





# **2020 Voters Guide**

**General Election November 3, 2020** 

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#### **Everyone: CHECK and UPDATE YOUR VOTER REGISTRATION**

New address? New name?

#### **BALLOT QUESTIONS**

- 1. An Initiative Law to Enhance, Update and Protect the 2013 Motor Vehicle Right to Repair Law. (Right to Repair Law).
- 2. Initiative petition for a Law to Implement Ranked-Choice Voting in Elections (Ranked-Choice Voting Initiative).

The questions, summaries, what your vote will do, statements of fiscal consequences, arguments in favor and against, and the full text of the measures are in the official guide to the 2020 ballot questions, the "Information for Voters" red booklet. https://www.sec.state.ma.us/ele/elepdf/IFV\_2020.pdf

Make a plan.

#### **VOTING TIMELINE**

October 17 - 30 Early in person voting for November 3rd election. Check your Town Clerk's office for voting times.

October 24 Last day to register to vote in the November 3rd election. October 28 Final day to request an application to vote by mail in the November 3rd election.

**November 3** Election Day

Check early voting times and the location of your local Drop Box at https://www.sec.state.ma.us/ele/eleev/ev-find-my-election-office.htm

#### **VOTING BY MAIL**

Follow directions carefully. Sign it.

Return your mail in ballot as soon as you receive it. You have three options for returning your ballot:

- 1. Mail early to ensure that the Town Clerk receives it before Nov. 3.
- 2. Place it in a secure Drop Box.
- 3. Deliver it to your Town Clerk's office during early in-person voting

A bar code on your ballot allows you to track the progress of your ballot. If you get a "not found" response, go back and check again until you see that it was accounted for. There may be a lag time. Or call Town Clerk. www.TrackMyBallotMA.com

#### **OUT-OF-STATE COLLEGE STUDENTS**

If you vote by mail, you must get an absentee ballot from the state where you legally reside. Deadlines are different in every state. Plan ahead. Vote early. Check ID requirements for voting.

#### **POLL WORKERS NEEDED**

Sign up to be a poll worker. https://www.powerthepolls.org/?source=LWVUS Concern is growing that our Election Day workforce - often understaffed and under-resourced even in a 'normal' year - will be in deep peril in November. Many older, experienced poll workers will stay home this year over concerns for their health. Big need for bilingual workers.

https://www.sec.state.ma.us/ele/covid-19/poll-workers-needed.htm



### **VOTE AND HELP OTHERS VOTE!**

Register voters. Distribute voting information. Send reminders. Drive voters to the polls.

