



GET OUT THE VOTE



in Massachusetts

Voting is one of the most powerful ways to make your voice heard in our democracy, but in 2024, only 64% 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 2026 election cycle.



ABSENTEE AND MAIL-IN VOTING PROCEDURES

Permanent absentee / mail-in voting procedures:

- No excuse required to request an absentee ballot
- Applications can be submitted by mail, email, or fax

EARLY VOTING DATES:

Early Voting Begins



October 17

Early Voting Ends



October 30

GENERAL ELECTION DAY

★ **NOVEMBER 3** ★



DEADLINES TO KNOW FOR VOTING IN

Massachusetts



VOTER REGISTRATION DEADLINE:

October 24

10 days before the election.

ABSENTEE / MAIL-IN VOTING BALLOT DEADLINES:

Request must be received by

October 27

5 business days before the election by 5 PM.

BALLOT SUBMISSION DEADLINE:

Postmarked by Election Day

Must be received by the close of polls on Election Day. Must be received within 3 days after the election by 8 PM if postmarked on or before Election Day.

HOW YOU CAN REGISTER TO VOTE IN MASSACHUSETTS

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

STATE ELECTION OFFICE

You can begin the registration process through Massachusetts' Online Voter Registration System.

ONLINE VOTER REGISTRATION