

MISSISSIPPI

ARE YOU PREPARED TO VOTE?



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VOTE
NON-PARTISAN
VOTER EDUCATION

ELECTION DAY

**Tuesday, June 7, is
Primary Election Day**

Polls open 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

YOUR Ready-to-Vote Checklist

- ☒ Confirm your registration status
bit.ly/MSVoteReg
- ☒ Find your polling place
bit.ly/PollingMS
- ☒ Pack your ID!
bit.ly/MSVoteID
- ☒ Wear a mask. Stay safe.



Want more
information?

voting.naacpldf.org

DEADLINES + IMPORTANT DATES

April 23

Absentee ballots are available at County Circuit Clerk's Office.

May 9, 5:00 p.m.

Voter Registration Deadline — last day to register to vote in order to be able to vote in the primary.

June 4

In-person absentee ballot deadline — County Clerk offices are open until 12:00 p.m.

June 7

Primary Election Day (Polls open 7 a.m. - 7 p.m.)

June 7

Mail-in absentee ballots must be postmarked on or before June 7, 2022, AND they must be received by the County Circuit Clerk before June 14.

ABSENTEE BALLOT

Can I cast an in-person absentee ballot?

In Mississippi, you can cast an in-person absentee ballot if:

- You expect to be absent from the county on Election Day.
- Are required to be at work on Election Day during when the polls are open.

Can I cast an absentee ballot by mail?

In Mississippi, you can vote absentee by mail if:

- You are 65 years of age or older.
- Are ill or have a physical disability that prevents a trip to the polling place.
- Are temporarily residing outside of your county of residence.



What IDs Are Acceptable?

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| MS Driver's License | Federally Issued ID – including U.S. passport or photo Military ID | Tribal Photo ID |
| MS Voter ID Card | Photo ID issued by any branch, department, agency or entity of the U.S. Government, including employee ID | Student Photo ID from MS accredited university, college, or community/junior college |
| Photo ID card issued by any State of MS branch, department or entity | Photo ID issued by any branch, department, agency or entity of any state government | (Photo Required) Firearms License |

What if I do not have an acceptable Photo ID?

Do not have any of the identification listed above? Receive a FREE Voter ID card at your local Circuit Clerk's Office during regular business hours. Find out how to obtain a free Voter ID card: bit.ly/MSVoterCard

Know Your Rights!

Under the law, you have a right to:

- ✓ **Vote if you are in line** by the time polls close at 7 p.m.
- ✓ **Vote free from intimidation** or harassment.
- ✓ **Receive assistance when voting.** If you need assistance because of blindness, disability, difficulty reading or difficulty reading English you can choose who assists you. Your employer cannot assist you while voting. Your union representative cannot assist you while voting.
- ✓ **Vote from your vehicle** if you have a physical disability that prevents you from standing in line.
- ✓ **Vote by affidavit ballot** if there is uncertainty regarding your registration status or eligibility.

Run into problems?

Long lines? Polling location changed or not well marked?
Name removed from voter roll? Voter intimidation?
Misinformation? Voting machine or other technology issues?

To report a problem at the polls or ask any questions, submit your concern to the Legal Defense Fund at bit.ly/VRDVoterSuppression

Call the Election Protection hotline at

866-OUR-VOTE (866-687-8683)
888-VE-Y-VOTA (888-839-8682 — Spanish)
888-API-VOTE (888-274-8683 — Asian languages)
844-YALLA-US (844-925-5287 — Arabic)



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