

YOUR VOTING RIGHTS IN FLORIDA Election Day: Tuesday, November 6, 2018



Who Can Vote?

- In order to vote in the election on **November 6**, **2018** you must be registered to vote. If you are not already registered to vote, you must register by **October 9**, **2018**. You can find out if you are registered here: <u>https://registration.elections.myflorida.com/CheckVoterStatus</u>
- To register to vote:
 - You must live in Florida, be a U.S. citizen, and be age 18 or older on Election Day.
 - You must not have been convicted of a felony unless your civil rights have been formally restored; and you must not have been declared "mentally incapacitated" with respect to voting in Florida or any other state by a court unless your right to vote has been formally restored.
 - o Print a voter registration form at: <u>http://dos.myflorida.com/media/693757/dsde39.pdf</u>.

When do I vote?

- All counties will offer early voting from **October 27, 2018** through **November 3, 2018**; some counties may extend these dates. Check with your county Supervisor of Elections to see if additional days are offered.
- On Election Day, Tuesday, November 6, the polls are open 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Where do I vote?

- During early voting, you may vote at any early voting location in your county. Check with your county.
- On Election Day, you must vote at your local polling place. Find your polling place at:
- https://registration.elections.myflorida.com/CheckVoterStatus.

How do I vote?

- You must present a current and valid photo identification (ID) to vote at the polls. If your photo ID isn't signed you must present additional ID with your signature. Acceptable photo IDs are: Florida driver's license, Florida DMV-issued ID, U.S. passport, debit or credit card, military ID, student ID, retirement center or neighborhood association ID, public assistance ID, U.S. Dept. of Veterans Affairs health ID, license to carry a concealed weapon, or any government employee ID.
- If you don't have a photo ID on Election Day, you can still vote by provisional ballot, but must present an abovelisted ID within two days.

Can I bring someone to help me vote?

• Yes. If you need help reading in English, you can bring a person into the voting booth to help you vote. You can bring any person that you want except your employer or your union representative. The person you bring does not need to be a registered voter.

Can I receive assistance in Spanish?

• Yes, if you live in the following counties: Alachua, Bay, Brevard, Broward, Charlotte, Citrus, Clay, Columbia, DeSoto, Duval, Escambia, Flagler, Hardee, Hernando, Hendry, Highlands, Hillsborough, Indian River, Jackson, Lake, Lee, Leon, Levy, Manatee, Marion, Martin, Miami-Dade, Monroe, Okaloosa, Okeechobee, Orange, Osceola, Palm Beach, Pasco, Pinellas, Polk, Putnam, St. Johns, St. Lucie, Santa Rosa, Sarasota, Seminole, Sumter, Taylor, and Wakulla Counties.

Can I vote by mail?

• Any Florida voter may vote-by-mail. The last day to request that vote-by-mail ballot be mailed is October 31. You can also vote-by-mail ballot in-person, by telephone, or at your county Supervisor of Elections' website.

What if my name is not on the list of voters?

• If your name is not on the list, or there is a problem with your ID, you have the right to vote on a provisional ballot. Be sure to ask for a provisional ballot if there is a problem at the polling place.

Confirm your registration and find your polling place here: <u>https://registration.elections.myflorida.com/CheckVoterStatus</u> For more information, contact Andrea Senteno at asenteno@maldef.org or (202) 572-0467