



## ARE YOU REGISTERED TO VOTE?

This is a very important right of every American citizen.

Election day this year is 5 November 2019.

If you need to register to vote, visit [Vote.gov](https://www.vote.gov). Depending on your state's voter registration rules, the site can help you

- Register online. This is available for 38 states plus the District of Columbia.
- Download the National Mail Voter Registration Form. You can fill it out onscreen and print the completed form, or print the blank form and fill it out by hand. Remember to sign the form before mailing it to the location listed for your state.
- Find guidance for states and territories with different registration procedures.

### Register to Vote in Person

You can register in person with your state or local election office. You may also be able to register at one of these nearby public facilities. Check with the actual location first.

- The department of motor vehicles
- Armed Forces recruitment centers
- State and county public assistance offices such as SNAP/food stamps and WIC

### Overseas and Military Voters

The Federal Voting Assistance Program lets you register to vote and request an absentee ballot if you're a:

- U.S. citizen living outside the U.S.
- Service member stationed overseas
- Spouse or eligible family member of a service member stationed overseas

### Voter Registration Deadlines

Every state except North Dakota requires citizens to register if they want to become voters. Depending on your state, the registration deadline could be as much as a month before an election.

Check the U.S. Vote Foundation to find your state's deadline for registering. You can also check your state or territory's election office for more details.

### Voting Rules in the U.S. Are Different in Every State

Federal and state elections in the United States are run by the states, according to Article I and Article II of the Constitution. No two states run their elections exactly the same. Contacting your state or local election office is the best way to find out about your state's unique election rules.

### **The Basic Steps to Vote are the Same in Most States**

Despite the differences in how states run elections, the basic voting process is the same almost everywhere.

- Every state except North Dakota requires you to register to vote.
- Every state has absentee voting.
- Most states assign you a specific polling place, or voting location. A few states have ballot drop sites instead.

Now you are registered to vote who do you vote for?

You need to find out who is running and which individuals have the same values and ideals you have. This can be done by researching on line or reading the massive documents you will be mailed from the candidates. You also need to be aware of anything else that may be on the agenda for you to vote for or against and read carefully as some are written so that it makes it seem that a no vote will stop it from going through when in reality it takes a yes vote.

**NOW GET OUT AND VOTE!** And encourage family and friends to vote. If you don't vote don't complain about who gets in office. What do you care?

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The Voice of the Enlisted

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