

MERCER COUNTY EMERGENCY ABSENTEE VOTING POLICY

Pursuant to WV Code 3-3-5c, the Mercer County Commission does hereby adopt the following emergency absentee voting policy:

Emergency absentee voting shall be extended on Election Day to registered and other qualified voters making their request to the County Clerk's office no earlier than the seventh day next preceding the election and no later than 1 p.m. on Election Day if they are:

..... Hospitalized or confined to a duly licensed health care facility within 35 miles of the county seat;

..... A resident in a nursing home within the county of residence and would be otherwise unable to vote in person and has resided in the nursing home for less than 30 days;

..... A voter who is working as a replacement poll worker and is assigned to a precinct out of his/her voting district, if the assignment was made after the period for voting an absentee ballot and early voting has expired.

Adopted this 24<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2023.



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Commission President – Bill Archer



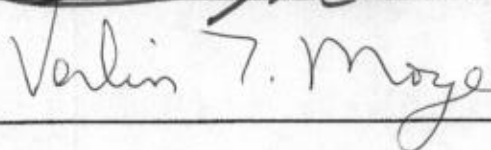
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County Clerk – Verlin T. Moyer