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Tue, Oct 16, 2018 at 4:04 PM

From: Sheryl Hartman <Sheryl.Hartman@greenfieldwi.us>

Date: Fri, 12 Oct 2018, 15:35
Subject: FW: Absentee ballot
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Mr. Kasten,

I should also have mentioned the witness cannot be a candidate at the election.

Sincerely,

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From: Sheryl Hartman
Sent: Friday, October 12, 2018 8:33 AM
To: 'Tim Kasten' <timkasten@gmail.com>
Cc: z GF Clerk Dept <clerkdept@greenfieldwi.us>
Subject: RE: Absentee ballot

Mr. Kasten,

The requirement is that one adult U.S. citizen must provide his/her address. The person must be 18 years or older. The address must include street number, street name and municipality. The witness' address does not have to be a U.S. address, but the witness does have to be an adult U.S. citizen.

Your absentee ballot should be counted, as long as the street number, street name and municipality components are included for the witness' signature, the witness signature is provided, and your signature and date of birth are included.

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From: Tim Kasten [mailto:timkasten@gmail.com]

Sent: Friday, October 12, 2018 3:11 AM
To: Sheryl Hartman <Sheryl.Hartman@greenfieldwi.us>
Cc: z GF Clerk Dept <ClerkDept@greenfieldwi.us>
Subject: Re: Absentee ballot

Hello,

I am writing to confirm the witness requirements for absentee ballots.

I had always understood that all I needed was a signature from a witness who was a US citizen. That witness was also required to provide an "address".

Further to what was stated on the ballots, all of my absentee ballots over the years have been witnessed by a friend and US citizen colleague, who (unsurprisingly) also lives in Belgium. As the witness form merely requires his "address", he has always provided his actual address, namely in Brussels, Belgium. He did so again this year in the ballot I have just sent.

I have now been told that it is possible that these ballots are not counted because the witness is not giving a US address. Can you please elaborate on the witness requirements?

Best regards,

Tim