



QUALIFICATIONS TO VOTE ABSENTEE BY MAIL

To be eligible to vote early by mail in Texas, you must:

- be 65 years or older;
- be sick or disabled;
- be out of the county on election day and during the period for early voting by personal appearance; or
- be expected to give birth within three weeks before or after Election Day; or
- be confined in jail, but otherwise eligible.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

LDF.vote

QUESTIONS OR ISSUES?

866-OUR-VOTE



Disclaimer: This information is provided as a resource and not legal advice. It is for informational purposes only and is not a substitute for or supplement to the legal advice necessary to address the concerns of any individual. State and federal laws and regulations around voting and elections may change following the date of publication: 08/20/2026. It is your responsibility to determine how all applicable laws may affect you.



Know your deadlines.
Exercise your political power.

2026 TEXAS ELECTION

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Source: Texas Secretary of State | sos.state.tx.us

These are free, nonprofit and nonpartisan voter resources

PICK A VOTING PLAN



MAKE A PLAN TO VOTE.

Visit **LDF.vote** for info to take the following steps.

1. BY MAIL (if you qualify)



Don't delay! Return your application and ballot ASAP. Qualifications on reverse and deadlines* below:

Application to Clerk by:
Friday, October 23

Ballot Postmark by:
Tuesday, November 3

*Confirm deadlines separately if military/overseas

OR

2. IN PERSON (Early or Election Day)

Early and Election Day voting is open to all voters. Find out where at votetexas.gov/voting/where.

Early Voting:
Monday, October 19 – Friday, October 30
Hours vary

Election Day:
Tuesday, November 3
7 AM – 7 PM

If you are physically unable to enter the poll site, consider curbside voting!

QUALIFICATIONS TO REGISTER

- You are a United States citizen;
- You are a resident of the county where you submit the application;
- You are at least 17 years and 10 months old on the date your voter registration application is submitted, and you are 18 years of age on Election Day.
- You are not a convicted felon (you may be eligible to vote if you have completed your sentence, probation, and parole); and
- You have not been declared by a court exercising probate jurisdiction to be either totally mentally incapacitated or partially mentally incapacitated without the right to vote.

ACCEPTED VOTER ID

- TX Driver License issued by the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS);
- TX Election Identification Certificate issued by DPS;
- TX Personal Identification Card issued by DPS;
- TX Handgun License issued by DPS;
- U.S. Military Identification Card containing the person's photograph;
- U.S. Citizenship Certificate containing the person's photograph; **or**
- U.S. Passport (book or card)

Source: Information above is from the TX Secretary of State's website as of 08/01/2026.

If you do not have one of these forms of ID, call 866-OUR-VOTE to learn about your options to cast a ballot.

Register by: Monday, October 5