With Executive Order 202.26 Governor Andrew Cuomo postponed Village Elections until September 15, 2020.

The executive order has also opened up absentee ballots. Anyone may apply for and receive an absentee ballot.   This ballot will be counted on election day if the person is registered to vote in the village election.

The application to apply for an absentee ballot is on the next page.

Once the application is complete return it to the Village Clerk.

Regular Mail   Village Clerk
                  Village of Saranac Lake
                  39 Main Street Suite 9
                  Saranac Lake NY 12983

Once the application is received a ballot will be sent to you.

The last day to request that an absentee ballot be mailed to a voter is Tuesday, September 8, 2020.

The last day for the village clerk to mail absentee ballots to voters is Wednesday, September 9, 2020.

The last day for the village clerk to receive personal applications for an absentee ballot is Monday, September 14, 2020.

The last day to receive mailed absentee ballots is Tuesday, September 15, 2020.

Pursuant to Election Law § 15-118 (2), the last day individuals my register with the county board of elections to be eligible to vote in the village election will be Friday, September 4, 2020.

Questions please email clerk@saranaclakeny.gov or call 518-891-4150 ext 202

New York Village Absentee Ballot Application

Return to: Saranac Lake Village Clerk, 39 Main Street Suite 9, Saranac Lake, NY 12983

This application must either be personally delivered to your village clerk's office not later than the day before the election if the absentee ballot is being picked up by you or your designee, or received by the village clerk's office not less than seven days prior to the date of the election if the ballot is to be mailed to you. The ballot itself must be received by the village clerk's office not later than the close of the polls on the date of the election.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY.   COMPLETE ENTIRE FORM.

I am requesting an absentee ballot for the Village Election on September 15, 2020 _____ yes
if no please do not return form.

Last name or surname _____ First name _____ Middle initial _____

Date of birth ___/___/___ county where you live_____ phone number (optional) _____

Address where you live (residence):

Street _____ Apt _____ City_____ State_____ Zip_____

Delivery of Ballot (check one)

- Deliver to me at the Village Office _____

- Mail Ballot to me at (mailing address):
   Street _____ Apt _____ City_____ State_____ Zip_____

- Or I authorize (give name) _____ to pick up my ballot at the village office.

APPLICANT MUST SIGN BELOW

I certify that I am a qualified and a registered voter, and that the information in this application is true and correct and that this application will be accepted for all purposes as the equivalent of an affidavit and, if it contains a material false statement, shall subject me to the same penalties as if I had been duly sworn.

SIGN HERE: X_____ DATE:_____/_____/_____

If applicant is unable to sign because of illness, physical disability or inability to read, the following statement must be executed: By my mark, duly witnessed hereunder, I hereby state that I am unable to sign my application for an absentee ballot without assistance because I am unable to write by reason of my illness or physical disability or because I am unable to read. I have made, or have the assistance in making, my mark in lieu of my signature. (No power of attorney or preprinted name stamps allowed. See detailed instructions.)

DATE: _____/_____/_____ Name of Voter: _____ Mark: _____

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the above named voter affixed his or her mark to this application in my presence and I know him or her to be the person who affixed his or her mark to said application and understand that this statement will be accepted for all purposes as the equivalent of an affidavit and if it contains a material false statement, shall subject me to the same penalties as if I had been duly sworn.

Print Name of Witness _____ Signature of Witness to Mark_____
Address if Witness to Mark_____