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Electronic Absentee Voting for PERSONS WITH PHYSICAL DISABILITIES

On February 3, 2020 Governor Jim Justice signed Senate Bill 94 into law, expanding who is eligible to vote using electronic absentee ballots. Electronic absentee ballots can provide a more accessible way for people with physical disabilities to vote privately and securely. For example, an eligible voter will be able to use an electronic ballot marker on his or her computer or phone.

Who is eligible?

Registered voters who:

Cannot make it to the polling place due to a physical disability **AND**Cannot vote a mail-in paper ballot without assistance due to a physical disability

I'm eligible. When can I apply?

- Statewide Primary Elections: Beginning January 1 of the election year.
- Statewide General Elections: No sooner than the 84th day before the election.

Note: Your County Clerk must receive your application no later than the 6th day before an election. Unless you apply to be on the Permanent Absentee list, you must apply before each election.

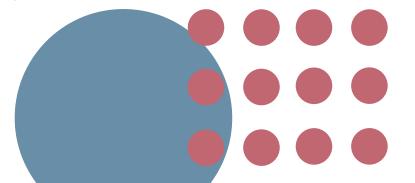


How do I apply?

- 1. Use the absentee ballot request portal at GoVoteWV.com, download the absentee application at GoVoteWV.com or request the form from your County Clerk.
- 2. Follow the instructions on the application. Be sure to check the box to request an electronic absentee ballot and enter your email address.
- 3. If submitting the paper application, submit the form to your County Clerk by mail, fax, or email. A County Clerk directory is available at **GoVoteWV.com**. You may also call the Secretary of State's Office at 1-866-767-8683 for County Clerk information.

What happens next?

An email will be sent from your County Clerk when your ballot is ready, along with instructions on how to cast your vote.



For more information:



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