

SENATE FILE NO. SF0056

Absentee polling places.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Case, Bebout and Landen and
Representative(s) Clifford, Larsen, Miller,
Salazar, Schwartz and Winter

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to absentee voting; authorizing the
2 establishment of satellite absentee polling places; and
3 providing for an effective date.

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5 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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7 **Section 1.** W.S. 22-9-125(a)(ii) is amended to read:

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9 **22-9-125. Alternate procedures for collecting and**
10 **counting absentee ballots.**

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12 (a) The board of county commissioners may elect to
13 adopt one (1) or both of the following alternate procedures
14 for casting, collecting and counting absentee ballots:

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1 (ii) Direct that an absentee polling place may
2 be established in the courthouse or other public building
3 which is equipped to accommodate voters from all districts
4 and precincts within the county and shall be open the same
5 hours as the courthouse on normal business days during the
6 time period allowed for absentee voting. If this alternate
7 procedure is used, the county clerk may also establish in
8 one (1) or more public buildings within the county
9 additional satellite absentee polling places to accommodate
10 voters. A satellite absentee polling place shall be open on
11 the dates and at the times specified by the county clerk
12 during the time period allowed for absentee voting.

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14 **Section 2.** This act is effective immediately upon
15 completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law
16 as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming
17 Constitution.

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