VOTING DURING COVID-19

Safe Voting During COVID-19
• Use early voting, if available.
• Maintain social distancing.
• Wear a cloth face covering.
• Bring your own black ink pen and stylus or similar object for use with touchscreen voting machines.
• Come prepared with all relevant documents and complete any registration forms prior to arriving at the polling location.

Early Voting
• Early voting timing may vary by state, most states spread early voting out over a 14-day period
• Helps alleviate lines and creates less crowded polling centers

Vote by Mail
• Each state has an option to vote by mail, but you may have to meet certain criteria
• Some states may offer an option to vote by mail for all citizens given the COVID-19 pandemic, but this remains to be determined and will vary by state
• Colorado, Hawaii, Oregon, Utah, and Washington offer all-mail voting

Absentee Voting
• Forty out of fifty states, plus the District of Columbia, have no-excuse mail-in voting
• States that require an excuse for absentee voting: Alabama, Arkansas, Connecticut*, Delaware, Indiana, Kentucky, Louisiana, Massachusetts, Mississippi, Missouri, New Hampshire, New York, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, West Virginia
• States may amend their rules for 2020 elections, so check your states guidelines as we approach the election!

*Connecticut passed a no-excuse mail-in voting bill for the November 2020 election.