

VoteRiders

Voter ID Rules

Voting in Person

North Carolina asks for photo ID to vote.

You can show one of these photo IDs:

Ok if expired 1 year (or more time if ID expired after 65th birthday):

- NC driver's license
- NC state ID card
- US passport or passport card
- NC Voter ID card issued by county
- Student ID approved by NC State Board of Elections
- Employee ID approved by NC State Board of Elections
- Out-of-state driver's license or ID card (only voters registered within 90 days)

No expiration date required:

- Military ID
- Veterans Health ID card issued by VA
- Tribal enrollment card issued by a Tribe recognized by NC or US government

If you don't have a photo ID, you can still vote if you sign an ID exception form.

Voting by Mail

Any registered NC voter can request to vote by mail.

Provide one of these numbers when you request an absentee ballot:

- NC driver's license or state ID card number
- Last 4 digits of your Social Security number

You must also include a copy of accepted photo ID (listed above) or a completed ID exception form when you return your ballot.

2026 Midterm Election

Voter Registration Deadline: October 9
(Same-day registration available during early voting!)

Statewide Early Voting: October 15 - 31

Deadline to Request Mail Ballot: October 20

Election Day: November 3

Get Free ID Help

VoteRiders is sending you this letter because we want to make sure you have the right ID to vote.

Please contact us if you have questions or need free help getting an ID!

**CALL OR TEXT
866-432-8683**

VoteRiders is a nonpartisan organization.
All our services are free.

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- Voter ID info and help
- Check voter registration
- Request mail ballot
- Información en español

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