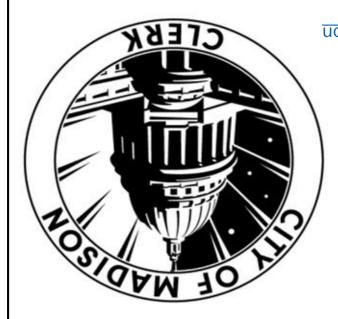
Voting in the City of Madison General Election 2020 Voter Guide

Our goal is for each eligible voter to be able to cast a ballot and have that ballot counted! - *City of Madison Clerk*



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Madison City Clerk's Office

210 Martin Luther King Jr Blvd #103 Madison, WI 53703 8:00 am. – 4:30 pm. woting@cityofmadison.com

Pon't have an acceptable ID for voting?

The Dane County Voter ID Coalition can help you, and can even arrange a ride to the DMV. Their help line is 608-285-2141.

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- Verify your voter registration
- Print and mail a voter registration form
- Register to vote completely online, available only if your address is up-to-date with the DMV
- Find your polling location
- Find out what will be on your ballot



Ways to vote

By mail as an absentee voter



Request your absentee ballot by e-mailing <u>voting@cityofmadison.com</u>.

The deadline to **request** your absentee ballot is **5:00 pm on October 30**.

Return your absentee ballot

- By mail postage is pre-paid in the U.S.
- At any of our ballot drop-off or absentee voting sites – <u>www.cityofmadison.com/Clerk</u>
- At your polling place on Election Day

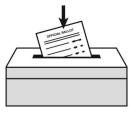
The deadline to **return** your voted ballot is **8:00 pm** on **Election Day**.

In person as an absentee voter



The City of Madison will offer absentee voting at 20 locations from October 20 through November 1. See <u>www.cityofmadison.com/clerk</u> for details.

In person on Election Day



Polls are open on Election Day, November 3, from 7:00 am – 7:00 pm.

Find your your polling place www.cityofmadison.com/WhereDolVote

Voter Registration



Register to vote at MyVote.WI.gov

Am I eligible to vote in Wisconsin?

To be eligible to vote, you must be:

- A United States citizen
- 18 or older by Election Day
- A resident of Madison for 28 days before Election Day
- If you were convicted of a felony, you must be finished serving your sentence, including probation/parole/extended supervision

What do I need to register to vote?

You can register to vote with proof of address

- At MyVote.WI.gov if your address at the DMV is up to date (see MyVote.Wi.gov for a link you can use to update your address with the DMV)
- At any city agency until October 14
- At the City Clerk's Office or a satellite absentee voting site with proof of address through the Friday before an election
- At the polls on Election Day

Voting Absentee

Voting absentee is easy and secure

Absentee ballots are kept sealed and secure in the Clerk's Office vault until counted at the polls on Election Day.

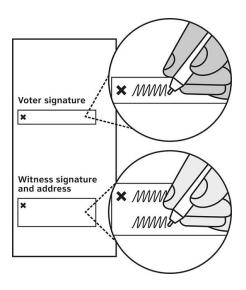
You may vote absentee at the Clerk's Office or one of the city's many satellite voting locations.



How to request an absentee ballot Request your absentee ballot by email to: voting@cityofmadison.com

Include:

- Your name
- Voter registration address
- Address where ballot should be sent
- A picture or copy of the front of your ID



For your absentee ballot to be counted, you must:

- Sign the certificate envelope
- Have a witness sign the envelope
- Have a witness address on the envelope
- Return your ballot by 8:00 pm on Election Day

Voting in person



Election Day is November 3

Polls open at 7:00 am and close at 8:00pm.

Everyone in line at 8:00 pm gets to vote.



How to vote

- Fill in the oval next to the name of your candidate.
- Insert your ballot in the tabulator and wait for the screen to display "Thank you for voting. Your ballot has been counted."



Accessible voting

State law requires voters to sign or make their mark on the poll book. If you are unable to sign due to a disability, you are exempt from this requirement.

If you are unable to state your name and address at the poll book, you may designate someone else to state your name and address for you.

If you have health issues, you may vote from the curb of the polling place..

Every polling place has an accessible ballot marking device. You may designate someone to help you mark your ballot as long as your assistant is not your employer or union representative.

Proof of Address vs. Proof of ID



You prove your address only when you register to vote

Proof of address must show your name at your current address. You can use – on paper or electronically:

- Unexpired WI driver license/ID
- Utility bill from last 90 days (water, gas, electric, cable, internet...)
- Bank or credit union statement
- Property tax bill or receipt
- Government document or check
- Paycheck
- Residential Lease in effect on day you register

- Affidavit on letterhead from a social service agency for a homeless voter
- Student ID and a private college fee statement from last 9 months
- Care facility contract/intake document



You show ID every time you vote

The address on your ID does not matter. Voters without ID may vote provisionally. You can use:

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- Wisconsin driver license/ID expiring after 11/6/2018
- U.S. Passport expiring after 11/6/2018
- Military ID expiring after 11/6/2018
- Unexpired Veterans
 Affairs ID

- Certificate of naturalization issued within the last 2 years
- Unexpired receipt for a WI license/ID
- ID card issued by a federally recognized
 Indian Tribe in Wisconsin
 - College ID with student signature, date issued and expiration within 2 years of issuance, accompanied by proof of enrollment if expired

Moved? Hospitalized?



Moved in the month before the election?

If you move within 28 days of an election you can only vote from your previous address, at your old polling place.



Hospitalized?

You may vote absentee from the hospital on Election Day or during the week before an election.

- You may choose someone as your agent to help you vote absentee.
- An agent may run between the hospital and the City Clerk's Office with your request, ID, and absentee ballot.
- Use the request form at <u>www.cityofmadison.com/clerk/elections-</u> <u>voting/voting/vote-absentee/voting-absentee-</u> <u>in-the-hospital</u>