

# REGISTRO DE VOTANTES POR ROCK THE VOTE



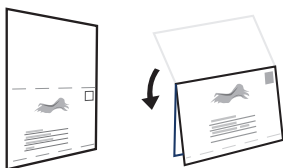
¡No estará registrado hasta que  
**firmes, selle, y envíe** por correo su solicitud llena!

## INSTRUCCIONES

Siga estos sencillos pasos para completar su registro de votante:

- 1 **Firme** la solicitud. Debe firmar su solicitud de registro de votante antes de enviarla.
- 2 **Círrrela.** Doble la solicitud y la hoja con la dirección a la mitad. Asegúrese que la dirección se pueda leer en el exterior. Use cinta adhesiva o una grapa para fijar la solicitud en la parte baja y crear la pieza de correo.

### HOW TO MAKE A MAILER



- 3 **Sélela.** Ponga un sello postal de primera clase en el sobre o pieza de correo.
- 4 **Envíela.** Deposite su solicitud de registro de votante en el correo.
- 5 **Vote.** En el Día de la Elección, salga a votar.

ENVÍE SU SOLICITUD LLENADA Y FIRMADA A:

State Election Commission  
P.O. Box 5987  
Columbia, SC 29250-5987

FECHA LÍMITE DE INSCRIPCIÓN:

30 días antes de las elecciones.

Vaya a la siguiente página para ver instrucciones detalladas sobre cómo llenar su solicitud de registro de votante.

## Votantes por primera vez que se inscriben por correo

Si se está inscribiendo para votar por primera vez en su jurisdicción y está enviando esta solicitud de inscripción por correo, usted tendrá por ley federal que presentar prueba de identificación la primera vez que vote. Los métodos de identificación aprobados incluyen: una identificación con foto válida y vigente, o una factura actual de suministro de energía, estado de cuenta bancario, cheque del gobierno, cheque de sueldo o documento que muestre su nombre y dirección.

Los votantes pueden ser exentos de este requisito si envían una copia de uno de los modos aprobados de identificación junto con su solicitud de inscripción por correo.

Si desea enviar una copia mantenga en mente lo siguiente: Su estado puede tener requisitos adicionales de identificación que pueden poner bajo mandato que usted muestre identificación en las mesas electorales incluso si usted cumple con la prueba federal de identificación.

No envíe el documento original de identificación con esta solicitud, solo envíe copias.

**Antes de llenar este formulario, vea las instrucciones generales, las instrucciones para llenar esta solicitud, y las instrucciones específicas de su estado.**

**Si se está inscribiendo para votar por primera vez,** consulte las instrucciones de la solicitud para información sobre presentar copias documentos de identificación válidos con este formulario.

Si esta solicitud es para un **cambio de nombre**, ¿cómo se llamaba antes de cambiar de nombre?

Si vive en una zona rural, pero no tiene un número de calle, o si no tiene dirección, muestre en el mapa dónde vive.

Si el solicitante no puede firmar, ¿quién ayudó al solicitante a llenar esta solicitud? Dé el nombre, la dirección y el número de teléfono. (El número de teléfono es optativo).

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**Envíe esta solicitud a la dirección provista por su estado.**

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## GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

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### Who Can Use This Application

If you are a U.S. citizen who lives or has an address within the United States, you can use the application in this booklet to:

- Register to vote in your State,
- Report a change of name to your voter registration office,
- Report a change of address to your voter registration office, or
- Register with a political party.

### Exceptions

Please **do not** use this application if you live outside the United States and its territories and have no home (legal) address in the country, *or* if you are in the military stationed away from home. Use the Federal Postcard Application available to you from military bases, American embassies, or consular offices.

**New Hampshire** town and city clerks will accept this application only as a request for their own absentee voter mail-in registration form.

**North Dakota** does not have voter registration.

**Wyoming** law does not permit mail registration.

### How to Find Out If You Are Eligible to Register to Vote in Your State

Each State has its own laws about who may register and vote. Check the information under your State in the State Instructions. All States require that you be a United States citizen by birth or naturalization to register to vote in federal and State elections. Federal law makes it illegal to falsely claim U.S. citizenship to register to vote in any federal, State, or local election. You **cannot** be registered to vote in more than one place at one time.

### How to Fill Out this Application

Use both the Application Instructions and State Instructions to guide you in filling out this application.

- First, read the Application Instructions. These instructions will give you important information that applies to everyone using this application.
- Next, find your State under the State Instructions. Use these instructions to fill out Boxes 6, 7, and 8. Also refer to these instructions for information about voter eligibility and any oath required in Box 9.

### When to Register to Vote

Each State has its own deadline for registering to vote.

### How to Submit Your Application

Mail your application to the address listed under your State in the State Instructions. Or, deliver the application in person to your local voter registration office. The States that are required to accept the national form will accept copies of the application printed from the computer image on regular paper stock, signed by the applicant, and mailed in an envelope with the correct postage.

### First Time Voters Who Register by Mail

If you are registering to vote for the first time in your jurisdiction and are mailing this registration application, Federal law requires you to show proof of identification the first time you vote. Proof of identification includes:

- A current and valid photo identification or
- A current utility bill, bank statement, government check, paycheck, or government document that shows your name and address.

Voters may be exempt from this requirement if they submit a COPY of this identification with their mail in voter registration form. If you wish to submit a COPY, please keep the following in mind:

- Your state may have additional identification requirements which may mandate you show identification at the polling place even if you meet the Federal proof of identification.
- Do not submit original documents with this application, only COPIES.

## APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

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Before filling out the body of the form, please answer the questions on the top of the form as to whether you are a United States citizen and whether you will be 18 years old on or before Election Day. If you answer no to either of these questions, you may not use this form to register to vote. However, state specific instructions may provide additional information on eligibility to register to vote prior to age 18.

### Box 1 — Name

Put in this box your full name in this order — Last, First, Middle. Do not use nicknames or initials.

*Note:* If this application is for a change of name, please tell us in **Box A** (*on the bottom half of the form*) your full name before you changed it.

### Box 2 — Home Address

Put in this box your home address (legal address). Do **not** put your mailing address here if it is different from your home address. Do **not** use a post office box or rural route without a box number. Refer to state-specific instructions for rules regarding use of route numbers.

*Note:* If you were registered before *but* this is the first time you are registering from the address in Box 2, please tell us in **Box B** (*on the bottom half of the form*) the address where you were registered before. Please give us as much of the address as you can remember.

*Also Note:* If you live in a rural area but do not have a street address, *or* if you have no address, please show where you live using the map in **Box C** (*at the bottom of the form*).

### Box 3 — Mailing Address

If you get your mail at an address that is different from the address in Box 2, put your mailing address in this box. If you have no address in Box 2, you **must** write in Box 3 an address where you can be reached by mail.

### Box 4 — Date of Birth

Put in this box your date of birth in this order — Month, Day, Year. *Be careful not to use today's date!*

### Box 5 — Telephone Number

Most States ask for your telephone number in case there are questions about your application. However, you do **not** have to fill in this box.

### Box 6 — ID Number

Federal law requires that states collect from each registrant an identification number. You must refer to your state's specific instructions for item 6 regarding information on what number is acceptable for your state. If you have neither a drivers license nor a social security number, please indicate this on the form and a number will be assigned to you by your state.

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### Box 7 — Choice of Party

In some States, you must register with a party if you want to take part in that party's primary election, caucus, or convention. To find out if your State requires this, see item 7 in the instructions under your State.

If you want to register with a party, print in the box the full name of the party of your choice.

If you do **not** want to register with a party, write "no party" or leave the box blank. Do **not** write in the word "independent" if you mean "no party," because this might be confused with the name of a political party in your State.

*Note:* If you do not register with a party, you can still vote in general elections and nonpartisan (nonparty) primary elections.

### Box 8 — Race or Ethnic Group

A few States ask for your race or ethnic group, in order to administer the Federal Voting Rights Act. To find out if your State asks for this information, see item 8 in the instructions under your State. If so, put in Box 8 the choice that best describes you from the list below:

- American Indian *or* Alaskan Native
- Asian or Pacific Islander
- Black, *not of* Hispanic Origin
- Hispanic
- Multi-racial
- White, *not of* Hispanic Origin
- Other

### Box 9 — Signature

Review the information in item 9 in the instructions under your State. Before you sign or make your mark, make sure that:

- (1) You meet your State's requirements, and
- (2) You understand **all** of Box 9.

Finally, sign your full name or make your mark, and print today's date in this order — Month, Day, Year. If the applicant is unable to sign, put in Box D the name, address, and telephone number (optional) of the person who helped the applicant.

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR SOUTH CAROLINA

### Fecha Límite de Inscripción

30 días antes de las elecciones.

### Caja 6 – Número de Identificación

Se requiere su número completo del Seguro Social. Lo requiere el Código de Leyes de Carolina del Sur y se utiliza únicamente para fines internos. El número del Seguro Social no aparece en ningún informe producido por la Comisión de Elecciones del Estado, ni se entrega a ninguna persona no autorizada. (Título de Carolina del Sur 7-5-170)

### Caja 7 – Selección de Partido Político

No está obligado a inscribirse en un partido político se desea participar en las elecciones primarias, en la asamblea local (caucus) o en la convención de ese partido político.

### Caja 8 – Raza o Grupo Étnico

South Carolina requiere información acerca de su raza u origen étnico.

### Caja 9 – Firma

Para inscribirse en Carolina del Sur tiene que:

- ser ciudadano de Estados Unidos
- tener al menos 18 años de edad para la fecha de las próximas elecciones
- ser residente de Carolina del Sur, su condado y precinto
- no estar recluso en ninguna prisión pública por haber sido condenado de un delito
- jamás haber sido condenado de un delito grave o de una contravención de las leyes electorales o si lo condenaron anteriormente, haber cumplido su sentencia completa, incluyendo la libertad supervisada o condicional o haber recibido perdón por la condena
- no estar bajo una orden de tribunal en la que se lo declare mentalmente incompetente
- indicar la dirección en la solicitud como su único lugar de residencia legal y no indicar ningún otro lugar como su residencia legal