

# WANTED POLL WORKERS FOR 2020 ELECTIONS

The Saunders County Clerk's office must appoint an election board to serve as Judges and Clerks in each voting precinct on Election Day.

**Good Poll Workers are a real asset!**

**We are currently looking for recruits**

## **Qualifications of Poll Workers:**

- ✓ Must be a registered voter in the county (except for 16 & 17 year olds appointed per 32-223 or 32-230).
- ✓ Be of good repute and character
- ✓ Able to read and write the English language
- ✓ Cannot be a candidate for an elective office in the election other than a delegate to a county, state, or national political convention
- ✓ No citizen shall be excluded from serving as a result of discrimination based upon race, color, religion, sex, national origin or economic status

Hours worked at a poll on Election Day are from 7:00 a.m. until the polls close at 8:00 p.m.

**Primary Election – May 12, 2020**

**General Election – November 3, 2020**

**Should you be appointed to serve as a poll worker, you will be required to attend a training class prior to the election. You will be paid for each election you work.**

If you are interested in becoming a poll worker, you can stop by the Saunders County Clerk's office, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor of the Courthouse, 433 N Chestnut Street, Suite 300, Wahoo to obtain an application – or you may complete the Application provided herein and mail or drop off at the address listed above.

If you have any questions please call the County Clerk's office at (402) 443-8101.

Patti J. Lindgren  
Saunders County Clerk/Election Commissioner

**POLL WORKER APPLICATION**  
for Saunders County

**APPLICANT'S NAME:**

Last \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ Initial \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ , \_\_\_\_\_ , \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street and/or P.O. Box) (City) (Zip)

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

**Poll Worker Duties:**

1. Set-up the polling place
2. Check voters in and verify they are a registered voter of the voting precinct
3. Have the voter sign the precinct voter roster
4. Direct the voter to the ballot table
5. Issue the appropriate ballot(s) to the voter
6. Receiving the voted ballot(s) and placing them in the ballot box
7. Issue "I Voted" Stickers
8. Taking down and cleaning up the polling place at the end of the day

Have you ever worked as a poll worker? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

**All Pollworkers are required to attend an election training class – this class is approximately (3) hours.**

Pollworkers are to report to the polls at 7:00 a.m. and work until closing at 8:00 p.m. - making this approximately a 13-hour to 14-hour day. Are you willing to work these hours? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Pollworkers can work a split shift – 7:00 a.m. to 2:00 **OR** 2:00 to close.

Would you be willing to work a split shift? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

What hours would you prefer? \_\_\_\_\_

Would you be willing to work a poll other than your own? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**EMPLOYER'S STATEMENT:** Saunders County adheres to the Equal Opportunity Employment Guidelines set forth by State and Federal laws. The information contained on this form is sought in good faith and will not be used in any way to discriminate against any applicant on the basis of race, religion, national or ethnic origin, marital status, age, handicap, and sex or veterans background.

\*\*\*\*\*FOR OFFICE USE ONLY\*\*\*\*\*

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

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Precinct: \_\_\_\_\_ Party affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_ Processed by \_\_\_\_\_