



Get Out the Vote in Maryland



The voter registration deadline in Maryland, for the November 2026 election, is Tuesday, October 13 (online or by mail).



ID Requirements

In Maryland, photo ID is not required to register or cast a ballot. Some voters may need to provide identification to cast a ballot if they registered by mail without providing identification, their identity is challenged, or they are registering to vote on the same day they cast their ballot.

Mail-In Voting

Maryland does not require an excuse for mail-in voting. Voters must request their mail-in ballot by Tuesday, October 27 if they would like to receive their ballot by mail or fax and Friday, October 30 if they want their ballot as an emailed link.

Mail-in ballots must be postmarked by Tuesday, November 3, if returning by mail.

Ballots must be received by 8pm on Tuesday, November 3 if returning in person at a drop box or polling place.

PFLAG recommends that voters request their absentee ballots as soon as possible and get them in the mailbox no later than Tuesday, October 20.

Learn more at: pflag.org/PFLAGVotes



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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 Maryland can vote early for any reason. Early voting begins on Thursday, October 22 and ends on Thursday, October 29. Early voting centers are open 7am to 8pm.

Voting on Election Day

Polls open in Maryland at 7am and close at 8pm on Tuesday, November 3.

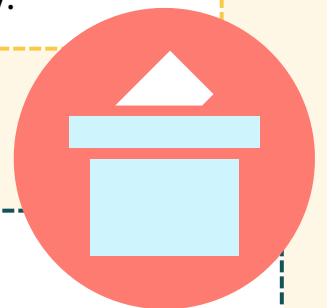
You can find information about the location of your polling place here: voterservices.elections.maryland.gov/PollingPlaceSearch

You can register to vote in person at your polling place on election day.

Need Help?

Vote Riders: voteriders.org/freehelp/

Call 866-OUR-VOTE or 888-VE-Y-VOTA.



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