

# GET OUT THE VOTE

in **DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**



**GENERAL  
ELECTION DAY**

## WHY SHOULD YOU VOTE?

Voting is one of the most powerful ways to make your voice heard in our democracy, but in 2020, only 66.8% of the voting-age population in the United States reported voting.

Modern technology has improved access to information on candidates and made it easier to register to vote in many areas, and it is vital to be aware of how you can participate in the 2024 election cycle.



## DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA'S ABSENTEE AND MAIL-IN VOTING PROCEDURES

### Permanent absentee / mail-in voting procedures:

- No excuse required to request an absentee ballot
- Applications can be submitted via mail, in-person, and phone

## DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA'S EARLY VOTING DEADLINES

Early Voting **Begins: October 24, 2024**

Early Voting **Ends: November 4, 2024**



## DEADLINES TO KNOW FOR VOTING IN DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA



### VOTER REGISTRATION DEADLINE:

**October 15, 2024**

21 days before an election. Same-day registration is permitted on Election Day.



### ABSENTEE / MAIL-IN VOTING BALLOT DEADLINES:

Request must be received by

**October 21, 2024**

15 days before the election; three days before the election for military and overseas voters.



### BALLOT SUBMISSION DEADLINE:

Must be received within 7 days of the election if postmarked on or before Election Day.

Postmarked by Election Day

Data as of 05/02/24

Information provided by NCSL, HeadCount, and US Vote Foundation. Check your state's website for the most up-to-date voter information.

## HOW CAN YOU REGISTER TO VOTE IN DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To register to vote in District of Columbia, visit the State Board of Elections website for more information on voter eligibility and the registration process.

[HTTPS://DCBOE.ORG/  
ELECTIONS/2024-ELECTIONS](https://dcboe.org/elections/2024-elections)

You can begin the registration process through District of Columbia's Online Voter Registration System.

[HTTPS://DCBOE.ORG/VOTERS/  
REGISTER-TO-VOTE/REGISTER-  
TO-VOTE](https://dcboe.org/voters/register-to-vote/register-to-vote)

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