



# NONPROFIT VOTE STATE FACT SHEET

## OHIO



### 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 an OH state ID or license, otherwise register on paper
- **I Have a Felony Record, Can I Still Register?** Yes, after completion of incarceration and parole
- **I Am Homeless, How Do I Register?** Use the address or cross streets for wherever you sleep
- **Where Do I Register in Person?** At any County Elections Office, Bureau of Motor Vehicles Office, or public library
- **Is there a residency requirement?** You must reside in Ohio for at least 30 days prior to the election

#### WHAT SHOULD I KNOW ABOUT VOTING IN-PERSON?

- **Do I Need ID to Vote?** Yes, a valid OH license or ID or a recent paycheck, utility bill, or government document with your name and current address
- **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?**  
All polling places are accessible and voters with disabilities may bring someone with them to assist

#### WHAT SHOULD I KNOW ABOUT VOTING BY MAIL?

- **Who Can Vote By Mail?** Any registered voter, no excuses needed
- **How Do I Apply for a Vote By Mail Ballot?** By mail (stamp required) or returned in person
- **How Do I Return My Ballot?** By mail (stamp required) or returned in person
- **When is My Ballot Due?** Received by 7:30 pm November 8 or postmarked by November 7
- **How Do I Track My Ballot?** See the state voter portal



#### IMPORTANT DATES

*Early Voting Period:* Oct 12 – Nov 7

*Election date:* Nov 8

*Registration deadline:* Oct 11

*Vote by Mail request deadline:* Nov 5



#### HELPFUL LINKS

*Register to Vote Online:*

[olvr.ohiosos.gov](http://olvr.ohiosos.gov)

*State Voter Portal:*

<https://www.sos.state.oh.us/elections/voters/>

*Voter ID info:*

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



#### PRINTABLE FORMS

*State Registration Forms:*


[https://www.ohiosos.gov/globalassets/elections/forms/vr\\_form\\_04-2015.pdf](https://www.ohiosos.gov/globalassets/elections/forms/vr_form_04-2015.pdf)


*Federal Registration Form:*


[eac.gov/voters/national-mail-voter-registration-form](http://eac.gov/voters/national-mail-voter-registration-form)

*Vote By Mail Application:*

<https://www.ohiosos.gov/elections/voters/absentee-ballot/>

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\* Please note that the information contained herein is accurate as of 9/8/2022. 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.



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