

MAKE SURE YOUR VOTE IS COUNTED AND MAKE A PLAN TO VOTE!

Due to COVID and confusing rules, voting will be more challenging than ever this November. We want to ensure that everyone votes and that all votes are counted. Please help everyone you know ensure that their votes are counted. Here's how.

1. **Check Your Registration – Make Sure You Are Still Registered to Vote - the Deadline to Register or Update Address is October 5.** Here's the link to check your registration and register: <https://www.ohvotes.org/>
2. **Make a Plan to Vote and Vote Early. Know Deadlines!** Because of COVID distancing, polls may have fewer machines and long lines on Election Day. There are 2 ways to vote early – Check Deadlines at <https://www.ohvotes.org/>

Either:

a. **Vote by Mail with an Absentee Ballot:**

- i. **First, request an absentee ballot** – do it soon! You can find an Application at <https://www.ohvotes.org/>. Fill it out and mail it in.
- ii. **Wait For Your Ballot.** They will be mailed to you starting October 6, 2020. You can check the status of your request for an Absentee Ballot at: <https://www.ohvotes.org/>
- iii. **Fill Out your Ballot.** Make sure you SIGN IT in the right place.
- iv. **Submit Your Ballot – Do It Early!** You can either:
 1. Mail your ballot – **you must attach enough postage!**
 2. Take it to the County Board of Elections (Franklin County BOE is on Morse Road) and put it in the Drop Box.

Or:

- b. **Vote Early in Person:** Go to the Board of Elections during voting hours before Election Day and vote in person at a machine. Voting starts on October 6. For hours of voting at Board of Elections, see “*My Voting Options*” at: <https://www.ohvotes.org/>

OR:

3. **Vote on Election Day:** Check your polling location: <https://www.ohvotes.org/>
4. **Make sure everyone you know is registered and has a plan to vote!**