

Voting Procedures

You may vote in person on election day only at the polling place for the precinct in which you reside. A precinct is a voting district established by the County Election Board. The name and address of your precinct polling place is on the voter identification card mailed to you by the County Election Board when you registered to vote.

All polling places in Oklahoma open at 7 a.m. on election day and remain open until 7 p.m. If you are in line to vote at 7 p.m., you will be able to vote.

When you present yourself at the polling place to vote, this is what to expect:

1. The Precinct Official will ask your name and, if the election is a primary election, your political affiliation, and will ask to see your proof of identity. (See "Proof of Identity Required")
2. The Precinct Official will find your name in the Precinct Registry, and you will sign in the space beside your name.
3. The Precinct Official will give you a ballot and a pen and direct you to a voting booth.
4. Mark your choices on the ballot by filling in the box beside the name of the candidate or the option on the question for which you wish to vote.
5. Put your voted ballot in the voting device, and after the device accepts it, leave the polling place. No voter is permitted to remain in a voting booth more than five (5) minutes if another voter is waiting and no more than ten (10) minutes in any event.

If you make a mistake when you mark your ballot, do not try to correct it. Take the ballot back to the Precinct Official who gave it to you and ask for another one. The Precinct Official will tear up the spoiled ballot and will give you a new one. You must sign an affidavit that states that you spoiled a ballot and received a new one.