

# **ELECTION PROTECTION** **YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO VOTE**

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## EXERCISE YOUR RIGHT TO VOTE!

**Attention Texas Voters!** If you have questions or problems voting call: **1-866-OUR-VOTE (1-866-687-8683)**. To make the voting process easier, here are a few things to remember:

1. **When can I vote?** You can vote between 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. If you are in line at 7:00 p.m., you have the right to vote.
2. **Am I eligible to vote on March 4?** You are eligible to vote in Texas if you:
  - Are a United States citizen.
  - Are legally registered to vote in Texas.
  - Are at least 18 years old on Election Day.
  - Are not a convicted felon, OR you have been convicted of a felony AND you have completed your sentence, probation, and parole.
  - Have NOT been declared by a court of law to be either totally mentally incapacitated or partially mentally incapacitated without the right to vote.
3. **I'm registered. How do I vote?** As a registered voter, you can vote by regular ballot by either presenting your current voter registration card indicating you are registered to vote in that precinct or, if you don't have your current registration card, by presenting proper proof of identification AND signing an affidavit stating that you don't have your registration card.
  - Proper identification may include:
    - A current OR expired state-issued driver's license or personal identification card;
    - Any form of photo identification that establishes the person's identity;
    - A birth certificate or other document confirming birth that is admissible in a court of law and establishes the person's identity;
    - A United States citizenship papers;
    - A United States passport;
    - Official mail addressed to you from the government; or
    - A copy of a current utility bill, bank statement, government check, paycheck, or other government document that shows the name and address of the voter.
  - If you moved to another address in the same county, and you didn't file your new address information with your voter registrar, then you may vote by REGULAR ballot at your old precinct after completing a "statement of residence" confirming your new address in your new precinct.
4. **What if I can't cast a regular ballot, can I still vote?** As a registered voter, if you are not able to cast a regular ballot, you may cast a provisional ballot. You may cast a provisional ballot if:
  - Your name does not appear on the list of registered voters for that precinct, and you do not have a current voter registration certificate or proper proof or proper proof of identification.
  - You are a first time voter and you do not have proper identification.
  - You are voting at a location during hours extended by a federal or state court order.Your provisional ballot must be cast in the correct precinct for it to count. Before you cast a provisional ballot, please call **1-866-OUR-VOTE** to make sure you are in the right precinct.
5. **What if I need help?** If you cannot read or write, or you have a physical disability that prevents you from reading or marking the ballot, you may be assisted by a person of your choice or an election official; or anybody but your boss or someone from your union
  - If you cannot read English you also may be assisted by a person of your choice, and if that person is also a registered voter in that county, they may accompany you into the voting booth.
  - The person assisting you must take an oath that he or she will not try to influence your vote, will mark your ballot as you direct, and will not tell anyone how you voted.
  - If you are physically unable to enter the polling place, you may ask that an election officer bring a ballot to you at the entrance of the polling place or to your car at curbside.