



## 2014 General Election Dates and Deadlines

**November 4, 2014** is the General Election. To vote in the General Election, you **must** be registered to vote, which you must do in certain timeframes. You have choices about how and when you may vote.

### **Voter Registration by Mail, Deputy Registrar, or Online**

Online voter registration is available at <https://ova.elections.il.gov/>

You can download a voter registration form to mail in at

<http://www.elections.il.gov/Downloads/VotingInformation/PDF/R-19.pdf>

- Last Day

**October 7**

### **Grace period registration**

Allows people who miss the October 7 registration deadline to register and vote until the polls close on Election Day at certain places chosen by the Election Authority.

- First Day
- Last Day

**October 8**

**November 4**

### **Early voting**

- First Day
- Last Day

**October 20**

**November 2**

### **Absentee voting** (no reason needed)

- Apply for ballot by mail or online
- Apply for ballot in person
- Last day to vote ballot in person or by mail (ballots must be postmarked by this date)

**Sept. 25 - Oct. 30**

**Sept. 25 - Nov. 3**

**November 3**

You may also be able to vote your absentee ballot in person at a public university on Election Day.

### **General Election** (polling place voting)

**November 4**

### **For Further Information**

To check on the exact hours and locations for voting, you should contact your Election Authority. A list of Election Authorities can be found at

<http://www.elections.il.gov/ElectionAuthorities/ElecAuthorityList.aspx>

### **ANY QUESTIONS?**

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