

## First things first

#### **Register to vote:**

- Go to: vote411.org/pflag
  - Check your registration status
  - If you are not registered REGISTER NOW.
  - Find information about who is eligible to vote in Georgia
- When you register you will be asked for your current address and ID Number (driver's license, state ID, or social security number).
- The voter registration deadline in Georgia is **October 7.**





### **Voter Identification**

In Georgia, photo IDs are required to register and cast an in person or absentee ballot.

- An ID card can be issued at any county registrar's office or Department of Driver Services Office free of charge.
- For more information visit: vote411.org/pflag
- There are resources available to help:
  - Legal Defense Fund: voting.naacpldf.org/voting-rights/preparedto-vote/georgia/
  - Vote Riders: voteriders.org/freehelp/





# **Voting While Trans/Nonbinary**

The state of Georgia does not provide any specific guidance for trans and nonbinary voters. Here are a few recommendations from Advocates for Trans Equality:

- Bring valid ID and backups (voter registration card, utility bill)
- Share the #VotingWhileTrans guide with poll workers
- If needed, connect with a volunteer attorney on-site or call the National Election Protection Hotline (866-OUR-VOTE)
- Worst case, request and cast a provisional ballot and be sure to ask for follow-up instructions



#### **TRANSform the Vote**



# **Voting While Living With a Disability**

- Georgia uses a paper ballot voting system that can accommodate people with various disabilities. Headsets are available, and large controls that can accommodate sip-and-puff devices are available. You can use an app on your phone to read your ballot if you're unable to see it. The photo must be deleted before you leave the polling place.
- Any voter who is disabled or over the age of 75 and requires assistance in voting may vote immediately without having to wait in line.
- If you have a disability and don't need assistance, you can still move to the front of the line if you arrive between 9:30am and 4:30pm.
- All polling places must be accessible in accordance with the ADA, HAVA, and other federal laws. You can read more here: <a href="mailto:ada.gov/resources/protecting-voter-rights/">ada.gov/resources/protecting-voter-rights/</a>



### Absentee voting or voting by mail

### Vote by mail.

- Georgia does not require an excuse for absentee voting. Anyone can vote absentee.
- Voters must request their absentee ballot by October 25.
- In Georgia, an absentee ballot must be received by November 5.
- You can request an absentee ballot here: <u>georgia.gov/vote-absentee-ballot</u>.
- Your absentee ballot cannot be hand delivered on election day.





**PFLAG recommends that voters** request their absentee ballots as soon as possible and get them in the mailbox no later than Tuesday, October 22.

**Getting Out The Vote** 

# **Early voting**

Vote early.

- All registered voters in Georgia can vote early for any reason.
- You can find information about early voting locations in Georgia here: vote411.org/pflag
- Early voting begins in Georgia on October 15 and ends on November 1. Hours and the availability of Sunday voting differ by county.
- Voters who plan to vote early in Georgia are required to have identification. Learn more here: <u>sos.ga.gov/page/georgia-voter-identification-requirements</u>





**Getting Out The Vote** 

### **Voting on Election Day:**

#### Vote on election day.

- Polls open in Georgia at 7am and close at 7pm on Tuesday, November 5.
- You can find information about the location of your polling place here: vote411.org/pflag.
- If you arrive and are told you won't be allowed to vote:
  - Don't panic. Ask why, fix any problems, ask about same day registration, request a provisional ballot, etc.
  - Call 866-OUR-VOTE or 888-VE-Y-VOTA.





# If you are in line to vote when the polls close, STAY IN LINE.