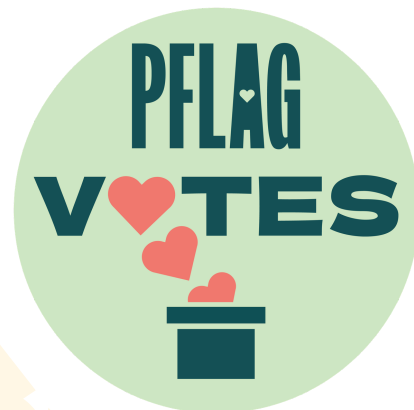




# Get Out the Vote in Michigan



**The voter registration deadline in Michigan,  
for the November 2026 election,  
is Monday, October 19.**

## ID Requirements

In Michigan, photo ID is not required to register and cast a ballot, unless you possess a photo ID on your person at the time of voting. Presenting a photo ID will make your voting experience faster and easier. If you do not have a photo ID, you can sign an affidavit and cast a regular ballot.



## Absentee Voting

Michigan does not require an excuse for absentee voting.

Voters must request their absentee ballot by 5 pm on Friday, October 30 (online or by mail) or by 4 pm on Monday, November 2 (in-person).

You can request an absentee ballot here:  
[mvic.sos.state.mi.us/AVApplication/Index](https://mvic.sos.state.mi.us/AVApplication/Index)

Absentee ballots must be received by 8 pm on Tuesday, November 3.

Absentee ballots can be returned by mail, drop box, at an early voting site, or at a city or township clerk's office.

On election day voters can bring their completed absentee ballot to their precinct to insert directly into the tabulator (except for voters in Detroit who need to return their ballots at a local clerk's office or drop box)

**Learn more at: [pflag.org/PFLAGVotes](https://pflag.org/PFLAGVotes)**



# Get Out the Vote in Michigan



**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

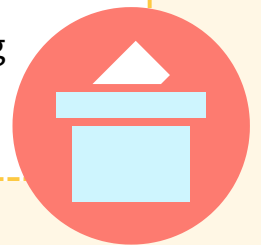
All registered voters in Michigan can vote early for any reason. Early voting begins on Saturday, October 24 and ends on Sunday, November 1. Some counties may begin early voting earlier. As of 2026, some counties may offer early voting on Monday, November 2.

## Voting on Election Day

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

You can find information about the location of your polling place here: [mvic.sos.state.mi.us/Voter/index](https://mvic.sos.state.mi.us/Voter/index)

You can register to vote on election day in Michigan, but not at your polling place. You must go to your city or township clerk's office to register and cast your ballot.



## Need Help?

Vote Riders: [voteriders.org/freehelp/](https://voteriders.org/freehelp/)

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

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