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ARE YOU PREPARED TO ☑OTE?

Many towns, cities, and counties
are holding local elections this fall.

GENERAL ELECTION

October 4 (Mon) — **DEADLINE TO REGISTER** for November General and Runoff Elections.

October 11 (Mon) — Earliest day for registrar to mail absentee ballot for November Municipal Election.

October 12 (Tue) — **EARLY VOTING BEGINS**.

October 16 (Sat) — Mandatory Saturday early voting in all counties (polls open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.).

October 22 (Fri) — Last day for registrar to receive an absentee ballot application for November General Election.

October 23 (Sat) — Mandatory Saturday early voting for November General Election.

November 2 (Tues) — **ELECTION DAY** Polls open 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

ELECTION DAY CHECKLIST

☑ Confirm your registration status.
bit.ly/GaVotersInfo

☑ See what is on your ballot.
bit.ly/BallotView

☑ Look up your polling site.
bit.ly/GaVotersInfo

☑ Bring your ID.

☑ Pack your PPE!
Wear a mask; stay safe.

WHAT IDs ARE ACCEPTABLE?

GA Driver's License, even if expired.	Federally Issued ID — including U.S. Passport or Military Photo ID.
Free ID Card issued by County Registrar or Georgia Department of Driver Services.	Employee photo ID from any branch, department, agency, or entity of the Federal, Georgia, or local government.
Any State or Federal Government-Issued Photo ID, Including from Georgia public colleges, universities, and technical colleges.	Tribal Photo ID.

WHAT IF I DON'T HAVE ONE OF THE SIX ACCEPTABLE FORMS OF PHOTO ID?

The State of Georgia offers a free ID card that can be issued at any county registrar's office or Department of Driver Services Office. Visit **bit.ly/GAVoterIDInfo** to learn more.

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Under Georgia law, you have a right to:

- Vote if you are in line by the time polls close.

- Vote free from intimidation.

- Vote and cast a regular ballot even if you are on the "inactive voters" list. In fact, voting is one of the ways to return to active status.

- Ask to vote by provisional ballot if there is uncertainty regarding your registration status or eligibility.

- Avoid waiting in line. If you are 75 years of age or older or have a disability and you are at your polling place between 9:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., you will not be required to wait in line. Tell a poll worker if you want to move to the front of the line. For information on the accessibility of your polling place, please contact your county elections office.

- Receive assistance when voting if you are unable to vote unaided due to blindness, disability, illiteracy, or inability to read English. You can choose who assists you, as long as they are not your employer or union representative.

School Board Elections

Despite receiving little media attention, school boards wield a lot of power. For example, school boards have the power to make budgeting, policy, and curricula decisions, which not only have a big impact on a classroom environment but also help decide the values students receive alongside their formal education.

Here are just some of the school boards having elections on November 2, 2021: Atlanta, Gainesville, Marietta, Decatur, Buford, Calhoun, Carrollton, Social Circle, Valdosta and Vidalia.

For more information about local school boards in Georgia, visit **bit.ly/GaVote2021**

Mail-In Ballot

Any voter can request a mail-in ballot. No excuse is needed. Simply fill out the application to request an official mail-in ballot. Then, mail it to or drop off the application at your county registrar's office. We urge you to request your mail-in ballot and get it back to your county registrar's office as soon as possible. **bit.ly/GaByMail**

Run into problems?

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

Report issues

To report a problem at the polls, or if you have any questions:

Email: **vote@naacpldf.org** or call Election Protection at **866-OUR-VOTE** (866-687-8683)
Spanish: 888-VE-Y-VOTA (888-839-8682)
Asian Languages: 888-API-VOTE (888-274-8683)
Arabic: 844-YALLA-US (844-925-5287)

Want more information?

You can scan this QR code by opening your camera app on a smart phone. Hold the phone up and let the camera focus on the QR square. This will take you to LDF's website for more information.

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