## Voting happens without a hitch

Gays Mills

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Town of Utica town hall was a busy place for Tuesday's April 7 election, although late afternoon of April 6 we were not quite sure that election day would take place.

I would like to say every voter that voted in person was very patient and very concerned of the safety of everyone. When voters arrived, they were met at the door. Each voter's hands were sanitized, then instructed to enter the building placing their drivers license on the table in front of election workers and stepping back, then given a pen for signing and taking home with them.

They proceeded to the voting machine where they were given a Q-tip to use to vote. This method was a no hands on machine, quickly exiting out the back door.

Everyone seemed very thankful for the workers, Janet, Barb and Rosemary, for keeping everyone safe. About 90 percent of our in-house voters had masks on or gloves or both, mostly homemade of several colors and styles and very professionally made.

When everyone works together things can happen. Again a very big thank you to the voters that came out to vote in person.

Thank you, stay safe, wash your hands.

-Chief Inspector (Utica)