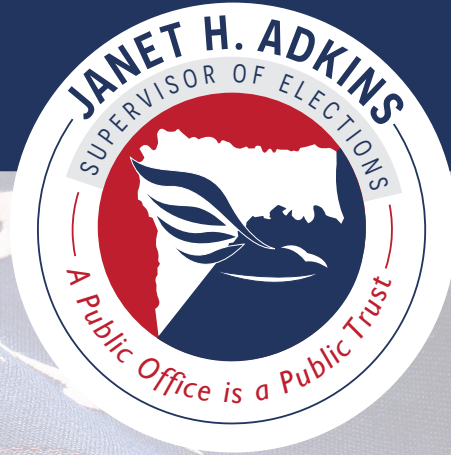


2026 VOTER GUIDE

Nassau County Supervisor of Elections

MAKE A PLAN TO VOTE



PRIMARY ELECTION



Registration & Party Change Deadline
July 20th



Vote-by-Mail Request Deadline
August 6th



Early Voting
August 6th - 15th
9am - 6pm



Election Day
August 18th
7am - 7pm

GENERAL ELECTION



Registration Deadline
October 5th



Vote-by-Mail Request Deadline
October 22nd



Early Voting
October 22nd - 31st
9am - 6pm



Election Day
November 3rd
7am - 7pm

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REGISTER TO VOTE

A fillable form is available to print through RegisterToVoteFlorida.gov, or by download from the Division of Elections website.

You can submit an application

- Online at RegisterToVoteFlorida.gov or www.VoteNassauFL.gov
- In person or by mail at any of these offices:
 - Any Supervisor of Elections office (by mail upon request).
 - Any Florida Driver's License office that issues driver's licenses or Florida Identification cards.
 - A voter registration agency (i.e., any office that provides public assistance or state-funded programs for persons with disabilities, military recruitment office, public library, and center for independent living).
 - Any entity authorized by the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission to issue fishing, hunting, or trapping permits.

To register and vote, you must be at least 18 years of age (you can pre-register on or after your 16th birthday), a citizen of the United States of America, and a legal resident of Florida and of the county where you intend to vote. You cannot register or vote if you are adjudicated mentally incapacitated with respect to voting unless that right has been restored. You cannot register or vote if you are a convicted felon, unless your right to vote has been restored through clemency or by completion of all terms of the sentence, as is applicable.

VOTER REGISTRATION UPDATE

You can update your voter registration record the same way you registered to vote.

Name and Address Changes

Once you are registered to vote in Florida, you do not need to re-register to vote every time you move within the county or to another county in Florida.

However, if your name or address has changed, you need to update the address or name on your voter registration record. Visit www.VoteNassauFL.gov to submit an update online or complete a new voter registration application. If your address changes, it's best to update your record as soon as possible to avoid any issues when you vote.

Party Changes

In Florida, you can update your political party affiliation by submitting a voter registration application online, by mail, or in person through your county Supervisor of Elections office. The change must be made at least 29 days before an election to be eligible to vote in that party's primary. Once processed, your updated party affiliation will be reflected in your voter record and used for future elections.

Signature (handwriting) Changes

Signatures change over time and should be regularly updated with the Supervisor of Elections. To update your signature, submit an updated paper voter registration application. If your signature on record does not match your signature on a ballot certificate, a candidate petition, or other petition, the ballot or petition may not count.



VOTER INFORMATION CARD

Your voter information card provides your election day polling location but cannot be used as identification to vote.

Once registered, a voter information card will be mailed to you. This card provides your precinct number and polling location. If you do not receive your card within two weeks of registering, it is important that you contact the Elections Office immediately to ensure you are registered.

If your polling place or precinct changes, you will be mailed a new voter information card with your updated polling place. If you need a replacement card, complete a Voter Registration Application or provide our office with a signed, written request. When you receive your voter information card, verify all information is correct.

This card is for information purposes only. This card is proof of registration but is not legal verification of eligibility to vote. It is the responsibility of a voter to keep his or her eligibility status current. A voter may confirm his or her eligibility to vote with the Florida Department of State at DivElections@dofl.gov.

Requesting a Mail Ballot

You may request a Vote by Mail Ballot by contacting the Elections Office in person, by mail, phone, fax, email, or on our website. Due to legislative changes, when requesting a Vote by Mail ballot, you must provide your Florida Driver License number, your Florida ID number or the last four of your Social Security number. Requests for a ballot to be mailed must be received no later than 5 pm on the 12th day before the election. Mail ballots cannot be forwarded, so make sure we have your correct address. To receive a ballot at an address other than the address on file, you must submit a signed written request.

Returning Your Mail Ballot

Follow the instructions provided with your ballot. Be sure to sign the back of your envelope. Your ballot must be received in the Supervisor of Elections Office no later than 7 pm on Election Day and may be returned by the following methods:

By Mail - Mail at least ONE WEEK before Election Day as recommended by the USPS.

In Person - Deliver to the Elections Office no later than 7 pm on Election Day.

Drop Box/Secure Ballot Intake Station - Located at every Early Voting site during Early Voting hours. These are not available on election day at polling locations per F.S. 101.69.

Track Your Ballot - Sign up for notifications on the status of your ballot via text, email, or voice at www.NassauFLVotes.com.

VOTE BY MAIL

Sign up for notifications on the status of your ballot via text, email, or voice at www.NassauFLVotes.com



Vote Early 9am - 6pm

>>> Including Saturday and Sunday <<<

Nassau Voters may vote at ANY of these locations during Early Voting.

Atlantic Recreation Center
2500 Atlantic Avenue, Fernandina Beach

Hilliard Community Center
37177 Pecan Street, Hilliard

James S. Page Governmental Complex
96135 Nassau Place, Yulee

Walter Junior Boatright County Building
45401 N. Mickler Street, Callahan

Yulee Sports Complex
86142 Goodbread Road, Yulee

Vote on Election Day 7am - 7pm

You can only vote in the polling place for your address of legal residence on Election Day.

IDENTIFICATION

Bring a current and valid photo identification to the polls. If you do not present the required ID, you may vote a provisional ballot.

If you choose to vote in person during the Early Voting period or on Election Day, you must present your CURRENT and VALID photo identification (ID) along with a signature ID. If the photo ID does not contain the voter's signature, the voter can provide another ID that includes the voter's signature. See s. 101.043, Florida Statutes. The signature ID does not have to be one of the photo IDs.

The photo ID must be from the list below:

- Florida Driver License
- Florida ID Card issued by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles
- United States Passport
- Debit or Credit Card
- Military ID
- Student ID
- Retirement Center ID
- Neighborhood Association ID
- Public Assistance ID
- Veteran Health ID Card issued by U.S. Dept. of Veterans Affairs
- License to carry a concealed weapon or firearm issued pursuant to F.S. 790.06
- Employee identification card issued by any branch, department, agency, or entity of the Federal Government, the state, a county, or a municipality.

Provisional Ballots

If your eligibility to vote cannot be determined at the polls or is challenged, you are still entitled to vote a provisional ballot. You will be given a written notice of rights. The deadline to provide evidence is 5 pm on the second day after Election Day.

Voting Equipment

Florida is a paper ballot state. Voters mark their paper ballot by filling in an oval next to their choice. An optical scanner reads the paper ballot, tabulates it, and securely transmits a copy of the results.

No voting system can be bought or used in an election unless it has first been tested and certified by the Florida Department of State.

VOTER'S BILL OF RIGHTS

Each registered voter in this state has the right to:

1. Vote and have his or her vote accurately counted.
2. Cast a vote if he or she is in line at the official closing of the polls in that county.
3. Ask for and receive assistance in voting.
4. Receive up to two replacement ballots if he or she makes a mistake prior to the ballot being cast.
5. An explanation if his or her registration or identity is in question.
6. If his or her registration or identity is in question, cast a provisional ballot.
7. Written instructions to use when voting, and, upon request, oral instructions in voting from elections officers.
8. Vote free from coercion or intimidation by elections officers or any other person.
9. Vote on a voting system that is in working condition and that will allow votes to be accurately cast.

VOTER RESPONSIBILITIES

Each registered voter in this state should:

1. Familiarize himself or herself with the candidates and issues.
2. Maintain with the Office of the Supervisor of Elections a current address.
3. Know the location of his or her polling place and its hours of operation.
4. Bring proper identification to the polling station.
5. Familiarize himself or herself with the operation of the voting equipment in his or her precinct.
6. Treat precinct workers with courtesy.
7. Respect the privacy of other voters.
8. Report any problems or violations of election laws to the Supervisor of Elections.
9. Ask questions, if needed.
10. Make sure that his or her completed ballot is correct before leaving the polling station.

NOTE TO VOTER: Failure to perform any of these responsibilities does not prohibit a voter from voting.

F.S. 101.031

UNDERSTANDING FLORIDA ELECTIONS

Primary Elections

Florida is a closed primary election state. That means that only voters who are registered members of a political party which has candidates on the primary ballot may vote for that party's candidates in a primary election, including a presidential preference primary election.

The deadline for a voter to make a party affiliation change is no later than 29 days before a presidential preference primary election and primary election. In a primary election, each voter will receive a ballot based on the legal residential address and party affiliation recorded in his or her voter registration record.

The following exceptions allow eligible voters regardless of party affiliation to vote in a primary election, whether they are affiliated with a party or not:

- UNIVERSAL PRIMARY CONTEST: All candidates in the same race have the same party affiliation and the winner will have no opposition in the general election.
- NONPARTISAN OFFICES: Includes races for judicial, school board, certain special districts, municipal races, and other local offices.
- LOCAL REFERENDUM QUESTIONS: County, municipal, and district referenda or other ballot measures that may be on the ballot.

General Elections

In a general election, each voter will receive a ballot based on the legal residential address recorded in his or her voter registration record. All eligible voters can vote for any candidate or issue regardless of party affiliation on the General Election ballot. Proposed amendments to Florida's Constitution may also be on the ballot.

The following types of candidates will only appear on a General Election ballot:

- NO PARTY AFFILIATION CANDIDATES: Candidates qualifying with no party affiliation.
- WRITE-IN CANDIDATES: If there are write-in candidates who have qualified for a particular office, a line will be provided on the ballot for the voter to write in the candidate's name.