



NONPROFIT VOTE STATE FACT SHEET

ALABAMA



VOTER FAQs:

WHAT SHOULD I KNOW TO BE REGISTERED TO VOTE?

- **How Old Do I Need to Be?** At least 18 years of age on or before election day.
- **Can I Register Online?** Yes, if you have a valid Alabama Driver's License or Non-Driver's Identification card
- **I Have a Felony Record, Can I Still Register?** Not all felony convictions take away your right to vote. Check the link for the ACLU for details
- **I Am Homeless, How Do I Register?** Draw a map of where you most frequently stay, include roads and landmarks in the provided area on the voter registration form. Provide the address of where you receive mail in the mail address portion of the form.
- **Where Do I Register in Person?** At the DMV, a public assistance office, military recruitment center, public libraries, or in person registration drive.
- **Is there a residency requirement?** Yes, you must be a resident of Alabama
- **Do I need ID to register in-person?** Yes, you must have an Alabama Driver's License, State ID, or the last four of your social security number.

WHAT SHOULD I KNOW ABOUT VOTING IN-PERSON?

- **Do I Need ID to Vote?** Yes, you need a valid photo ID. You can ask for a provisional ballot if you do not have ID
- **Where Can I Find My Polling Place?** See the State Voter Portal
- **I Have a Disability, Are Polling Places Accessible to Me?**
Yes, accessible polling machines are available. You are also moved up to the front of the line and can request assistance at polling places.

WHAT SHOULD I KNOW ABOUT VOTING BY MAIL?

- **Who Can Vote By Mail?** Anyone that has a disability, over 65 years of age, expects to be out of the county election day, works for more than 10 hours on election day, or is currently incarcerated.
- **How Do I Apply for a Vote By Mail Ballot?** Mail or hand deliver a completed application with a copy of your valid photo ID
- **How Do I Return My Ballot?** By mail (postage required) or hand delivered
- **When is My Ballot Due?** Postmarked or hand delivered no later than noon on election day
- **How Do I Track My Ballot?** See the state voter portal
- **I Have a Disability, Can I Use Assistance?** Only the voter may return the ballot. However, if you are considered "permanently disabled" you may opt-in to have an absentee ballot sent to you each election.



IMPORTANT DATES

Election date: Nov 8

Registration deadline: Oct 24

Vote by Mail request deadline: Nov 3



HELPFUL LINKS

Register to Vote Online:

https://www.alabamainteractive.org/sos/voter_registration/voterRegistrationWelcome.action

State Voter Portal:

<https://myinfo.alabamavotes.gov/voterview>

Voter ID Information:

<https://www.voteriders.org/states/alabama/>

ACLU Guidelines

<https://www.aclualabama.org/sites/default/files/handout-votingrightsrestoration.pdf>



PRINTABLE FORMS

State Registration Forms:

<https://www.sos.alabama.gov/sites/default/files/voter-pdfs/nvra-2.pdf>

Federal Registration Form:

eac.gov/voters/national-mail-voter-registration-form

Vote By Mail Application:

<https://www.sos.alabama.gov/sites/default/files/absentee-forms/Generic%20Absentee%20Application.pdf>



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