

# Get out the vote in North Dakota

## Why should you vote?

Voting is one of the most powerful ways to make your voice heard in our democracy, but in 2016, 43% of the eligible voting-age population (nearly 100 million Americans) did *not* cast a vote for president; and 38.6% did *not* vote for any office.

In 2016, the Black voter turnout rate declined for the first time in 20 years in a presidential election, falling from a record-high 66.6% in 2012 to 59.6% in 2016.

## North Dakota's absentee and mail-in voting procedures

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

- No excuse required to request an absentee ballot

### 2020 state absentee / mail-in voting status:

- Coronavirus updates: Counties to conduct June 9, 2020, election by mail, mail-in ballot applications sent to all voters; no announced changes for the November 3, 2020 general election.

**Election Day: November 3**



## Deadlines to know for voting in North Dakota

### Voter registration deadline:

#### No Deadline

North Dakota does not have voter registration.

### Absentee / Mail-In voting ballot deadlines:

Request must be received by

#### No Deadline

No deadline; at voter's discretion

### Ballot submission deadline:

In-person: Received by November 2nd, 2020.

By mail: Postmarked by November 2, 2020.

## Voter ID Requirements

### Voting in-person requires a North Dakota:

- Current driver's license number or non-driver's ID card
- Tribal government issued ID or
- Long-term care ID certificate (provided by ND facility)

### Identification must include the voter's:

**Name**  
Current residential address  
Date of birth

### In addition to your iD, you can supplement any missing or outdated voter info with:

- Current utility bill
- Current bank statement
- Document or check issued by a federal, state, local, or tribal government
- Paycheck

## How can you register to vote in North Dakota?

To register to vote, visit <https://blackeconomicalliance.org/register-to-vote/>



**Register**

For more information on voter eligibility you can also visit the State Board of Elections website.

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## Verify Your Registration



**Verify**

## State Election Office

<https://sos.nd.gov/elections>