

Voting Unhoused/Homeless FAQ

Questions	Answer
How do I register to vote?	Put the address of where you sleep. If you sleep in a shelter, at a friend's house, or somewhere outside, that is your voting residence. If you sleep outside, write a description of the location on line four of your voter registration application. For example, "On the SE corner of Van Cleve Park, near the intersection of Rollins Ave SE and SE 15th Ave.
What if I register before Election Day, with a location that is outside?	If you register before Election Day with an outdoor location as your residence, your record will be marked as 'challenged', this is because the county could not confirm a specific street address. You will still be able to vote, but at the polling place on Election Day, you will be asked to swear under oath that you are living at the location you listed on your registration application. In order to better ensure your registration remains active through Election Day, it is best to register within two months of that date.
What if I register on Election Day?	To register on Election Day, you will need to provide proof of residence. Proof of residence can be one of the following: ID with current name and address Valid Minnesota driver's license, learner's permit or ID; or a receipt for any of these. Tribal ID with name, address, photo, and signature. Photo ID and a document with current name and address. Approved Photo IDs (Choose one): The ID can be expired. Driver's license, state ID, or learner's permit issued by any state U.S. Passport U.S. Military or Veteran ID Tribal ID with name, signature, and photo Minnesota university, college, or technical college ID Minnesota high school ID Approved documents: Can be shown on an electronic device.

More Information:

- Bill, account, or start-of-service statement due or dated within 30 days of the election for:
 - Phone, TV, or internet
 - Solid waste, sewer, electric, gas, or water
 - Banking or credit card
 - Rent or mortgage
- Residential lease or rent agreement valid through **Election Day**
- Current student fee statement
- A registered voter who can confirm your address
- College student ID with housing list
- Valid registration in the same precinct
- Notice of Late Registration
- A staff person of a residential facility

To learn more about what can count as proof of residence, visit https://www.sos.state.mn.us/elections-voting/register-to-vote/register-on-election-d <u>ay/</u>



