



## VOTING IS POWER

**Election day is November 5, 2024.**

**Make a plan and know your ballot.**

- Visit [VPAP.org](https://VPAP.org), the Virginia Public Access Project, or [VOTE411.org](https://VOTE411.org), LWV's nonpartisan voters' guide, to view your ballot and candidates' position statements.
- Vote in-person at your polling place **6 a.m. to 7 p.m. November 5.**

**Register to vote by October 15.**

- Request a mail-in ballot online or by mail until **October 25.**
- Return the ballot by mail or in person to your registrar or to your polling place on **November 5.**
- Avoid delays if mailing your ballot! Ballots must be postmarked by **November 5** and received by **noon on November 8.**
- Be sure to sign your ballot! (Witness signature is no longer required.)

**Vote early in person starting September 20.**

Visit the <https://www.elections.virginia.gov/citizen-portal/> to register, request a mail-in ballot, or find your registrar or polling place, accepted IDs and more.

**Need help? Call (800) 552-9745**



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## Am I eligible to vote?

- Yes, if you are a citizen of the United States and resident of Virginia, at least 18 years old by the general election on **November 5**, have had your capacity restored if you have ever been adjudicated mentally incapacitated, or had voting rights restored after a felony conviction. (For help on how to restore voting rights, call the Secretary of the Commonwealth's Restoration of Rights Division at 804-786-2211 or visit [restore.virginia.gov](https://restore.virginia.gov).)

## Where do I register to vote or update my registration?

- Online (with DMV ID) at: [elections.virginia.gov/citizen-portal/](https://elections.virginia.gov/citizen-portal/)
  - Without DMV ID, you can complete application online, print, sign, and mail as directed.
  - Or, you may download form (at Elections' Voter Forms), complete by hand and mail.
- Any DMV office (in person)
- Any voter registration office or voter registration drive
- Some state agencies, such as Social Services or Health, when applying for or renewing services
- Check your registration status at the Citizen Portal or call your local General Registrar. Find phone numbers at: [elections.virginia.gov/LocalGR](https://elections.virginia.gov/LocalGR) or call (800) 552-9745.

## How do I vote by mail?

- Request an absentee ballot online (with DMV ID) at [elections.virginia.gov/registration/voter-forms/](https://elections.virginia.gov/registration/voter-forms/)
  - You may download the form, complete by hand, and mail.
  - You may request a Permanent Absentee Option.
- Absentee ballot application forms are also available at voter registration offices.

*When you receive your ballot packet, read instructions carefully. Be sure you complete and sign the ballot before mailing it in the pre-paid postage envelope. Avoid delays and mail promptly!*

## How do I know my mail-in ballot was received?

- You can track your ballot on the Citizen Portal or call your General Registrar with questions.

## What documents do I need to cast a ballot?

- Photo ID is no longer required at the polls, however, you will need some form of valid ID.
- Acceptable ID documents include:
  - Correspondence or card from your local General Registrar confirming your registration
  - DMV-issued driver's license (current or expired) or ID card
  - U.S. passport or any ID card issued by U.S., Virginia or local Virginia government
  - A student ID card issued by a Virginia college, university or high school, or U.S. college or university photo ID
  - Employer-issued photo ID card
  - Any current utility bill, bank statement, paycheck or government document with your name and address
  - Acceptable IDs are listed at: [elections.virginia.gov/casting-a-ballot/in-person-voting/](https://elections.virginia.gov/casting-a-ballot/in-person-voting/)

## How do I request curbside or assisted voting?

- If you are 65 or older or have a physical disability or injury, you may vote without leaving your car or request assistance inside the polling place. Look for signage; an election officer will assist you.