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NOTICE TO ENROLLED CROW TRIBAL MEMBERS

ABSENTEE VOTING

IN THE 2017 CROW TRIBAL LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

AND JUDICIAL BRANCH ELECTIONS

Pursuant to the Crow Tribal Election Ordinance as amended in the April 2016 Session of the Legislature by CLB No. 16-01 "AN ACT TO AMEND THE CROW TRIBAL ELECTION ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR ABSENTEE VOTING IN ALL FUTURE TRIBAL ELECTIONS," any Crow Tribal member may vote by Absentee Ballot in the 2017 Legislative Branch and Judicial Branch Primary and General Elections.

Requests to vote by Absentee Ballot must be made either in person at the Crow Tribal Secretary's office, or by mailing a request form to the Secretary's office. In order to request Absentee Ballots, voters must sign a form agreeing that they will only be able to vote by Absentee Ballot, and shall not have the right to vote by traditional means at the polling place on Election Days.

If you decide to request voting by Absentee Ballot:

- 1) You may only vote by Absentee Ballot in both the Primary and General Elections.
- 2) Upon signing the request form, you will receive blank Absentee Ballots and return envelopes for both Elections.
- 3) You may only vote for Candidates that have been certified to be qualified to be on the Ballot for the applicable Elections. Non-certified write-in candidates are not allowed and such votes will not be counted.
- 4) Your Absentee Ballots must actually be received by the Secretary's office by the applicable Election Day at the Special Post Office Box for Absentee Ballots.

Requests for Absentee Voting may be made beginning July 21st, 2017. The deadline for making in-person request is **October 6th, 2017**. The deadline for requesting by mail is **September 14th, 2017**, and your signed and notarized form must be actually received by that date.

The form for making Absentee Voting requests by mail can be obtained by contacting the Secretary's office at the phone number or P.O. Box above.

DATED THIS 18 DAY OF JULY, 2017


R. Knute Old Crow, Sr., Secretary, Executive Branch

Absentee Voting requests will be accepted beginning July, 21st, 2017

The Great Apsaalooke Nation "Tepee Capital of the World"

