NONPROFIT VOTE STATE FACT SHEET
NORTH CAROLINA

VOTER FAQS:

WHAT SHOULD I KNOW TO BE REGISTERED TO VOTE?

- **How Old Do I Need to Be?** At least 18 years-old by Election day.
- **Can I Register Online?** Yes, if you have a DMV issued license or ID.
- **I Have a Felony Record, Can I Still Register?** Yes, after completion of incarceration, parole, and probation.
- **I Am Homeless, How Do I Register?** Use the address or cross streets for wherever you sleep.
- **Where Do I Register in Person?** You can register during early voting. Bring an ID or bill that has your name and current address.
- **Is There a Residency Requirement?** Yes, you must be a resident of the state and the county/township for 30 days before you vote.

WHAT SHOULD I KNOW ABOUT VOTING IN-PERSON?

- **Do I Need ID to Vote?** No, unless you didn’t include a state ID or the last 4 digits of your social security number on your registration.
- **When Can I Vote?** See the Important Dates.
- **Where Can I Find My Polling Place?** See the State Voter Portal.
- **I Have a Disability, Are Polling Places Accessible to Me?** Voting locations are accessible and offer curbside voting.

WHAT SHOULD I KNOW ABOUT VOTING BY MAIL?

- **Who Can Vote By Mail?** Any registered voter, no excuses needed, but you will need someone to sign as a witness.
- **How Do I Apply for a Vote By Mail Ballot?** Email, mail, or hand deliver the completed, signed request form to your county elections office.
- **How Do I Return My Ballot?** By mail (stamp required) or in-person drop off to your county board of elections or an early voting site.
- **When is My Ballot Due?** Postmarked by 5pm on November 3. We recommend you send in your ballot by Early Voting Day, October 24th.
- **I Have a Disability, Can I Use Assistance?** Yes, you can designate a near relative to return your ballot.

**IMPORTANT DATES**

- **General Election:** Nov 3
- **Registration Deadline:** Oct 9, or register in person at an early voting site.
- **Vote by Mail Request Deadline:** Oct 27
- **Early Voting Period:** Oct 15 - Oct 31

**HELPFUL LINKS**

- **Register to Vote Online:** ncdot.gov/dmv/offices-services/online/Pages/voter-registration-application.aspx
- **State Voter Portal:** www.ncvoter.org
- **Voter ID Information:** demnc.co/absentee

**PRINTABLE FORMS**

- **State Registration Form:** s3.amazonaws.com/dl.ncsbe.gov/Voter_Registration/NCVoterRegForm_06W.pdf
- **Federal Registration Form:** eac.gov/voters/national-mail-voter-registration-form (multiple languages)
- **Vote By Mail Application:** s3.amazonaws.com/dl.ncsbe.gov/Forms/NCAbsenteeBallotRequestForm.pdf
- **Rules For 3rd Party Registration:** Submit within 5 days

*Please note that the information contained herein is accurate as of 8/27/2020. The best way to get current information - particularly in light of COVID - is to check with your state's chief election division (usually the secretary of state's office) or county elections office.