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Board Asks for Community to Offer Voting Locations

ROCHESTER, New York – With concerns of Covid 19 still present in our community, the Monroe County Board of Elections has some traditional polling locations refusing to host the November 3, 2020 Election.

Before invoking New York State Election Law Sections 4-104 3. and 3a. which would force a non- profit, tax exempt facility to provide a voting space, we are asking our community for help.

Without replacement locations, we will be forced to combine some districts which may cause longer wait times and make it more difficult to socially distance.

Please contact the Monroe County Board of Elections immediately if you have a suitable location for hosting a polling site. Any suggestions MUST BE ADA accessible including bathrooms, at least 1200 sqaure feet in size and preferable with a separate entrance and exit.