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### **2022 Spring Election Resources** (rev 2/2/2022)

The Spring Primary is February 15th and Spring Election is April 5th. These resources will help you be prepared.

- Check MyVote Wisconsin to see if your community has a spring primary.
- Are you registered to vote? Check your status on <u>MyVote Wisconsin</u>. If you are not registered, register at your clerk's office, at early voting sites, or at your polling place on Election Day.
  - Learn more here: Voter Registration Resources Toolkit
- View your ballot: <u>www.myvote.wi.gov/Whats-On-My-Ballot</u>
- Our Spring Elections Toolkit will help you prepare to vote
- Make Your Plan to Vote 2022 Fact Sheet will walk you through step by step
- Our <u>2022 Wisconsin Spring Elections Timeline</u> provides important dates and deadlines for the Spring elections.
- Questions? Call the Disability Rights Wisconsin Voter Hotline:
  1-844-347-8683 / 1-844-DIS-VOTE or email us at <a href="mailto:info@disabilityvote.org">info@disabilityvote.org</a>

## **Absentee Voting**

Voters who wish to vote absentee should request, complete, and return their ballot as soon as possible. There is **no change** in Wisconsin law for absentee ballot return for the February primary. Voters may ask a person of their choice to return their ballot, and absentee ballot drop boxes may be used.

- Our <u>2022 Wisconsin Spring Elections Timeline</u> provides important dates and deadlines for the Spring elections.
- Request your absentee ballot at <u>MyVote Wisconsin</u>. You may request absentee ballots for the year.
- If a voter always needs to vote absentee due to disability, age, illness, or infirmity, they may certify as an indefinitely confined voter on their absentee ballot request. Their ballot will be mailed to them for each election until they don't return a ballot.





## **Know Your Rights**

People with disabilities have the right to have an equal opportunity to vote, and to access disability related accommodations, if needed. Some of the most widely used accommodations are curbside voting, receiving assistance with marking a ballot, and use of accessible voting machines. See our fact sheet and video:

- View English Voting Rights fact sheet here (accessible pdf).
- View Spanish Voting Rights fact sheet here (accessible pdf).
- Know Your Rights video

### **Guardianship and Voting Rights**

In Wisconsin, a person under guardianship retains the right to vote unless the court expressly removes it. If an individual is under guardianship and unsure of their right to vote, the Court's decision regarding the right to vote is recorded on a court form called "A Determination and Order on Petition for Guardianship Due to Incompetency." A person who has a guardian and has lost the right to vote may petition the court to restore their right to vote.

- Competency, Guardianship and Voting in Wisconsin).
- Competency, Guardianship and Voting in Wisconsin Spanish
- Guardianship and Voting Restoring your Right to Vote

#### **Resources for Voters with Criminal Convictions**

- Wisconsin Election Commission Guide: Ex-Felons, Incarcerated Voters Guide
- Voting in Wisconsin After a Criminal Conviction Flyer
- Wisconsin Voting Rights for Persons with Criminal Convictions
- EXPO -Ex-incarcerated People Organizing.

#### **2022 Elections Postcards and Posters**

Order our free postcards and posters to increase awareness of the 2022 elections. They include 2022 elections dates, voter registration info, and where to call for help.

• Order Postcards and Posters 2022 Elections - Wisconsin Disability Vote Coalition

# **Help with Voting Questions**

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- Wisconsin Disability Vote Coalition website: <a href="https://disabilityvote.org/">https://disabilityvote.org/</a>
- Your municipal clerk: <a href="myvote.wi.gov/en-US/MyMunicipalClerk">myvote.wi.gov/en-US/MyMunicipalClerk</a>
- Wisconsin Elections Commission: 866-VOTE-WIS / 868-3944
  - o Email: <u>elections@wi.gov</u> Website: <u>https://elections.wi.gov/</u>
- **DMV Voter ID Hotline:** (844) 588-1069. Apply for a free Photo ID for voting at the <u>Wisconsin Division of Motor Vehicles</u> (DMV).
- **Vote411.org**: nonpartisan information about the candidates