

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA VOTER REGISTRATION APPLICATION

INSTRUCTIONS

You May Use This Form If You Are A North Carolina Resident:

- To register to vote in your county of residence;
- To Pre-register to vote if you are 16 or 17 years old;
- To change the name and/or address in the county you are currently registered; or
- To declare a party affiliation or change party affiliation. (You must register with a party to vote in that party's primary unless that party allows unaffiliated voters to vote in its primary. In Section 6, if you indicated a political party that is not qualified or indicate no choice, you will be registered as "Unaffiliated.")

If you are not a resident of North Carolina, you can download the National Voter Registration Form at www.eac.gov.

Qualifications:

- You may register to vote only in the county in which you reside.
- You must be a US citizen by birth or naturalization.
- You must be at least 18 years of age by General Election Day, or at least 16 years of age to preregister and understand that you must be 18 years of age on or before election day to vote.
- If convicted of a felony, you may register to vote only after you have completed your sentence, including probation or parole. Once you have done that, North Carolina automatically restores your citizenship rights including your right to vote. No special document is needed.

Requirements:

- To be eligible to vote in the county you are registering in, you must have resided in that county for at least 30 days before the day of the election.
- If you are registering by mail, and cannot provide a valid ID number in Section 3, you must submit a copy of one of the following forms of current and valid identification with this application. If you do not provide this information, you will be required to provide one of these forms of ID to an election official when you vote for the first time in this county:
 - A current and valid photo identification
 - A current utility bill, or bank statement, government check or paycheck, or a government document that shows your name and address as it appears on this application.

Special Notice:

The location where you received this form will remain confidential and will be used only for registration administration purposes. If you decline to register to vote, the fact that you so declined will remain confidential.

REGISTRATION DEADLINE

In order to be eligible to vote in an election, this form must be postmarked at least **25 days** before the election, or hand delivered or faxed to the local board of elections office no later than **5:00 P.M. on the 25th day** before the election. If faxed, the original must be received no later than 20 days before the election.

You may register to vote in person at a one-stop site in your home county during the one-stop voter registration and absentee voting period that occurs beginning the third Thursday before an election in which absentee ballots are authorized, and ending on the last Saturday before that election.

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To Mail:

Place the completed and signed form in an envelope addressed to your [County Board of Elections](#) office. Be sure to affix the proper USPS postage stamp.

If you have questions, please call your County Board of Elections or you may contact the State Board of Elections at **(866) 522-4723**.