

## **Early voting hours for West Bridgewater**

We are excited to announce that all registered voters will be able to vote before Election Day. Early voting will begin on October 22, 2018 and continue through November 2, 2018.

Although absentee voting will still be available for registered voters who qualify, only those who will be absent from their city or town on Election Day, or have a disability that prevents them from going to the polls, or have a religious belief preventing the same, are legally allowed to vote by absentee ballot.

Unlike absentee voting, early voting is for every registered voter. Registered voters do not need an excuse or reason to vote early. Regardless of whether a voter wants to take advantage of early voting, vote absentee or vote on Election Day, the first step is making sure you are registered. To check to see if you are registered to vote, and to find information on how to register to vote, you may visit the Secretary of the Commonwealth's website: [www.sec.state.ma.us/ele](http://www.sec.state.ma.us/ele). If you need to register to vote, you may do it online by visiting: [www.RegisterToVoteMA.com](http://www.RegisterToVoteMA.com). All you need is a license or an I.D. issued by the Registry of Motor Vehicles to apply online. To be eligible to vote in the November 6<sup>th</sup> State Election, you must register to vote or make any necessary changes to your voter registration by October 17<sup>th</sup>, 2018.

**Early voting can be done in person or by mail. Early voting can be done in person at Town Hall, 65 N Main St., West Bridgewater during the following dates and times Monday, October 22, 2018 through Friday, November 2, 2018 during regular business hours Mon, Tues, Thurs 8am-4pm, Wed 8am-7pm, Fri 8am-1pm. We will also have early voting on Saturday Oct 27<sup>th</sup> from 9am-3pm.**

Also, registered voters have the option to request an early voting ballot through the mail. Simply fill out an application and mail it to Town Clerk 65 N Main St. West Bridgewater, MA 02379. You can find the application on the Secretary of the Commonwealth's website: <http://www.sec.state.ma.us/ele>.

**Please note, however, once a voter has cast an early voting ballot, the voter may no longer vote at the polls on Election Day.**