

2020 Elections

November 3, 2020 Presidential Election

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Key Dates for the November 3, 2020 Presidential Election

Date	Event
10/6/2020	Voter registration (/publications/register-vote-flyer) closes for deputy registrars and local election officials
10/7/2020	First day of grace period registration and voting (/service/grace-period-registration-and-voting)
10/18/2020	Last day to register to vote (/RTV) by online application
10/19/2020	First day of early voting (/agency/early-voting)
10/29/2020	Last day to request a mail ballot (/agency/vote-mail), including military and overseas voters
11/2/2020	Last day of early voting (/agency/early-voting)
11/2/2020	Last day of grace period registration and voting (/service/grace-period-registration-and-voting)
11/3/2020	Last day mail ballots (/agency/vote-mail) can be postmarked
11/3/2020	Election Day

Mail Ballot Application

Any registered suburban Cook County voter may request a mail ballot using this online application. Once we verify your application, we will send a paper ballot to the mailing address you give. The deadline to apply is five days before an election.

To complete this application, you will need:

- your driver's license or state identification number or the last four digits of your Social Security Number;
- the address where you would like your ballot mailed; and
- an email address.

If you do not have one of these items, you may download (<http://www.cookcountyclerk.com/votebymail>), print and sign a mail ballot application and send it to the Cook County Clerk's office.

Please note: Making a false statement to obtain a mail ballot or soliciting someone to do so is considered vote fraud, a criminal offense punishable by up to five years in prison. To report vote fraud, call 312.603.0942.

Notice to Voters:

Due to COVID 19, all 2020 General Election voters are encouraged to cast a ballot prior to Election Day on November 3, either by mail or during early voting. Voting by mail is an easy option for voters, and you can request a vote by mail ballot through email, mail, online or in person.

Upon completion of the vote by mail application, voters will receive an official ballot no more than 40 days and no less than 30 days before the Election.

After submitting the application, a voter will receive a ballot at his or her registered address, or the mailing address requested by the voter, and such ballot must be completed and returned no later than Election Day.

A voter may email the Cook County Clerk at mail.voting@cookcountyil.gov (<mailto:mail.voting@cookcountyil.gov>) or call 312.603.0946 if the voter does not receive an official ballot, or if the voter has questions.

A voter may confirm receipt of their official ballot by the Cook County Clerk by using the "What Is My Mail Ballot Status" option of the Voter Information Tool (<https://www.cookcountyclerk.com/service/your-voter-information>) or call 312.603.0946.

Are you a Military or Overseas voter?



Mail Ballot Application

Suburban Cook County
Presidential General Election - November 3, 2020

Get your ballot faster, **APPLY ONLINE!** at cookcountyclerk.com/VoteByMail

Don't have access to a computer? Complete the form below and return it by **Thursday, October 29, 2020** to the Cook County Clerk's office, Mail Voting Unit, 69 W. Washington St., Room 500, Chicago, IL 60602.

Under penalties of perjury as provided by law under Section 29-10 of the Illinois Election Code [10 ILCS 5/29-10], I affirm that I am entitled to vote in this election and that all of the statements on this application are true and correct. I am applying for a mail ballot, which I will mail to the Cook County Clerk's office. Under state law, ballots must be postmarked by Election Day and received no later than 14 days after Election Day in order to be counted.

I understand that this application is made for an official mail ballot to be voted by me at this election and that I must submit a separate application for an official mail ballot for any subsequent election.

1 Print applicant's name and complete voting address:

_____ name

_____ address

_____ city

_____ email address

_____ birth date

_____ apt#

_____ zip code

_____ phone number

2 Print name and address where the ballot should be mailed (if different from above):



3 Sign in box below:

_____ name

_____ address

_____ city

_____ state _____ zip code

_____ voter signature

4 Check if requesting a mail ballot in a language other than English:

- Spanish Hindi Chinese Korean Tagalog Urdu
- Polish Russian Ukrainian Arabic Gujarati

Help prevent vote fraud

Making a false statement to obtain a mail ballot or soliciting someone to do so is considered vote fraud, a criminal offense that is punishable by up to five years in prison. To report vote fraud, call 312.603.0909.

For more information about mail voting, visit cookcountyclerk.com/VoteByMail, or call 312.603.0946.

For election officials only Voter ID # →

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Township: _____ Precinct: _____ Ward: _____ Ballot Style: _____