

# NEW JERSEY VOTING RIGHTS



## 2020 PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

### 1 ELECTION OVERVIEW

- The November 3, 2020, General Election will be conducted primarily by mail in New Jersey. Active voters do not need to apply for a vote-by-mail ballot.
- Postage pre-paid ballots will be mailed to all active voters from Sept. 19 - Oct. 5.
- Any new voter who registers on or before October 13 will automatically receive a vote-by-mail ballot within 3 business days.

### 2 VOTER REGISTRATION

- The voter registration deadline is October 13.
- Check your registration status: <https://voter.svrs.nj.gov/registration-check>
- Online voter registration begins September 4: [www.state.nj.us/state/elections](http://www.state.nj.us/state/elections)
- Starting this year, New Jersey allows people on probation or parole to register and vote.



### 3 RETURNING READY VOTE-BY-MAIL BALLOTS

- Voters can place their sealed ballots in U.S. postal system.
- Voters can place their sealed ballots in a secure and sanitized ballot drop box. To the extent possible, each county shall have at least 10 boxes in locations readily available to voters within the county.
- Voters can return their completed and sealed ballots to their designated polling place on Election Day (ID required).

### 4 VOTING ON ELECTION DAY, NOVEMBER 3 – IN PERSON

- Any voter who has not cast their ballot by mail may vote in person on Election Day by provisional ballot only (it may not be your usual polling place).
- Any voter who has not cast their ballot by mail may deliver their completed vote-by-mail ballot in person to their designated polling place on Election Day. Find your polling location: <https://voter.svrs.nj.gov/polling-place-search>
- Voters with disabilities may vote in person on Election Day with special accommodations.