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ARE YOU PREPARED TO VOTE?

GENERAL ELECTION DAY

Tuesday, November 8, 2022

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

Your Prepared-to-Vote Checklist

- ✔ Confirm your registration status.
bit.ly/TXRegistrationStatus
- ✔ Find your polling place.
bit.ly/TXPollSites
- ✔ See what ID you need to bring.
bit.ly/TXVoterID22

Note: All links are case sensitive.

ARE YOU REGISTERED TO VOTE?

Tuesday, October 11

Last day to register.

Disclaimer: The information here is a resource and not legal advice. It is provided for informational purposes only and not as a substitute for or supplement to the legal advice necessary to address the specific concerns of any individual. **Texas may revise its laws and information after this is published.** It is your responsibility to determine how all applicable laws concerning voter registration, voting, and the restoration of voting rights in Texas affect you.

PICK A VOTING PLAN

PLAN 1: VOTE BY MAIL

Check if you qualify to vote absentee here: bit.ly/TXAbs

Friday, October 28

Your county registrar needs to **receive** your request for an absentee ballot by this date. You can fill out your application with pen on paper. Then, mail it or drop it off at your county registrar's office. The sooner the better!

Request an application here: bit.ly/TXAbs

Tuesday, November 8 by 7 p.m.*

Your county registrar needs to **receive** your absentee ballot by this date and time. You can mail your absentee ballot or you can drop off your absentee ballot at a drop off location.

PLAN 2: VOTE EARLY IN PERSON

October 24 – November 4

Hours vary by county. Find your county's voting hours on their election administration website.

PLAN 3: VOTE IN PERSON ON ELECTION DAY

Tuesday, November 8

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

**OR Wednesday, November 9, at 5 p.m. if envelope is postmarked by Election Day.*

Election Protection: **866-OUR-VOTE** (866-687-8683). Email the Legal Defense Fund: vote@naacpldf.org



What IDs can I use?

- Texas Driver's License**
 - Texas Election ID Certificate**
 - U.S. Military ID Card ***
 - Texas Personal ID Card**
 - Texas Handgun License**
 - U.S. Citizenship Certificate***
 - U.S. Passport
- ** Issued by Texas Department of Public Safety *** Must include photo

What if I don't have one of these IDs?

Voters can present a supporting form of ID and make a Reasonable Impediment Declaration that they are unable to obtain an acceptable form of ID. Learn more at bit.ly/TXVoterID22

Know your rights!

- Vote **free from intimidation**.
- Vote if **you are in line** when polls close at 7 p.m.
- Get help** voting if you need help due to blindness or disability, or you struggle to read English. Anyone can help you so long as they are not your employer or union representative.
- Vote by **provisional ballot** if there is uncertainty regarding your registration status.
- Vote **curbside** if you are physically unable to enter the polling place.
- Vote if you are **detained pre-trial** or if you have been sentenced to a misdemeanor.
- Vote **after serving a felony conviction** if you have (1) fully completed the sentence, including incarceration, parole, or supervision, or (2) completed any court-ordered probation.
- Receive up to two more ballots** if you make a mistake while marking the ballot when voting in person.

Have questions or issues?

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

Email vote@naacpldf.org or call Election Protection at **866-OUR-VOTE** (866-687-8683). Multiple language support (e.g., Spanish, Arabic, and Asian languages) is available.

