Get Out the Vote in Washington, D.C.!

The voter registration deadline in Washington, D.C., for the November 2024 election, is Tuesday, October 15.

ID Requirements

In Washington, D.C., identification is required for some first-time voters who submitted their voter registration application without identification.

Identification is not required for most voters.

Absentee Voting

All voters registered before Thursday, October 31 will be automatically mailed a ballot with prepaid postage. If you need your ballot mailed to a temporary address, you must submit an absentee ballot request before Thursday, October 31.

Absentee ballots must be postmarked by Tuesday, November 5 and received no later than Friday, November 15 if returning by mail. Ballots must be received by Tuesday, November 5 if returning in-person.

Your absentee ballot can be hand delivered to a voting center, drop box, or local election office on election day. Find a drop box here: dcboe.org/voters/find-out-where-to-vote/mail-ballot-drop-box-locations

Learn more at: pflag.org/LoveVotes

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If you are in line to vote on election day when the polls close – STAY IN LINE. You must be allowed to cast your ballot.

Early Voting

All registered voters in Washington, D.C. can vote early for any reason. Early voting begins in Washington, D.C. on Monday, October 28 and ends on Sunday, November 3.

Voting on Election Day

Polls open in Washington, D.C. at 7 am and close at 8 pm on Tuesday, November 5.

Voters may cast their ballot at any vote center, regardless of their residential address. You can find vote center locations here: dcboe.org/voters/find-out-where-to-vote/election-day-vote-centers

You can register to vote in-person during early voting and on election day in Washington, D.C.

Need Help?

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