



CEO Oakland - Voter Registration Guide



In California, You're Eligible to Vote if:

- You are *not* in state prison, federal prison, or on parole for a felony conviction
- You *can* vote when you're done with parole, but you may need to re-register
- You *can* vote if you're on mandatory supervision, post-release community supervision, or federal supervised release
- You can check if you're eligible to vote online at <https://campaignlegal.org/restoreyourvote>

- You're a United States citizen and a resident of California
- You're at least 18 years old on Election Day
- You are not found mentally incompetent to vote by a court
- Due to voter rolls being purged, sometimes individuals who are eligible and registered to vote are removed. You can check whether you're still registered to vote <https://www.vote.org/am-i-registered-to-vote/>

Where and How to Register to Vote in Alameda County

To register in person:

- You can fill out a voter registration card found in most public libraries and government offices; **you can register to vote at the following locations in Alameda County:**
 - Oakland DMV, 5300 Claremont Ave, Oakland, CA 94618
 - Oakland Coliseum DMV, 501 85th Ave, Oakland, CA 94621

To register online:

You can also register to vote online at <https://registertovote.ca.gov/>:

- To register online you will need your California driver license or California identification card number, the last four digits of your social security number, and your date of birth.
- You need to sign and mail the voter registration form **at least 15 days before** Election Day
- On your registration form you can choose whether to vote in person or by mail. If you choose to vote by mail, a paper ballot will be mailed to you.



Where and When to Vote in Oakland

- The 2020 Presidential election will take place on **Tuesday, November 3rd**.
- You can vote in person or by mail before Election Day. You can find the nearest place to vote at <https://www.sos.ca.gov/elections/polling-place/>.
- If you vote by mail, you need to mail the ballot at least 7 days before Election Day **(This means that if you plan to vote by mail, you need to mail in your ballot by Tuesday, October 27th in order for your vote to be counted.)**

Additional Information

- If you have already registered to vote but have since moved, be sure to re-register at your new address.
- Under California state law, your employer is required to give you time off to vote upon request. Alternatively, you can vote by mail.

You can see what will be on the ballot and plan how you'll vote at

<https://www.vote.org/ballot-information/>

You can learn about candidates and their views on criminal justice, including who has the right to vote, at the following websites:

- <https://www.themarshallproject.org/2019/10/10/2020-the-democrats-on-criminal-justice>
- https://ballotpedia.org/2020_presidential_candidates_on_criminal_justice