

NOTICE OF LOTTERY ELECTION

**LOTTERY ELECTION
CLAY CENTER, CLAY COUNTY
IN THE STATE OF NEBRASKA**

TUESDAY, MAY 13, 2025

Public notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of the City of Clay Center, Clay County, in the State of Nebraska (the “District”) that at a special election to be held in said District on Tuesday, May 13, 2025, there shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the District the following proposition:

“Shall the City of Clay Center, Nebraska establish and conduct a lottery as permitted under the Nebraska County and City Lottery Act, which lottery would be conducted in the City of Clay Center, Nebraska, for the purpose of community betterment as defined in such act?”

YES (For the establishment of such lottery)

NO (Against the establishment of such lottery)

Qualified voters voting in favor of said proposition shall blacken the oval opposite the words “YES for the establishment of such lottery” following said proposition, and qualified voters voting against said proposition shall blacken the oval opposite the words “NO against the establishment of such lottery” following said proposition.

Qualified voters wishing to vote early, or by absentee ballot, as permitted by law, may do so in person or by requesting a ballot for early voting from the Election Commissioner of Clay County, Nebraska, at the Election Commissioner’s office. For questions, procedures and/or deadlines regarding voter registration, early voting, absentee voting and in-person voting, please contact the Election Commissioner.

By Mail Election:

This election will be an election by mail. Each registered voter residing within the District will receive a ballot by mail at his/her address as it appears on the voter registration register; and therefore no polling places will be open for voting. Ballots will be mailed by the Election Commissioner of Clay County on **April 21, 2025**. Registered voters wishing to vote in the Special Election who will be absent from their residence between April 11, 2025 and May 13, 2025, may contact the Clay County Election Commissioner’s Office.

Voter Registration Deadlines:

1. **April 28, 2025** - is the last day for mail-in registrations, online registrations, registrar registrations, delivered registrations and agency registrations.
2. **May 2, 2025** - at 6:00 p.m. is the last day for in-person voter registration in the office of the Election Commissioner of Clay County.

Any voter who changes information on a current registration or registers to vote after the ballots have been mailed but before the in-person registration deadline of May 2, 2025, by 6:00 p.m., will be given a ballot at the time of registration or change.

Ballot Return Deadline:

Voted ballots that are sealed in the “Return Identification Envelope” may be returned by one of the following means:

1. **U.S. Mail:** place \$0.73 postage on the envelope and mail the ballot to the Election Commissioner of Clay County, 111 West Fairfield Street, Clay Center, Nebraska 68933; or
2. **Hand Delivery** (in person or by agent): deliver the ballot to the Election Commissioner of Clay County in the Clay County Courthouse, 111 West Fairfield Street, Clay Center, Nebraska 68933; or
3. **Drop Box:** the ballot can also be placed in sealed ballot box located at the Clay County Courthouse, 111 West Fairfield Street, Clay Center, Nebraska 68933 (located on the south side of the courthouse parking lot), through May 13, 2025, at 5:00 P.M.

NOTE: All ballots must be in the possession of the Election Commissioner of Clay County no later than 5:00 p.m. on Election Day, May 13, 2025.

Clay County Clerk/Election Commissioner Information

Mailing Address and Location:

Clay County Election Commissioner, 111 West Fairfield Street, Clay Center, Nebraska 68933

Phone : 402-762-3463

E-Mail : elections@claycountyne.gov

Regular Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, excluding holidays.

CASSIE AKSAMIT
CLAY COUNTY CLERK