

DC RESIDENT? REGISTER TO VOTE TODAY!

Individuals who were DC residents prior to incarceration do not lose the right to vote after a felony conviction, and have the right to vote while incarcerated. Take the steps below to register to vote today!

The DC primary election is June 4, 2024 and the general election is November 5, 2024. See Box 3 for more deadlines.

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Determine if You Qualify to Vote in DC.

A conviction never takes away the right to vote in DC, even if you are still incarcerated. You can register to vote in DC, if you meet all of the following criteria:

- Be a United States citizen to vote for federal offices. DC residents who are not U.S. citizens can vote in DC local elections.
- Are at least 16 years old. (You may pre-register to vote if you are at least 16 years old. You may vote in a primary election if you are at least 17 years old and you will be at least 18 years old by the next general election. You may vote in a general or special election if you are at least 18 years old.)
- You are a resident of the District of Columbia. This means that you lived in DC for the 30 days prior to your current incarceration.
- A judge has not ruled that you are incapable of voting.
- You do not claim residence or the right to vote in another U.S. state or territory.

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Fill Out the DC Voter Registration Application.

A copy of the form is attached, as is a sample form with instructions. If you are DC resident, but not a US citizen use the form titled "Non-U.S. Citizen Resident of the District of Columbia." The chart below tells you how to fill out each line of the Voter Registration Application. Write with a pen (if possible) as neatly as you can. If the Board of Elections cannot read your handwriting, it cannot register you.

Copies of DC's Voter Registration Application and postage-paid return envelopes can also be requested from the Reentry Affairs Coordinators at your facility.

Line on Form	Notes
1	Select 'Yes' to indicate that you are a U.S. citizen. If you are not a U.S. citizen, use the form titled "Non-U.S. Citizen Resident of the District of Columbia." Line 1 is already checked "No."
2	Indicate your reason for completing the form. If this is your first time registering to vote in DC, check "New Registration." If you registered before, but need to update your address, party affiliation, or citizenship status check the relevant box. If you are filling out the form because you changed your legal name, check the "Name Change" box. Don't fill out the gray shaded area.
3	Include your full legal name in the provided boxes, even if this is different from the name you are incarcerated under. Include the name you are incarcerated under in parentheses. For example, "Jonathan Moore (aka John Moor)".
4	Include your DC residential address (this is the address where you lived prior to incarceration, a new DC address if your family has moved, address of a DC shelter where you stayed if you were unhoused prior to incarceration or a DC address where you will be returning). This is required and must be a DC address.
5	Include your jail or prison ID number in this field. If you want your mail to come directly to you while incarcerated, use the mailing address of your correctional facility. If you transfer to a different facility or are released, you have to submit another Registration Application Form to update this field and check "address change" in box #2. For example: "(12345-007) USP Marion P.O. BOX 1000 Marion, IL 62959".
6	Include date of birth, including year (example: 08/20/1954).
7	Optional – Daytime phone number
8	BOE needs your DMV ID number OR the last four digits of your social security number to verify your name and DC registration address. If you have neither, check box 8A. If BOE cannot verify your name and address, your ballot will include instructions on providing identification.
9	While not required, you may choose to register with one of DC's major political parties. You will only be allowed to vote in a primary election for candidates in the party that you are registered with. If you do not select a major party, you will be registered as an "Independent" and will not be able to vote on a candidate in any primary election.
10	Optional – If you need help voting (e.g. help completing the application, accommodations), indicate the type of help you need.
11	Optional – Include your primary language, if not English.
12	Optional – Include your previous voter registration name and address if you are using this form to update your voter registration name or address.
13	Every bullet should be true. If so, sign and date. The application must be signed and dated.

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Mail the Form to the DC Board of Elections.

To vote in the 2024 elections, the Voter Registration Application form needs to arrive at the Board of Elections office by May 14, 2024 for the primary election and by October 15, 2024 for the general election.

Mail your Voter Registration Application to:

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WASHINGTON DC 20077-0833

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Vote!

Your Vote-by-Mail Ballot should arrive at the facility where you currently reside, clearly addressed to you.

Before you send in your ballot:

1. Make sure to read all instructions, and
2. Sign and date the Voter's Oath on the outside of the envelope where indicated.

Your ballot must be mailed to the DC Board of Elections and postmarked on or before June 4, 2024 for the primary election and on or before November 5, 2024 for the general election. It must be received by the DC Board of Elections no later than June 14, 2024 (primary election) and November 15, 2024 (general election) for your vote to be counted.

NEED AN ACCOMMODATION?

If you have a disability that makes it hard for you to read, write, sign, or use paper and need to request an accessible absentee ballot or other accommodation, contact the **Board of Election's ADA Coordinator:**

Jay Penuel

Email: jpenuel@dcboc.org

Phone: (202) 727-5411

Address: 1015 Half Street, SE,
Suite 750. Washington, DC 20003.

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Questions?

These organizations and agencies are available to answer any questions you may have.

The DC Board of Elections:

The DC Board of Elections (BOE) is the DC agency in charge of DC's elections.

You can confirm that your Voter Registration Application form was received using the methods listed below. You can ask a loved one or friend to do this for you. You will need to provide your full name, date of birth, the zip code of your DC residence, and one of the following: last 4 digits of Social Security #, last 4 digits of your DMV issued ID #, or your Voter ID #.

- o **email:** outreachspecialist@dcboc.org
- o **website:** <https://apps.dcboc.org/vrs>
- o **call:** (202) 727-2525
- o **write:** DC BOE, 1015 Half Street, SE, Suite 750, Washington, DC 20003.

If you have problems or questions with your registration or ballot, you can contact the DC BOE using the above information.

The League of Women Voters:

Anyone can contact them with questions about voter registration, non-partisan information about candidates or about completing your ballot. Email through CorrLinks at voterservices@lwvdc.org.

More Than Our Crimes:

Want to let candidates know what issues are important to you? Want to receive information about candidate positions? More Than Your Crimes (which is led by a DC resident currently incarcerated in the BOP) can help you do both. To sign up to receive More Than Our Crimes Trulincs newsletter, which will share information on candidate positions, add pam@morethanourcrimes.org to your CorrLinks address list.

Disability Rights DC at ULS (DRDC):

DRDC is the federally designated protection and advocacy program for people with disabilities in the District of Columbia. If you have questions or complaints about voting access, please contact DRDC at **202-547-0198 (voice)** or **202-547-2657 (TTY)**, or add DRDC to your CorrLinks address list and email us through CorrLinks at drdc@uls-dc.org.



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If you do not receive your voter registration card, or if you have any questions, call (202) 727-2525, (866) 328-6837, or 711 (TTY), or visit www.dco.org

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(Use a pen to complete this form)

If you are not a U.S. citizen, please use "Non-U.S. Citizen Resident of the District of Columbia Voter Registration Application" form.

1	Check one: Are you a U.S. Citizen? If you checked 'no', do not complete this form. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		2	Reason for completing this form		Voter ID Number	
	Check one: Would you like information on serving as an election worker for the next election? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			<input type="checkbox"/> New Registration <input type="checkbox"/> Party Change <input type="checkbox"/> Address Change <input type="checkbox"/> Name Change		Reg. Date	Clerk
1a	Last Name		First Name		Middle Name	Suffix (Jr., Sr., II, III, IV)	
3	Use your Full LEGAL name (if incarcerated under a different name, list it in parentheses)						
4	Address of Residence in DC		Select one: <input type="checkbox"/> NE <input type="checkbox"/> NW <input type="checkbox"/> SE <input type="checkbox"/> SW		Apartment Number	Zip Code	
Your DC address where you lived before incarceration or address where you will return							
5	Mailing Address, if different from #4 (Include jail or BOP ID Number, if incarcerated)		Zip Code		E-mail address (Optional)		
Mailing address where you live now and will get your ballot. Include your Prison ID number!!							
6	Date of Birth	7	Daytime Phone Number (Optional)	8	DC DMV-issued ID Number. If you do not have one, enter the last 4 digits of your Social Security Number.		
9	Party Registration – Check one box		**PLEASE NOTE: To vote in a primary election in the District of Columbia, you must be registered with the Democratic, Republican, D.C. Statehood Green or Libertarian Party.		8a <input type="checkbox"/> I have not been issued a Driver's License Number or a Social Security Number.		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Democratic Party <input type="checkbox"/> Republican Party <input type="checkbox"/> D.C. Statehood Green Party <input type="checkbox"/> **no party (independent) <input type="checkbox"/> **other party (write name below)		Independents do NOT vote in a primary		Read and Sign the Voter Declaration below. I swear or affirm that I meet each of the following qualifications: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I am a U.S. citizen • My residence in the District of Columbia is at the address (#4) above • I am at least 16 years old • I have not been found by a court to be legally incompetent to vote • I do not claim voting residence or the right to vote in another U.S. state or territory 		
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12	Name and Address on Last Registration:						
Only if you checked name or address change in #2 above (If outside D.C., include county and state)							
You must sign here and fill out the date						Signature _____ Date _____	

Fold on dotted lines, seal and mail.

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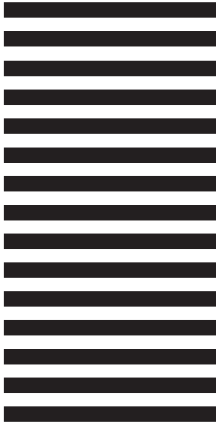
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Form with numbered sections 1-12. Includes fields for citizenship, residence, name, address, date of birth, phone number, and party registration. Includes a 'Reason for completing this form' section and a 'Voter Declaration' section.

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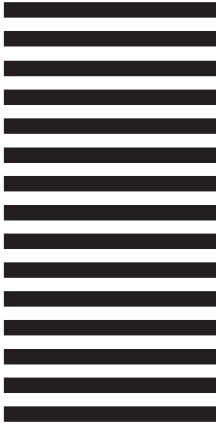
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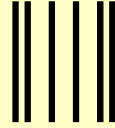
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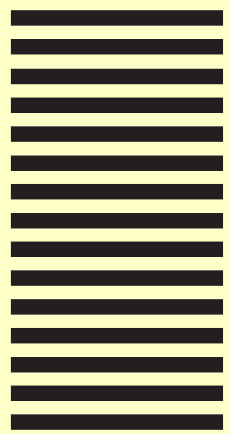
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