

General Election

Date: _____

Polls are open:

6:30 a.m. – 7:30 p.m.

First-Time Voters and Voters Who Registered by Mail

If you have registered to vote for the first time in West Virginia, or for the first time in this county and you have not yet cast a vote in a federal election in this state, you may be required to provide a current and valid ID before voting. This ID may be:

- A copy of a current and valid photo ID; or
- A copy of a current utility bill, bank statement, government check, paycheck, or other government document that shows your name and current residence address.

Voter's Rights

You have the right to:

- Vote in a scheduled election if you are: a duly registered voter; a U.S. Citizen; at least 18 years old by the date of the general election; not currently incarcerated, on probation or parole for a felony conviction; not declared mentally incapacitated by a court of competent jurisdiction; and, a resident of the precinct in which you are casting a vote.
- Have non-discriminatory, equal access to the voting process.
- Cast your vote in a non-disruptive atmosphere free from interference.
- Request assistance in voting, if needed.
- Protect the secrecy of your ballot.
- Receive a new ballot if you make a mistake or change your mind before you cast your ballot.
- Request, receive and vote a provisional ballot if there is a question about your eligibility and find out if that ballot was counted.
- Choose not to vote in an election or skip any race or question on the ballot without penalty. Blank sections on a ballot do not affect remaining races.
- Vote if you are in line at the polling location by 7:30 p.m.
- Have your ballot counted fairly and accurately.
- Have complaints about elections and election contests resolved fairly.

Election Violations

It is unlawful to tamper with or interfere in the conduct of an election or to commit fraud or misrepresent any material fact. For a complete list of violations and penalties, contact your County Clerk or the Office of the Secretary of State. Penalties may be up to a \$10,000 fine and/or ten years imprisonment.