



2023 Kentucky General Election

Voter Resource Guide

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[Election Day is November 7th, 2023 → REGISTER TO VOTE!](#)

Last day to register for the 2023 general election is **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10th**

- Register or check your registration info at www.GoVoteKY.com.
- Online Registrations must be received by 4:00 PM Local Time.
- Registrations returned to the Clerk's Office will be accepted by close of business.
- **Only 17?** You may register to vote in Kentucky as a 17-year-old if you will be 18 years old by or on November 7, 2023.
- **Felony conviction?** If you are a U.S. citizen, answer the key questions about your conviction(s) and determine if you are eligible to vote right now, or, if you are [eligible to go through the process to restore your right to vote](#).

[Kentucky Voter Information Center \(VIC\)](#)

Check your registration status & find your precinct location!

[Kentucky State Board of Elections Homepage](#)

Contact your local [county clerk](#)

View a [sample ballot](#) for your county/precinct

[AARP-Kentucky's "How to vote in the 2023 election" guide](#)



ADDITIONAL KEY DATES TO REMEMBER:

- October 25th through November 1st
 - Excused, In-Person Absentee Voting: qualified voters may cast an absentee ballot during normal business hours during the six (6) business days immediately before the Thursday of no-excuse in-person absentee voting period. **MUST HAVE ONE OF THE DESIGNATED REASONS TO CAST A BALLOT DURING THIS PERIOD** (e.g.: out of the county/state on election day, known medical operations scheduled on election day, etc.)
- October 31st
 - Last day to apply for a military-overseas ballot. Applications, including the declaration accompanying a federal write-in absentee ballot, must be **received** by this day. An application for a military-overseas ballot for a primary, whether or not timely, is effective as an application for a military overseas ballot for the regular election.
- October 31st
 - Last day for any voter who received their requested absentee ballot by mail, but who now knows at least 7 days before election day that he/she will in fact be in the county on election day after all, to cancel their absentee ballot and return it to the county clerk if they have not yet voted and returned it. We all know plans can change! These voters can/shall vote in person.
- November 2nd through November 4th
 - In-person no-excuse absentee voting to be conducted in the county clerk's office or other place designated by the county board of elections and approved by the State Board of Elections. Individuals can vote prior to election day and not need to provide any reason for doing so.
- November 7th
 - GENERAL ELECTION DAY (first Tuesday after first Monday in November).
 - Polls are open 6AM to 6PM, prevailing/local time. If you are in line to vote at 6PM – STAY IN LINE; you will be allowed to vote.
 - County boards of elections to be in session all day; will meet at the clerk's office at 8AM to count absentee ballots, but the absentee ballot results shall not be made public until after 6PM., prevailing/local time.
 - Mail-in absentee ballots must be received by the clerk before 6PM, prevailing/local time. Information contained in an application for an absentee ballot shall not be made public until after the close of business hours on Election Day.
 - There is no prohibition to disclose at any time, upon request, the total number of applications for absentee ballots that have been filed.