Election Public Notice: A Locked Drop Box is available on the east side of the courthouse (located on North Warren Street/Hwy. 83) for Individuals to return their absentee ballot. You will see signage that indicates the Absentee Ballot Drop Box. This location is under 24 hour surveillance. Only the following individuals may possess or deliver an absentee ballot on behalf of a voter:

- The voter him or herself;
- Voter's mother, father, grandparent, aunt, uncle, brother, sister, spouse, son, daughter, niece, nephew, grandchild, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, mother-in-law, father-in-law, brother-in-law, or sister-in-law;
- Individual residing in the same household as the voter; or
- Caretaker of a voter with disabilities. O.C.G.A.§21-2-385(a)

WARNING!!! Unauthorized possession of an absentee ballot violates Georgia law and is punishable by a fine up to \$10,000, a term of imprisonment up to 10 years, or both. O.C.G.A. §21-2-574

Willfully destroying, defacing or delaying the delivery of any ballot violates Georgia Law and is punishable by a fine of up to \$1,000, a term of imprisonment up to a year, or both. O.C.G.A. §21-2-576