

HOW TO VOTE IN DELAWARE'S GENERAL ELECTION

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES:



ACLU OF DELAWARE'S VOTER CAMPAIGN WEBSITE

VOTEDELAWARE.ORG



LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS DELAWARE VOTER INFO WEBSITE

VOTE411.ORG/DELAWARE



VOTAMOS, WE VOTE COALITION WEBSITE

VOTAMOSDE.ORG



DELAWARE DEPARTMENT OF ELECTIONS WEBSITE

ELECTIONS.DELAWARE.GOV



PERSONALIZED REGISTRATION, BALLOT, & POLLING PLACE INFO

IVOTE.DE.GOV



DELAWARE DEPARTMENT OF ELECTIONS VOTER FAQS

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EARLY VOTING

IN-PERSON EARLY VOTING IN DELAWARE'S GENERAL ELECTION BEGINS FRIDAY OCTOBER 28, 2022

EARLY VOTING

As of January 1, 2022, registered voters are allowed to vote in-person during 10 days before any primary, general, or special election, up to and including the Saturday and Sunday immediately before the election.

For the 2022 General Election, early voting in Delaware will begin on Friday October 28, 2022, and run until Sunday November 6, 2022.

BRING ID

Voters must show one of the following forms of ID:

- State-issued photo ID
- Utility bill
- Paycheck
- Any government document with the voter's name and address

In the event you do not have one of the above forms of ID, you can sign an affidavit of affirmation that you are the person listed on the election district record.

FIND YOUR EARLY VOTING LOCATION

To find an early voting site near you, visit <u>ivote.de.gov</u> and enter your address in the polling location search.

You can only vote at an early voting location in your county of residence during the early voting timeframe.

Find early voting polling place hours: <u>bit.ly/DE-Early-Voting</u>

REGISTERING TO VOTE

The General Election voter registration deadline in Delaware is Saturday, October 15, 2022.

To check or update your voter registration, or to register as a first-time Delaware voter, visit <u>ivote.de.gov</u>.

if you have moved or changed your name, you must update your voter registration by October 15, 2022.

ELECTION DAY

DELAWARE VOTERS CAN CAST THEIR BALLOT IN PERSON ON ELECTION DAY- TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2022.

ELECTION DAY

All eligible Delaware voters can cast their ballot in person on Election Day- Tuesday, November 8, 2022. Polls are open from 7 a.m. – 8 p.m.

To find your Election Day polling place, visit <u>ivote.de.gov</u>.

When you register to vote, you should also receive a postcard in the mail with your polling place.

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TIPS

Here are a few helpful tips:

- If the polls close while you're still in line, stay in line – you have the right to vote.
- If you make a mistake on your ballot, ask for a new one.
- If the machines are down at your polling place, ask for a paper ballot.
- Report voter suppression when you see it by calling the Election Protection Hotline at 866-OUR-VOTE

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VOTE BY MAIL

VOTE-BY-MAIL IS NO LONGER AN OPTION FOR THE GENERAL ELECTION, HOWEVER ELIGIBLE ABSENTEE VOTERS CAN STILL REQUEST AN ABSENTEE BALLOT.

COURT RULING

On Friday, October 7, 2022, the Delaware Supreme Court issued a ruling that overturned the vote-by-mail laws that were passed earlier this year.

Vote-by-mail is no longer an option for the General Election. This means that you will not receive a vote-by-mail ballot for the 2022 General Election if you had already requested one.

The only way that a person can cast their ballot by mail in this year's General Election is through absentee voting, which requires an excuse.

ABSENTEE VOTING

If you plan to vote absentee, you must request your absentee ballot, with a valid excuse, as soon as possible. Request your absentee ballot online at <u>ivote.de.gov</u>.

The Elections office in your country must receive your absentee request form at least four days before the election. Completed absentee request forms can be mailed, faxed, or emailed to the Elections office in your county.

For more information on absentee voting, visit the Delaware Department of Elections website by going to <u>bit.ly/DE-Absentee-Voting</u>.

Note: If your absentee status in iVote is listed as "Indefinite", this means that you have requested to be a permanent absentee voter. You will automatically receive an absentee ballot for all elections for which you are eligible to vote.

RETURN YOUR ABSENTEE BALLOT Note: You can review the status of your absentee ballot at <u>ivote.de.gov</u>.

You must return your absentee ballot to the Dept. of Elections office for your county by 8 PM on Election Day by:

- Placing the ballot in the U.S. Mail
- Dropping off the ballot at the Elections office in your country

Note: Those who are sick or temporarily or permanently physically disabled may receive and return their ballot securely via email.

SAME-DAY REGISTRATION

SAME-DAY REGISTRATION IS NO LONGER AN OPTION FOR THE GENERAL ELECTION. THE VOTER REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS OCTOBER 15, 2022.

COURT RULING

On Friday, October 7, 2022, the Delaware Supreme Court issued a ruling that overturned the same-day registration laws that were passed earlier this year.

The deadline to register to vote in the General Election is now Saturday, October 15, 2022.

If you do not register to vote by that date, you will not be able to cast your ballot.

QUALIFICATIONS TO VOTE

You may register to vote in Delaware if you:

- Are a citizen of the United States; AND
- Are a resident of Delaware (Delaware is your home); AND
- Will be 18 years old on or before the date of the next General Election.

People with a previous conviction on their record who have served their time, including some people with felonies, are eligible to vote.

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The deadline to register to vote in the General Election is Saturday, October 15, 2022. To check your registration or register to vote in Delaware, visit <u>ivote.de.gov</u>.

Occasionally, states and local election offices will purge their registration rosters of individuals that have moved or haven't voted in a long time, and sometimes, an error may occur that removes an eligible voter. Be sure to visit<u>ivote.de.gov</u> before October 15, 2022, to make sure that your voter registration status is updated and accurate.

For more information on voter registration, visit the Delaware Department of Elections website by going to <u>bit.ly/DE-Voter-</u><u>Registration.</u>

Note: Certain disqualifying felonies may require a pardon to restore voting rights. Pretrial detention and misdemeanors do not restrict your voting rights.