

# **2022 ELECTION INFORMATION**

## **Filing for City Council Position**

- Filing – August 2, 2022 through August 16, 2022 – File with the City Clerk.
- Candidates must have lived in the Ward of the City of Fairmont for at least 30 days prior to the general election, be at least 21 years of age and be a registered voter in the State of Minnesota.
- Positions open for four-year terms (2023-2026):
  - o Mayor
  - o Council Member, Ward 1
  - o Council Member, Ward 3

## **Special Primary Election for Congressional District 1: May 24, 2022 – 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.**

- You need to be a registered voter at this election. Voters may register online at <http://www.sos.state.mn.us/elections-voting/register-to-vote/> or with the Martin County Auditor's Office. Voters may also register at the polls on Election Day with the proper identification.
- Votes must be cast for one party only. You cannot cross over from one party to another. Voting for candidates for the special election to be held on August 9, 2022 to fill vacancy for Congressional District 1.
- Absentee ballots are available at the County Auditor's office (April 8, 2022 – May 23, 2022)

## **Primary Election & Special Election to fill vacancy for Congressional District 1: August 9, 2022 – 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.**

- Primary Election - Votes must be cast for one party only. You cannot cross over from one party to another. Voting for Federal, Legislative and State Offices.
- Special Election to fill vacancy for Congressional District 1
- City Council positions will NOT be voted on at this election.
- You need to be a registered voter at this election. Voters may register online at <http://www.sos.state.mn.us/elections-voting/register-to-vote/> or with the Martin County Auditor's Office. Voters may also register at the polls on Election Day with the proper identification.
- Absentee ballots are available at the County Auditor's office (June 24, 2022 – August 8, 2022).

**General Election: November 8, 2022 – 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.**

- Federal, state, county, city and school board positions will be voted on at this election.
- Voter registration closes at 5:00 p.m., October 18, 2022. Voters may register at the polls on election day with the proper identification.
- Absentee ballots are available at the County Auditor's office (September 23, 2022-November 7, 2022).

**Voting Location**

- All City of Fairmont residents will vote at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 920 East Tenth Street.
- Polls are open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
- If you reside elsewhere in Martin County and want to know where your polling location is, call the County Auditor's office at 507-238-3211 or you may locate your polling location at <https://pollfinder.sos.state.mn.us/>.