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Special Elections Set to fill Vacant Minnesota Senate District 6 Seat

The Special Primary Election will be **Tuesday April 15** for the vacant seat for State Senate District 6. The Special General Election will be **Tuesday April 29**. District 6 covers most of Crow Wing County as well as parts of Cass and Itasca Counties. Minnesota Statute 204D.19, requires a special election be held within 35 days.

mn.gov/statutes/cite/204d.19

Voting information:

Special Primary Election Absentee/Early voting: April 9-14

Special General Election Absentee/Early voting: April 23-28

Due to the short timeline, voters are encouraged to vote early in person or drop off ballots at the elections office Historic Courthouse, 326 Laurel Street, Brainerd, during regular business hours of 8am – 4:30pm Monday through Friday.

- The office will be open additional hours for the **special primary election**: Saturday 4/12 from 9am - 3pm, Monday 4/14 from 8am-5pm.
- The office will be open additional hours for the **special general election**: Saturday 4/26 from 9am – 3pm, and Monday 4/28 from 8am - 5pm.

“Crow Wing County voters have a history of being civically engaged, and absentee voting is a great way for residents to stay involved in the election process. It's a good tool to utilize to allow voters the opportunity to cast their vote on their own timeline.” stated Administrative Services Director, Jory Danielson.

Due to the sudden seat vacancy and strict statutory election timelines, some polling places are not available for this election and have changed since the November election. Find your polling location at mnvotes.gov Polls will be open 7am – 8pm on election day, unless the municipality voted to open their precinct polls at 10am.

Election staff encourage you to call or email them if you have questions about the timeline of the special election. elections@crowwing.gov or 218-824-1051.

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