



RETURN OF BALLOTS FOR 2023 WESTSIDE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS BOND ELECTION

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Omaha, Nebr. – Westside Community Schools will hold a bond election on Tuesday, May 9, 2023. The election will be conducted by mail; therefore, no polling places will be open for voting.

All voted ballots must be returned to the Douglas County Election Commission or ballot drop box no later than Tuesday, May 9, 2023 at 5:00 p.m. The US Postal Service recommends mailing ballots no later than May 2, 2023 to ensure adequate processing time. Ballot drop boxes are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week; no postage is needed on ballots placed in a drop box.

Registered voters must deliver or mail their voted ballots to the Douglas County Election Commission at 12220 W Center Rd, Omaha, Nebraska 68144 or place it in a ballot drop box. Drop box locations available for this election are as follows:

- **Asian Market:** 321 N 76th St
- **Douglas County Election Commission:** 12220 W Center Rd

Ballots were mailed to all voters who reside within the Westside Community School District and are registered at their current address. Kraft-colored envelopes 6 inches by 9 inches in size are used to mail ballots to voters and to return voted ballots to the Douglas County Election Commission. Voters must sign the back of their return envelopes in order for the ballot to be counted.

Voters who have returned their ballot may check the status (accepted or rejected) online at www.votercheck.necvr.ne.gov. On the home page, enter the voter's first name, last name, and county to match the voter registration, and click "Look Up." If the ballot was rejected, the voter must contact the Douglas County Election Commission at (402) 444-VOTE (8683) to learn if the issue may be resolved. Replacement ballots may be issued at the Election Office until Tuesday, May 9, 2023 at 5:00 p.m.

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