

# REGISTER TO VOTE

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## Ways to Register

1. Online at [www.IndianaVoters.com](http://www.IndianaVoters.com) with a valid State of Indiana issued Photo ID.
2. In person at many places, including:
  - St. Joseph County Voter Registration Office, 4<sup>th</sup> Fl. County/City Building, 227 W. Jefferson, South Bend
  - St. Joseph County Clerk Offices in South Bend, Courthouse Basement, 101 S. Main St., or Mishawaka, County Services Building, 219 Lincolnway West
  - Bureau of Motor Vehicles branches
  - Public Assistance offices
3. By mail, with applications available at these places:
  - online at [www.IndianaVoters.com](http://www.IndianaVoters.com) or [www.vote411.org](http://www.vote411.org)
  - any public library in the county
  - Bureau of Motor Vehicles branches
  - local government offices

Follow the instructions on the application and return or mail it to the Voter Registration Office at the address provided on the application.

**Questions?** For questions about registration, your polling place, or whether your application was approved, contact the St. Joseph County Voter Registration Office at 235-9521. Or call the Hoosier Voter Hotline at 1-866-IN-1-VOTE (1-866-461-8683) or visit [www.IndianaVoters.com](http://www.IndianaVoters.com) (a website run by the Indiana Secretary of State).

**Check Your Registration!** Don't be surprised on Election Day. The Indiana Secretary of State conducts voter file maintenance, which can result in cancellation of voter registrations. Check your registration now at [www.IndianaVoters.com](http://www.IndianaVoters.com) or by calling 574-235-9521 and complete a new voter registration application if required.

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