

Schoharie County

2024 Early Voting Communication Plan

Presidential Primary Election – April 2nd, 2024
Primary Election – June 25th, 2024
General Election – November 5th, 2024

What is Early Voting?

Early voting is a nine (9) day period where voters can vote in-person before Election Day in their county. *The Presidential Primary will hold an eight (8) day period with extended hours each day and will **not** have voting on day nine (9), March 31st, 2024.*

Who can vote early?

All registered Schoharie County voters can vote early within their county.

When can I vote early?

Presidential Primary: Saturday, March 23rd – Saturday March 30th, 2024
Primary: Saturday, June 15th – Sunday, June 23rd, 2024.
General: Saturday, October 26th – Sunday, November 3rd, 2024

Where can I vote early?

You can vote in an early voting center in Schoharie County. Our locations are:

1. Schoharie County Board of Elections Office 284 Main St. Suite 300, Schoharie
2. Community Library 110 Union St., Cobleskill

How will I vote during early voting?

Voting during early voting is the same as voting on Election Day. When you get to the early voting center, you will check in to vote, receive your ballot and vote as in any other election.

There will be instructions available at the early voting center to familiarize you with the ballot. There will also be a notice to voters and bill of rights. You may ask an election inspector to explain how to vote, or if you need any assistance.

If you vote during the early voting period, you are not eligible to vote on Election Day.

When will early voting results be posted?

Early Voting votes will be canvassed and reported after 9pm on the Tuesday of Election Night for each election.

Early Voting Communication Plan – Documentation Template

County Name: Schoharie County
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Early Voting Period for General: October 26th – November 3rd, 2024

Early Voting Sites with address and hours of operation (include if a site is limited to voters from certain areas or is open to all enrolled voters of the county). All early voting sites are accessible to voters with physical disabilities. Attached additional pages as necessary:

This early voting site serves: All of Schoharie County

Location 1:	Location 2:
Schoharie County BOE Office	Community Library
3 rd floor Suite 300 - 284 Main Street	110 Union Street
Schoharie, NY 12157	Cobleskill, NY 12043

Early Voting Hours Presidential Primary Election:

Saturday,	March 23 rd	from: 8:30 am to: 5:30 pm
Sunday,	March 24 th	from: 8:30 am to: 5:30 pm
Monday,	March 25 th	from: 11:00 am to: 8:00 pm
Tuesday,	March 26 th	from: 8:30 am to: 5:30 pm
Wednesday,	March 27 th	from: 11:00 am to: 8:00 pm
Thursday,	March 28 th	from: 8:30 am to: 5:30 pm
Friday,	March 29 th	from: 8:30 am to: 5:30 pm
Saturday,	March 30 th	from: 8:30 am to: 5:30 pm
Sunday,	March 31 st	NO EARLY VOTING

Early Voting Hours June & November Elections:

Saturday,	June 15 / October 26	from: 9:00 am to: 5:00 pm
Sunday,	June 16 / October 27	from: 9:00 am to: 5:00 pm
Monday,	June 17 / October 28	from: 12:00 pm to: 8:00 pm
Tuesday,	June 18 / October 29	from: 9:00 am to: 5:00 pm
Wednesday,	June 19 / October 30	from: 12:00 pm to: 8:00 pm
Thursday,	June 20 / October 31	from: 9:00 am to: 5:00 pm
Friday,	June 21 / November 1	from: 9:00 am to: 5:00 pm
Saturday,	June 22 / November 2	from: 9:00 am to: 5:00 pm
Sunday,	June 23 / November 3	from: 9:00 am to: 5:00 pm

Describe your early voting communication plan to raise awareness of early voting opportunities to the voters in your County.

1. Was this plan posted to social media? Specify social media sites and dates posted: **NONE**
2. Was this plan posted to your CBOE website? **Yes, 1/2/2024.**

Web site [Board of Elections – Schoharie County, New York \(schohariecounty-ny.gov\)](http://schohariecounty-ny.gov)

3. List media outlets where you shared your early voting communication plan. What efforts did you take to engage media:

**Advertisement of EV Notice in the following newspapers:
Times Journal, Mountain Eagle**

4. List and describe stakeholder partnerships and outreach. **NONE**
5. List and describe voter outreach methods. –

Posted fliers with information at the Schoharie County building EV site, and the Community Library EV site in Cobleskill. Distributed to all Town Clerks for posting.

6. Did you create a committee for early voting outreach? Describe membership and meeting sessions. **NO**
7. Did you send a mail card with early voting information? (Y/N) **NO.**
8. Did your communication plan have a clear notice to voters that if they cast a ballot during early voting then they are not allowed to vote on election day? (Y/N) **Yes.**
9. Are all your early voting poll sites accessible to the public? (Y/N) **Yes.**
10. Are all your poll site surveys submitted? (Y/N) **Yes.**
11. Please attach a copy of your early voting communication plan.