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2026 Primary Election Afternoon Informational Update

CHEYENNE, WY – Polls for today's Primary Election close at 7:00 p.m. Any eligible elector present and waiting to vote at the polls at 7:00 p.m. shall be allowed to vote. As of this morning, before the polls opened, the percentage of registered voters who had voted absentee for the 2026 Primary Election was 18.47%. Absentee ballots must be returned to the county clerk no later than 7:00 p.m. today, August 18th, to be counted.

For more information regarding voter registration requirements, Voter ID, polling place locations, absentee voting, and more, visit the Wyoming Secretary of State's "Wyoming Votes" webpage at letsvotewyo.org.

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