

MAKE SURE YOU HAVE YOUR PLAN TO VOTE BY MAIL

To ensure voter participation in the November 3, 2020 General Election during the COVID-19 pandemic, Governor Murphy has signed Executive Order (EO) 177. This order creates a hybrid election by expanding mail-in voting and limiting in-person polling locations. The legislature then passed a series of bills to codify this EO and provide additional protections for voters.

Here is what you need to know to complete your vote plan:

- 1) Every registered voter in New Jersey will receive a mail-in ballot no later than October 5th. Your vote-by-mail ballot can be returned in several ways:
 - ✓ *You can mail your ballot back through the USPS:*
 - Ballots **must be** postmarked by November 3 and received by county election boards by 8 p.m. on November 10, one week after Election Day.
 - ✓ *You can drop off your ballot at a secure drop box location:*
 - There will be at least **ten** secure, designated boxes in each of New Jersey's 21 counties.
 - Each municipality with over 5,000 residents will have a drop box.
 - ✓ *You can hand-deliver on Election Day at a select polling location:*
 - There will be at least **one in-person** polling location in each of New Jersey's 565 municipalities.
- 2) If you received a mail-in ballot but didn't return it, and you show up in-person to vote on Election Day, you will only be allowed to vote by provisional ballot (*visit this [website](#) for important information*).
- 3) Only people with disabilities will be able to vote via machine in person.
- 4) No sample ballots will be mailed out for this election. However, registered voters will receive a notice with information on how to access a sample ballot, a list of ballot drop box locations and the locations of the voter polling places.

For more information, you can contact the New Jersey Division of Elections at:
nj.gov/state/elections/index.shtml