



# BADGER BOOKS

## ELECTRONIC POLL BOOKS

The Village of Kewaskum will be implementing their e-poll books during the 2023 Spring Primary Election on February 21, 2023.

### WHAT ARE THEY?

- They will replace the paper poll books
- Voters will digitally sign the screen
- Are **NOT** connected to the internet
- You still receive a paper ballot after checking in on the e-poll books



### WHAT DO THEY DO?

1. Check in Voters
2. Register New Voters
3. Process Absentee Ballots

### ARE THEY SAFE?

These electronic devices are **NOT** connected to the internet, and the security risk factors for the Badger Books are comparable to those using paper poll books. Badger Books do not process votes. After checking-in, you will receive your paper ballot to vote and feed into the tabulator.

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Watch this video for more information:

<https://vimeo.com/675553234>



### AUTHORIZATION

Badger Books are not voting equipment, and the Wisconsin Elections Commission has authority to approve electronic poll books. Per Wis. Stat. § 6.79(1m), "the system employed to maintain the list electronically is subject to the approval of the Commission."

Also, per Wis. Stat. § 5.05(18), "the Commission may facilitate the creation and maintenance of electronic poll lists for purposes of s. 6.79 including entering into contracts with vendors and establishing programs for development and testing."