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**From:** Derek Brenchley <[dbrenchley@utah.gov](mailto:dbrenchley@utah.gov)>  
**Sent:** Friday, October 9, 2020 1:04 PM  
**To:** Sherrie Swensen  
**Cc:** Lannie Chapman; Justin Lee - State Election Division ([justinlee@utah.gov](mailto:justinlee@utah.gov))  
**Subject:** Re: Ballot Mailing Date

Hi Sherrie,

Sorry to bother you once again, but Rep. Dunnigan gave me another call. He wanted to know whether the October 13th date is for (1) the date that you (or your vendor) plan on dropping off the ballots to USPS for processing and sorting and or (2) it's the date that ballots will go out for delivery to voters.

Any information that you can provide and I can pass onto Rep. Dunnigan is helpful. Thanks!

- Derek

On Fri, Oct 9, 2020 at 9:12 AM Derek Brenchley <[dbrenchley@utah.gov](mailto:dbrenchley@utah.gov)> wrote:

That's what I thought, but I wanted to confirm with you before telling Rep. Dunnigan. Thanks, and have a great day!

On Fri, Oct 9, 2020 at 8:59 AM Sherrie Swensen <[sswensen@slco.org](mailto:sswensen@slco.org)> wrote:

Hi Derek,

They will be mailed on October 13<sup>th</sup> – the earliest date we can mail them in accordance to the law. We have been inundated with requests from voters who want their ballots sooner. Unfortunately, the Legislature didn't make that change in the law to allow us to mail 28 days prior to Election Day, so we are mailing 21 days prior.

Thanks,



**Sherrie Swensen**

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