

# Voting without a permanent address



No matter where you call home, your vote matters

## Proof-of-residence

You need a current address (e.g. shelter, friend's house, outside etc.) in order to register to vote.

For an outdoor address, write the street cross sections and description of where you sleep (e.g. SW corner of Loring Park near the intersection of Hennepin Ave. and Oak Grove St.)

On election day, you can bring facility staff or a registered voter of your precinct to swear under oath that they personally know you live in the location you provided. This process is called vouching.

## Your vote might be challenged at the polls, but you still have the right to vote.

If your address cannot be confirmed, you may be "challenged at the polls". You are still able to vote. The election judges at your polling place will have you take an oath of residency.

## Make a voting plan.

Polling places are usually open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

As long as you're in line by 8 p.m., you can vote, even if you do not reach the front of the line until after 8 p.m.

Need assistance registering to vote?  
Your local librarian can help.

Or visit, [mnvotes.org](http://mnvotes.org)

Need to find your polling location?  
Visit, [pollfinder.sos.state.mn.us](http://pollfinder.sos.state.mn.us)

## Can I vote if...

I was charged with or convicted of a misdemeanor or gross misdemeanor?

YES

I'm in jail, but am not currently serving a felony sentence?

YES

I've been charged with a felony, but I haven't been convicted?

YES

I've been given a stay of adjudication?

YES

I finished all parts of my felony sentence in another state?

YES

I finished all parts of my felony sentence, including probation or parole?

YES

I'm currently serving a felony sentence, including probation or parole?

NO

My stay of adjudication was revoked and I'm currently serving a felony sentence?

NO



[hennepin.us/elections](http://hennepin.us/elections)