

# EARLY VOTING SURVEY

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STATE	STATE OFFERS UNCONDITIONAL/NO EXCUSE EARLY VOTING BY STANDARD OR ABSENTEE BALLOT	EARLY VOTERS MAY CAST BALLOTS IN-PERSON	EARLY VOTERS MAY MAIL-IN BALLOTS	ADDITIONAL CONSIDERATIONS
AL	Y	X	X	
AK	Y	X	X	Early voting is available to those registered voters whose registration record does not require changes.
AZ	Y	X	X	
AR	Y	X		
CA	Y	X	X	
CO	Y	X	X	
CT	N			
DE	N			
FL	Y	X	X	
GA	Y	X		
HI	Y	X	X	
ID	Y	X	X	
IL	N			
IN	Y	X		
IA	Y	X		
KS	Y	X	X	
KY	N			
LA	N			
ME	Y	X	X	Voters may also opt to have their ballot delivered by an immediate family member or unrelated third party.
MD	N			
MA	N			
MI	N			
MN	N			
MS	N			
MO	N			
MT	Y	X	X	
NE	Y	X	X	
NV	Y	X		
NH	N			
NJ	N			
NM	Y	X	X	

NY	N			
NC	Y	X	X	
ND	Y	X	X	The establishment of an early voting polling location is at the option of each one of the state's 53 counties. North Dakota's state election officials expect that only the state's most populated counties will establish early voting polling locations.
OH	N			
OK	Y	X		
OR	Y		X	Oregon is a vote-by-mail state: instead of establishing traditional polling places, election officials mail ballots to each registered voter. Ballots are then voted and returned in-person or via mail to county election offices.
PA	N			
RI	N			
SC	N			
SD	Y	X	X	
TN	Y	X		
TX	Y	X	X (with limitations, see Additional Considerations)	Early voting by personal appearance is available for any registered voter. Early voting by mail is also available, but is limited to voters 65 or older, disabled, out of the county or confined in jail.
UT	Y	X	X	
VT	Y	X	X	
VA	N			
WA	Y		X	More than 60 percent of Washington's voters vote by mail before Election Day. Most of these are what Washington terms permanent absentee voters.
WV	Y	X		
WI	Y			
WY	Y	X	X	
DC				
AS				
GU				
PR				
VI				