote at the voting place on Election Day to receive an absentee ballot.

To request an Absentee Ballot contact the municipal clerk in the town or city where you are registered to vote. <u>Uniformed Service and Overseas voters</u> will request an absentee ballot directly from the Secretary of State, Division of Elections.

You can make a telephone request for your own ballot, which will be mailed to the address you provide to the clerk.

You can request your own ballot electronically using the Secretary of State's online absentee ballot request service. The approved online form can be found at the following web site: http://www.maine.gov/cgi-bin/online/Absentee Ballot/index.pl

You can make a written request by completing an absentee ballot application. Additionally, you can obtain a ballot for an immediate family member in this same way. A ballot will be mailed to the voter directly or to an immediate family member making the request. Your municipal clerk can tell you who is considered an immediate family member under the law.