

How to Vote in Iowa

Take advantage of one of the following methods to cast your vote!

Vote at Your Polling Place

On Election Day, vote at the polling place for your precinct. If you are unsure of your polling place, contact your county auditor or check out the “Find Your Precinct/Polling Place” link at www.sos.state.ia.us.

Vote by Absentee Ballot by Mail

Complete the Official Absentee Ballot Request form available from your county auditor or at www.sos.state.ia.us. The ballot will be mailed to you as soon as it is ready. Your request must be received by 5 p.m. the Friday before Election Day.

Vote by Absentee Ballot at County Auditor’s Office

You may vote in person by absentee ballot at your county auditor’s office during regular business hours before Election Day. You may not vote absentee ballot at your county auditor’s office on Election Day.

Vote by Absentee Ballot at Satellite Voting Location

Prior to Election Day, some counties use satellite voting stations for voting in person by absentee ballot at places away from the county auditor’s office. Contact your county auditor to find out if a satellite voting location will be available in your area.

For more information on voting in Iowa and to find out how to contact your county auditor, visit the Iowa Secretary of State’s website at www.sos.state.ia.us or call 1-888-SOS-VOTE.

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