

**MEIGS COUNTY NOTICE OF EARLY & ABSENTEE VOTING
AUGUST 6, 2026**

MEIGS COUNTY GENERAL & STATE PRIMARY ELECTION

During the **Early Voting** period (**July 17th - August 1, 2026**) you will be able to vote in person for the **August 6, 2026, Election** at the following location:

Decatur Municipal Building-Basement Entrance

116 North Main Street, Decatur, TN 37322

Voting hours are (Monday-Friday) 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Saturdays 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon

- *Early voters should be prepared to show Federal or Tennessee State issued Photo ID to vote.**
- *Voters whose polling place is not accessible to the elderly or handicapped may also vote early during this period.**
- *A voter that registered by mail and has never voted must vote in person in the first election after their registration.**

ABSENTEE VOTING BY MAIL

A person who wishes to vote absentee by mail and meets the qualifications may **obtain an application in person or email (with a scanned signature) or by mail at the Meigs County Election Commission Office.** To inquire about the qualifications, contact the Meigs County Election Commission Office at **(423) 334-5866** and or e-mail:

meigs.commission@tn.gov. Absentee applications must be completed in full and returned no later than July 27, 2026. The Absentee Voter is urged to get their ballot in the mail sooner, because of the slower processing of mail, for your ballot to be received in time to be counted. The voter's absentee ballot must be received by mail no later than 8:00 p.m. August 6, 2026, at the Meigs County Election Commission to be eligible to be counted.

Last day to register to vote for this election is July 7, 2026

Register to Vote, Check your Polling Location or Election Results online:

GoVoteTN.org

Photo ID Requirements for All Voters

Tennessee State Law requires all voters voting in person to present a Federal or State of Tennessee issued photo ID. The ID must contain the voter's name and photograph. For more information you may contact our office at 423-334-5866 or visit the Tennessee Divisions of Elections website at: **<http://tn.gov/sos/election/index.htm>**.

Meigs County Election commission will be closed Friday, July 3, 2026, in Honor of Independence Day

For election information contact:

Meigs County Election Commission

17214 State Hwy. 58 N - P.O. Box 1266

Decatur, TN 37322

Phone 423-334-5866 • Fax 423-334-7203

Email: **meigs.commission@tn.gov**

Web: **<http://meigstnelections.com>**

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