

7 THINGS YOU CAN or MUST DO TO

VOTE

IN THE 2020 UNITED STATES ELECTION

If you are frustrated with the way things are right now and want to work for change in the US, we suggest that you spend the next 60 days preparing to vote as well as supporting and defending the enfranchisement of others. Let's facilitate a record-breaking turnout at the polls in November!

PLEASE **CLICK THE LINKS THROUGHOUT THIS INTERACTIVE RESOURCE GUIDE** AND USE YOUR VOTE THIS NOVEMBER! Let's revive our democracy!

YOU MUST REGISTER

- REGISTER TO VOTE**
Click here to visit [vote.gov](https://www.vote.gov)
- CHECK IF YOU ARE ALREADY REGISTERED**
Click here, it only takes 30 seconds at [Vote.org](https://www.vote.org)
- NOTE REGISTRATION DEADLINES**
Varies state by state, [Project FiveThirtyEight](#) has a great [interactive map](#) with details!



YOU MUST VOTE

- IN PERSON**
Changes to polling places are possible due to the coronavirus. Many voters with disabilities rely on in-person voting at accessible polling places. Voters with language barriers often depend on the help of interpreters at the polls. [Click here to find your local polling places.](#)
- BY MAIL**
[Visit Can I Vote for your state's absentee voting page.](#) Remember: If you wait until your state's deadline to mail your ballot, you may be TOO LATE!



CAN VOLUNTEER

- POLL BANKS**
You can find phonebanks at [Vote Save America](https://www.votesaveamerica.com)
- ASSIST OTHERS IN REGISTERING TO VOTE**
[Spread the Vote](#) works with eligible voters without ID
- VOTER SUPPRESSION IS NOT AN ACCIDENT**
Visit [votesaveamerica.com](https://www.votesaveamerica.com) for local volunteer opportunities



STAFF A POLL SITE

- HELP STAFF YOUR LOCAL POLLING PLACE**
America is facing a record shortage of poll workers this year due to the coronavirus. [REGISTER AT POWER OF THE POLLS](#) --Our democracy depends on ordinary people like us!
- POLL WORKERS GET:**
 - PPE
 - Training
 - Sometimes Paid



ENCOURAGE OTHERS

- YOU CAN ENCOURAGE YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS TO REGISTER AND VOTE**
Regardless of their political affiliation. It is a true democracy when everyone casts a vote. [Click here to visit vote.gov](#)
- TACTICS AND STRATEGY**
[Visit Nonprofit Vote](#) for tips, timing, and other information



ASK FOR TIME OFF

- VOTE EARLY**
Though some states allow time off for voting, lines will be long this year. Your best bet is to get your vote in early! [Check out Work Place Fairness for your state's voting laws](#)
- ASK YOUR EMPLOYER**
[Comedy site @betches_sup](#) and [@votesaveamerica](#) created this hilarious [template](#). Adjust accordingly.



HELP EMPLOYEES

- GIVE YOUR STAFF ADEQUATE TIME OFF,**
Consider giving all staff a paid day off, or offer to flex their schedule, remember poll lines will be extremely long this year!
- CONSIDER BARRIERS**
Conflicting work schedules, lack of childcare, and lost wages often force employees to skip voting. [Click to read more on how to Make Time to Vote](#)

OTHER RESOURCES

- INFORM YOURSELF**
Visit websites and study local measures
- SUBSCRIBE**
Sign up for Newsletters from your favorite political websites
- FOLLOW SOCIAL MEDIA**
A fun and easy way to stay engaged and informed!

No matter your political affiliation, please take the time to VOTE this season!