

Get Out the Vote in Virginia



The voter registration deadline in Virginia, for the November 2026 election, is Friday, October 23 (online, by mail) and Tuesday, November 3 (in-person.)



ID Requirements

In Virginia, identification is required to cast a ballot. If you do not present acceptable identification, you may sign an ID Confirmation Statement stating you are the voter listed and vote a regular ballot. If you do not provide ID or sign an ID Confirmation Statement, you can vote a provisional ballot.

Absentee Voting

Virginia does not require an excuse for absentee voting.

Voters must request their ballot by Friday, October 23.

Absentee ballots must be received Tuesday, November 3 if dropping it off in person. If returning by mail, the ballot must be postmarked by Tuesday, November 3 and received by 12 pm on Friday, November 6.

Your absentee ballot cannot be hand delivered to your polling place on election day. You must return it via mail, at a drop box, or hand delivered to your local general registrar's office.

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 Virginia can vote early for any reason. Early voting begins on Saturday, September 19 and ends on Saturday, October 31.

Voting on Election Day

Polls open in Virginia at 6 am and close at 7 pm on Tuesday, November 3.

You can register to vote in person on election day.

You can find information about the location of your polling place here: vote.elections.virginia.gov/VoterInformation/Lookup/polling

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Vote Riders: voteriders.org/freehelp/

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



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