

VOTE RECIDY

Get Ready to Vote by Mail!



YOU ARE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE BY MAIL IF YOU MEET ANY OF THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

65
years or older



Sick or disabled



Expected to give birth within
3 weeks of Election Day



Out of the county on Election Day and during the period for early voting by personal appearance



Confined in jail, but are otherwise eligible

Civily committed under Chapter 841 of the Texas Health and Safety Code



TEXAS
Health and Human
Services

VOTING BY MAIL IN TEXAS.

The first step is to fill out an Application for Ballot by Mail (ABBM). You can find and print the application at VoteTexas.gov or request one from your county's election office.

On your ABBM and mail ballot carrier envelope, you must provide either:

(1) Your Texas Driver License, Personal ID or Election Identification Certificate number; OR

(2) The last 4 digits of your Social Security number.

You are welcome to provide both numbers.

DO NOT REMOVE PERFORATED TABS. Missing here and fold bottom to top to seal.

Application for a Ballot by Mail

If someone helps you complete this form or mails, emails or faxes this form for you, that person must complete the Witness/Assistant Box 6 below. If you email or fax this form to the Early Voting Clerk, you must also send the original hardcopy to the Early Voting Clerk. If you are mailing or emailing this form on or near the deadline to apply for a Ballot by Mail, you must send the original hardcopy so that the Clerk receives it no later than the fourth business day after the day the Clerk received your email or fax. Original signatures are required on both the **file or email change and the physical hard copy**. Electronic signatures are not permitted. **THE HARD COPY OF THIS APPLICATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE EARLY VOTING CLERK AND MUST BE LEGALLY REQUIRED DEADLINES. Please read the instructions on the back of this form completely. If you have any questions, please call the Early Voting Clerk in your county of registration or the office of the Texas Secretary of State at 1-800-252-8683 or log on to www.sos.texas.gov for a list of County Early Voting Clerks and their email and physical addresses.**

1. Voter Information: Please print all information clearly and legibly.

YOU MUST PROVIDE ONE of the following numbers

Texas Driver's License, Texas Personal Identification Number or Election Identification Certificate Number issued by the Department of Public Safety (NOT your voter registration VUID)

If you do not have a Texas Driver's License, Texas Personal Identification Number or a Texas Election Identification Certificate Number, give the last 4 digits of your Social Security Number (SSN) or the last 4 digits of your Texas Election Identification Certificate Number.

If you have not been issued a Texas Driver's License, Texas Personal Identification Number or a Texas Election Identification Certificate Number, give the last 4 digits of your Social Security Number.

If you are absent from the county or certified in public duty, you must only apply for Election and the resulting ballot.

TO CHECK THE STATUS OF YOUR MAIL BALLOT, VISIT (PARA VERIFICAR EL ESTADO DE SU BOLETA POR CORREO, VISITE)

VOTETEXAS.GOV

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Relationship to Applicant _____ (Indicate Relationship)

Relationship to Applicant _____ (Indicate Relationship)

I have a sickness or physical condition that prevents me from appearing at the polling place.

Date of return to residence address: _____/_____/_____

REQUIRED INFORMATION: YOU MUST PROVIDE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING NUMBERS AND IT MUST BE ASSOCIATED WITH YOUR VOTER REGISTRATION RECORD (INFORMACIÓN REQUERIDA: DEBE PROPORCIONAR UNO DE LOS SIGUIENTES NÚMEROS Y DEBE ESTAR ASOCIADO CON SU REGISTRO DE VOTANTE)

Texas Driver's License or Texas Personal Identification Card or Election Identification Certificate Number issued by the Texas Department of Public Safety (NOT your voter registration VUID) (Número de Licencia de Conducir o Tarjeta de Identificación Personal de Texas o Certificado de Identificación Electoral expedido por el Departamento de Seguridad Pública de Texas (NO es el número de su Registro Electoral VUID))

If you do not have a Texas Driver's License or Personal Identification Card or a Texas Election Identification Certificate Number, give the last 4 digits of your Social Security Number (SSN) or the last 4 digits of your Texas Election Identification Certificate Number (Número de Seguro Social)

If you have not been issued a Texas Driver's License or Texas Personal Identification Card or a Texas Election Identification Certificate Number, give the last 4 digits of your Social Security Number (SSN) (Si no ha recibido una Licencia de Conducir o Tarjeta de Identificación Personal de Texas o Certificado de Identificación Electoral de Texas, proporcione los 4 últimos dígitos de su número de Seguro Social)

XXX-XX-XXXX

CONTACT INFORMATION (INFORMACIÓN DE CONTACTO): Phone (Teléfono) _____ Email (Correo Electrónico) _____

SEAL ENVELOPE AND SIGN OVER SEALED FLAP (SELLE EL SOBRE Y FIRME SOBRE LA SOLAPA SELLADA)

Don't Press Assistant Vote: I swear (or affirm) under penalty of perjury that the voter I am assisting represented to me they are eligible to receive assistance; I will not suggest, by word, sign, or gesture, how the voter should vote; I will prepare the voter's ballot as the voter directs; I did not pressure or coerce the voter into voting; I am not the voter's employer, an agent of the voter's employer, or an officer or agent of a labor union to which the voter belongs; I will not communicate information about how the voter has voted to another person; and I understand that if assistance is provided to a voter who is not eligible for assistance, the voter's ballot may not be counted. **Asistente de Votante:** "Yo juro (o afirmo) bajo pena de perjurio que el votante al que estoy asistiendo me representó que es elegible para recibir asistencia; no sugeriré, con palabras, señales o gestos, cómo debe votar el votante; prepararé la boleta del votante según lo indique el votante; no presionaré ni coaccionaré al votante para que me eligiera como asistente; no soy el empleador del votante, un agente del empleador del votante, un oficial o agente de un sindicato al cual el votante pertenece; no comunicaré información sobre cómo el votante ha votado a otra persona; y entiendo que si se proporciona asistencia a un votante que no es elegible para recibir asistencia, la boleta del votante podría no ser contada."

Signature of Voter (Firma o Marca del Votante)

Completed by Early Voting Clerk (Completado por el Asistente de Votante/Asistente)

Name of Voter (Nombre de votante): _____

Date of Election (Fecha de Elección): _____/_____/_____

Witness/Assistant: I am serving as a witness for _____ (Name of voter). You must complete the section below if you witness the mark of the voter, or if the voter cannot make a mark, check here _____ (Indicate Relationship)

Witness/Asistente: Estoy sirviendo como testigo para _____ (Nombre del votante). Debe completar la sección a continuación si es testigo de la marca del votante, o si el votante no puede hacer una marca. Si el votante no puede hacer una marca, marque aquí _____ (Indique Relación)

Printed Name (Nombre en letra de molde) _____ Signature (Firma) _____

Street Address (Dirección residencial) _____ Street Address (Dirección residencial) _____

Relationship to Voter (Relación al votante) _____ Street Address (Dirección residencial) _____

52-8683 a la oficina del Secretario de Estado o la Secretaría de Elecciones Admitidas.

Find out more about voting in Texas at

VOTETEXAS.GOV

POWERED BY THE TEXAS SECRETARY OF STATE

or call 1-800-252-VOTE (8683)

*The Texas Election ID Certificate is a free photo ID issued by DPS for voting purposes. The number on this ID is NOT your Voter Unique Identifier (VUID) on the voter registration card you receive in the mail. Your VUID is NOT required information on either your ABBM or mail ballot carrier envelope.