

Advance voting underway for USD 115 special election  
**(KMZA)--Advanced voting is underway for a January 25 special election in Nemaha Central USD 115 on the recall of board member Owen Zinke.**

**Registered voters that live in USD 115 may vote an advance election ballot either by mail or in person at the Nemaha County Clerk's Office.**

**The last day ballots may be mailed out is Tuesday, January 18. Voters may vote in person up until 12 noon on Monday, January 24.**

**A recall petition was deemed valid by the Nemaha County Clerk's Office last October.**

**The petition was circulated by a group of patrons upset by the board's refusal in the spring to change its mask policy from “required” to “recommended.”**

**Zinke was among the majority of board members who voted against changing the policy in April and again in May.**

**The petition alleges he failed to perform his duties as prescribed by law by not allowing parents to make decisions regarding the healthcare of their children when attending school.**

**A similar effort to recall board member Amy Sudbeck was turned down by voters during the November general election.**

Many Signals Communications