

## STATE OF GEORGIA APPLICATION FOR VOTER REGISTRATION

If you meet the following qualifications, complete this form and **personally mail** to the Secretary of State or **personally** deliver to your county voter registration office. Prepaid postage is provided for your convenience.

QUALIFICATIONS: To register to vote you must:

- Be a **citizen** of the **United States**
- Be a legal **resident** of the **county**
- Be at least **17½** years of age to register and **18 to vote**
- **Not** be serving a sentence for conviction of a **felony** involving moral turpitude
- Have **not** been found **mentally incompetent** by a judge

See other side for complete instructions.

Once you complete and personally mail or deliver your application, you should receive an acknowledgement from the local voter registration office. Generally this process takes two to four weeks. To follow up on your voter registration application or to obtain more information on voter registration and elections, just call your local voter registration office.

### GENERAL INFORMATION:

For more information on election dates, registration deadlines, and local county voter registration telephone numbers, see the Secretary of State's website at [WWW.SOS.STATE.GA.US/ELECTIONS](http://WWW.SOS.STATE.GA.US/ELECTIONS).

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Fill out the bottom half of this application by following these directions. Print clearly and use blue or black ink.

1. **LEGAL NAME.** Your full legal name including any suffix such as Sr., Jr., III, is required on this form.
2. **ADDRESS.** Provide residential address. This information is required.
3. **MAILING ADDRESS.** If mailing address is different from residential address, complete the mailing address section.
4. **PERSONAL INFORMATION.** A telephone number is helpful to registration officials if they have a question about your application. Gender and race are requested and are needed to comply with the Voting Rights Act of 1965, but are not mandated by law.
5. **VOTER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER.** Federal law requires you to provide your full GA Drivers License number or GA State issued ID number. If you do not have a GA Drivers License or GA ID you must provide the last 4 digits of your Social Security number. Providing your full Social Security number is optional. Your Social Security number will be kept confidential and may be used for comparison with other state agency databases for voter registration identification purposes. If you do not possess a GA Drivers License or Social Security number please check the appropriate box and a unique identifier will be provided for you.
6. **OATH.** Federal law requires that you answer the citizenship and age questions. Read the oath and sign your name. If you cannot complete this application unassisted because of physical disability or illiteracy, you must either sign or make your mark on the signature line, and the person assisting you MUST sign the signature space for person assisting voter.
7. **POLL OFFICER QUESTION.** Your willingness to be a poll worker will have no bearing on your application for registration.
8. **NAME/ADDRESS CHANGE.** Complete these sections to change the name or address of your current voter registration.
9. **MAP/DIAGRAM.** If you live in an area without house numbers and street names, please include a drawing of your location to assist us in locating your appropriate voting precinct.
10. **DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS.** Verify that you have completed and signed the application. Enclose a copy of your ID if you are submitting this form by mail and registering for the first time in Georgia. Fold the application in half, remove the tape at the top, and press the edges together. The application is ready for you to mail (postage is prepaid) or deliver to your county voter registration office.
11. **You are NOT officially registered to vote until this application is approved.** You should receive a voter precinct card in the mail. If you do not receive this acknowledgement within two to four weeks after mailing this form, please contact your county voter registration office. You can find your poll location and other election information on the Secretary of State's website at [www.sos.state.ga.us/elections](http://www.sos.state.ga.us/elections).



**REQUIREMENT:** If you are submitting this form by mail and you are registering for the first time in Georgia, enclose a copy of one of the following with your application: A copy of a current and valid photo ID, a copy of a current utility bill, bank statement, government check, paycheck, or other government document that shows your name and address. Those who are entitled to vote by absentee ballot under the Uniform and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act are exempt from this requirement.

Place copy of ID in pocket	Trim copy of ID to size
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COUNTY PRECINCT	MUNICIPAL PRECINCT	DISTRICT COMBO	DDS APPLICATION NO.	REGISTRATION NO.	CHANGE OF ADDRESS <input type="checkbox"/>	CHANGE OF NAME <input type="checkbox"/>	OTHER _____															
OFFICE USE ONLY																						
1	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE OR MAIDEN NAME	SUFFIX <input type="checkbox"/> Jr. <input type="checkbox"/> Sr. <input type="checkbox"/> II <input type="checkbox"/> III <input type="checkbox"/> IV <input type="checkbox"/> V																		
2	RESIDENCE ADDRESS: House No. and street name			APT NO.	CITY	COUNTY	STATE <b>GA.</b> ZIP CODE															
3	MAILING ADDRESS (If different from residence address): Post-office box or route				CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE															
4	TELEPHONE NUMBER ( )	DATE OF BIRTH: MM/DD/YYYY / /	GENDER Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/>	RACE / ETHNICITY: <input type="checkbox"/> Black <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic/Latino <input type="checkbox"/> Asian/Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____																		
5	VALID GA. DRIVER'S LICENSE OR GA. I.D. NO. <table border="1" style="width: 100%; height: 20px; border-collapse: collapse;"><tr><td style="width: 15px;"> </td><td style="width: 15px;"> </td><td style="width: 15px;"> </td><td style="width: 15px;"> </td><td style="width: 15px;"> </td><td style="width: 15px;"> </td><td style="width: 15px;"> </td><td style="width: 15px;"> </td><td style="width: 15px;"> </td><td style="width: 15px;"> </td></tr></table>											If no GA. Driver's License or GA. I.D. No., must provide last 4 digits of your Social Security Number		FULL SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER (OPTIONAL) Last 4 digits (Required) <table border="1" style="width: 100%; height: 20px; border-collapse: collapse;"><tr><td style="width: 15px;"> </td><td style="width: 15px;"> </td><td style="width: 15px;"> </td><td style="width: 15px;"> </td></tr></table>						<input type="checkbox"/> Check if you do not have a GA Driver's License, GA. I.D. No. or Social Security No.		

(Your answer is required under federal law)	
<b>I SWEAR OR AFFIRM:</b>	
Are you a citizen of the United States of America? Check One	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Will you be 18 years of age on or before election day? Check One	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
If you checked "No" in response to either of these questions, do not complete this form.	
<b>I SWEAR OR AFFIRM THAT:</b>	
I reside at the address listed above.	
I am eligible to vote in Georgia.	
I am not serving a sentence for having been convicted of a felony involving moral turpitude.	
I have not been judicially declared to be mentally incompetent.	
Date _____	X Signature _____
Signature of person helping illiterate or disabled voter _____	

**WARNING: Any person who registers to vote knowing that such person does not possess the qualifications required by law, who registers under any name other than such person's own name, or who knowingly gives false information in registering shall be guilty of a felony.**  
O.C.G.A. § 21-2-561

7 May we contact you about working as an Election Day poll officer: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>  If you would like to receive additional information by email, please provide your e-mail address: _____	8 CHANGE OF NAME: If you are changing your name, list the name under which you were previously registered: Last Name _____ Suffix _____ First _____ Middle or Maiden Name _____  CHANGE OF ADDRESS: If you are changing your address or if you were previously registered to vote, list your previous address: CITY _____ COUNTY _____ STATE _____	Military Active Duty? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
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