



NONPROFIT VOTE STATE FACT SHEET SOUTH CAROLINA



VOTER FAQs:

WHAT SHOULD I KNOW TO BE REGISTERED TO VOTE?

- **How Old Do I Need to Be?** 18 years old by election day
- **Can I Register Online?** Yes, if you have a state issued ID, otherwise register on paper
- **I Have a Felony Record, Can I Still Register?** Yes, right restored after serving your full sentence (including probation or parole)
- **I Am Homeless, How Do I Register?** Use the address or cross streets for wherever you sleep. Draw/describe it on the provided map on the voter registration form.
- **Where Do I Register in Person?** At your county board of voter registration or any agencies such as the Department of Motor Vehicles
- **Is there a residency requirement?** You must be a resident of South Carolina, county and precinct
- **Do I need ID to register in-person?** ID required, if not provided during registration then ID will be required when voting. Last four of SSN is required.

WHAT SHOULD I KNOW ABOUT VOTING IN-PERSON?

- **Do I Need ID to Vote?** You will be asked to show Photo ID at your polling place. Includes SC Driver's License, State ID Card, Voter Registration Card with photo, and other forms of photo ID.
- **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?** Yes, polling places are accessible and you can get assistance to vote. Curbside voting available if needed. Voting machines are available for use.

WHAT SHOULD I KNOW ABOUT VOTING BY MAIL?

- **Who Can Vote By Mail?** People over 65, members of the armed services, and anyone who will be out of town for school or vacation on election day
- **How Do I Apply for a Vote By Mail Ballot?** Print application or receive a mailed application, then return to voter registration office
- **How Do I Return My Ballot?** In-person or by mail (postage provided)
- **When is My Ballot Due?** Received by 7pm on Election Day
- **How Do I Track My Ballot?** See Track Your Ballot
- **I Have a Disability, Can I Use Assistance?** Yes, you can designate someone to request and/or return your ballot



IMPORTANT DATES

Early Voting Period:

Oct 10 - Nov 7

Election date: Nov 8

Registration deadline: Oct 9

Vote by Mail request deadline: Nov 4



HELPFUL LINKS

Register to Vote Online:

<https://www.info.scvotes.sc.gov/eng/ovr/start.aspx>

State Voter Portal:

<https://www.scvotes.gov/>

Voter ID Information:

<https://www.voteriders.org/states/south-carolina/>

Track Your Ballot:

<https://info.scvotes.sc.gov/eng/voterinquiry/VoterInformationRequest.aspx?PageMode=AbsenteeInfo>



PRINTABLE FORMS

State Registration Forms:

scvotes.org/sites/default/files/VR%20Blank%20Form.pdf

Federal Registration Form:

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

Vote By Mail Application:

info.scvotes.sc.gov/eng/voterinquiry/VoterInformationRequest.aspx

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nonprofitvote.org/voting-in-your-state

* Please note that the information contained herein is accurate as of 4/15/2022. 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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