

**MADISON COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS**

**NOVEMBER 3, 2020 GENERAL ELECTION**

**BUFFER ZONE (NO ELECTIONEERING) NOTICE**

As per North Carolina General Statute § 163A-113.4. Every Madison County polling site will have a sign and/or orange cones with yellow no electioneering tape indicating the buffer zone boundaries and the buffer zones will be monitored and enforced.

**North Carolina General Statute § 163A-113.4. Limitation on activity in the voting place and in a buffer zone around it.**

Buffer Zone. – No person or group of persons shall hinder access, harass others, distribute campaign literature, place political advertising, solicit votes, or otherwise engage in election-related activity in the voting place or in a buffer zone which shall be prescribed by the county board of elections around the voting place. In determining the dimensions of that buffer zone for each voting place, the county board of elections shall, where practical, set the limit at 50 feet from the door of entrance to the voting place, measured when that door is closed, but in no event shall it set the limit at more than 50 feet or at less than 25 feet.

**As per Numbered Memo 2020-20 Curbside Voting.** For the purposes of the buffer zone and electioneering activity, the vehicle is considered the voting enclosure. The buffer zone shall be at least six feet from the vehicle, and a greater distance if possible. Electioneers shall not enter the buffer zone.

**BUFFER ZONES AT EACH ELECTION SITE**

Beech Glen Precinct	Beech Glen Community Center Gymnasium	2936 Beech Glen Rd Mars Hill	50 Feet From The Main Entrance Doorway To The Building
Ebbs Chapel Precinct	Ebbs Chapel Community Center	281 Laurel Valley Rd Mars Hill	50 Feet From The Main Entrance Doorway To The Senior Meal Site
Grapevine Precinct	Center Community Center	1300 Grapevine Rd Marshall	50 Feet From The Main Entrance Doorway To The Senior Meal Site
Hot Springs Precinct	Hot Springs Elementary School Gymnasium	63 N Serpentine Ave. Hot Springs	50 Feet From The Main Entrance Doorway To The Gymnasium
Laurel Precinct	Laurel Community Center Gymnasium	4100 NC 212 Hwy Marshall	50 Feet From The Main Entrance Doorway To The Community Center
Mars Hill Precinct	Mars Hill Elementary School Gymnasium	200 School House Lane Mars Hill	50 Feet From The Main Entrance Doorway To The School

North Marshall Precinct*	Madison High School Early College Wellness Center Gymnasium	5734 US 25-70 Hwy Marshall	Grassy Area on the Left Hand Side of the Road After the Turn Down to the Early College Building and ending at the beginning of the first parking area on the left
Revere Rice Cove Precinct	Revere Rice Cove Community Center	3980 Revere Rd Marshall	50 Feet From The Main Entrance Doorway
Sandy Mush Precinct*	Addison Farms Vineyard	4005 New Leicester Hwy, Leicester	50 Feet From The Main Entrance Doorway
South Marshall Precinct	Marshall Community Center	145 Blannahassett Island Rd, Marshall	50 Feet From The Main Entrance Doorway
Spring Creek Precinct	Spring Creek Community Center Gymnasium	13077 NC 209 Hwy Hot Springs	50 Feet From The Main Entrance Doorway To Main Community Center Building
Walnut Precinct	Madison Middle School	95 Upper Brush Creek Rd, Marshall	50 Feet From The Main Entrance Doorway To The Polling Site
Early Voting Site*	Madison Early College High School Wellness Gymnasium	5734 US 25-70 Hwy Marshall	Grassy Area on the Left Hand Side of the Road After the Turn Down to the Early College Building and ending at the beginning of the first parking area on the left
Early Voting Site	Beech Glen Community Center Gymnasium	2936 Beech Glen Rd Mars Hill	50 Feet From The Main Entrance Doorway To The Building
Early Voting Site	Hot Springs Community Center	43 N Andrews St. Hot Springs	50 Feet From The Main Entrance Doorway To The Building

**NCGS 163-113.4.(c) Special Agreement About Election-Related Activity for Sandy Mush Precinct Polling Site at Addison Farms Vineyard, 4005 New Leicester Hwy, Leicester, NC 28748.**

\*Political Signage Is Limited To **One** Political Sign Per Candidate, Campaign, Or Political Organization To Be Placed No Earlier Than The Morning Of Election Day (Tuesday, November 3) In Designated Areas Only So As Not To Disrupt Private Vineyard Activities And To Be Removed By The Board Of Elections As The Polling Site Is Vacated On November 4<sup>th</sup>. Political Signage Can Be Picked Up At The Board Of Elections Office Located At 140 Elizabeth Lane, Marshall, NC 28753 Between The Hours Of 8:30 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. Please See Chief Judge Jean Larson On Election Day For Guidance Regarding Designated Areas For Placing Political Signage.

**NCGS 163-113.4.(c) Special Agreement About Election-Related Activity for Madison Early College High School Wellness Gymnasium Polling Site at Madison Early College High School Wellness Gymnasium, 5734 US 25-70 Hwy, Marshall, NC 28753. The Wellness Gymnasium is a polling site for one stop early voting and for the North Marshall Precinct on Election Day, Tuesday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>.**

**\*Political Signage is allowed** on both sides of the road leading up to the Guard Shack. Political signage is **not allowed** anywhere on the school campus beyond the Guard Shack.