

Early voting begins Oct. 17 for Nevada general election

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Nevada voters will have several ways to cast their ballots in the Nov. 3 general election, including early in-person voting, voting by mail and voting at the polls on Election Day.

Early voting will run from Saturday, Oct. 17, through Friday, Oct. 30. Voters can cast a ballot at an early voting location in their county. Polling locations and other election information are available through the Nevada Secretary of State's Office.

Election Day is Tuesday, Nov. 3. Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Nevada also allows same-day voter registration for eligible voters.

In addition to candidate races, Nevada voters will decide two statewide ballot questions this year. There are no statewide Questions 1 through 5 on the 2026 ballot; initiatives proposed for those numbers did not receive enough valid signatures to qualify.

Question 6 proposes amending the Nevada Constitution to make abortion access an individual right, while Question 7 proposes amending the state constitution to require voter identification for voting in person or by mail. Both measures passed in the 2024 general election. Because they are proposed constitutional amendments, they must receive voter approval a second time in 2026 to amend the Nevada Constitution.

The Secretary of State's 2026 Ballot Question Guide includes the language of each question, an explanation and digest, arguments for and against passage, rebuttals, fiscal information and the full text of the proposed amendments. The guide is also available in multiple languages, with American Sign Language versions of the two statewide questions offered for the first time.

Nevada is a universal vote-by-mail state, and active registered voters who have not opted out of receiving a mail ballot are mailed one for the general election. In-state mail ballots are scheduled to be sent Oct. 5-8, depending on the county.

Completed ballots can be returned by mail or delivered to an official ballot drop box. The Secretary of State's Office recommends mailing completed ballots at least one week before Election Day. Voters may track the status of their mail ballots through the state's MyBallot system. Nevada Secretary of State

Nevada also offers the Effective Absentee System for Elections, known as EASE, for eligible military members and their families, Nevada voters living overseas, voters with disabilities and eligible Tribal voters. The system is available for the 2026 general election through the close of polls on Election Day.

Before voting, residents can check their registration status and make sure their name and address are current. Nevada's online voter registration system also allows eligible residents with a current Nevada driver's license or identification card to register or update their information. Nevada Secretary of State

Voters can also use the state's election website to locate polling places and ballot drop boxes, check registration information and find other election resources.

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW
for the 2026 General Election

Election Day
Tuesday, Nov. 3

Early Voting
Oct. 17-30

Election Day Voting Hours
7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Early Voting
Voters may use any early voting location in their county.

Mail Ballots
Active registered voters who have not opted out receive a mail ballot.

Mail Ballot Delivery
In-state ballots were scheduled to be mailed Oct. 5-8, depending on the county.

Returning a Mail Ballot
Return it by mail or at an official ballot drop box.

Mailing Your Ballot
Mail it at least one week before Election Day.

Same-Day Registration
Available on Election Day.

Check Registration
Visit VOTE.NV.GOV to register, update an address or name, or check voter information.

Track a Mail Ballot
Visit myballot.nv.gov

Find Voting Locations
Visit NVSOS.gov

EASE Voting
Available to eligible military members and families, Nevada voters overseas, voters with disabilities and eligible Tribal voters.

Election Questions
Call (775) 687-VOTE (8683)

LOCAL RACES

Eureka County

County Assessor
Michael A. Mears — Republican

County Clerk/Recorder
Katherine J. Bowling — Republican

County Commission, District 2
Richard "Rich" McKay — Republican

County Treasurer
Pernecia "Necie" Johnson — Republican

School Board Trustee, Seat 2A
Brenna Rogne — Nonpartisan
Melynda Todd — Nonpartisan

School Board Trustee, Seat 2B
Frederick D. Buckmaster — Nonpartisan
Dillon Z. Pollock — Nonpartisan

Sheriff
Jason Flanagan — Nonpartisan
Miles A. Umina — Nonpartisan

Crescent Valley Town Advisory Board
Brent Jones — Nonpartisan
Diana V. Kersey — Nonpartisan
Jeremy C. Rice — Nonpartisan
Laura S. Shivers — Nonpartisan

Source: Nevada Secretary of State, 2026 General Election Certified List of Candidates, dated Aug. 25, 2026.

Eureka County Voter Turnout in 2026 Primary Election: **42%**

IMPORTANT RESOURCES

VOTE.NV.GOV | MYBALLOT.NV.GOV | NVSOS.GOV | (775) 687-VOTE



What Nevada Voters Will Decide

Statewide Question 6 and Question 7 will be on the General Election ballot for the second time. Both ballot questions passed during the 2024 General Election and must be voted on for a second time. If they pass again during the 2026 General Election, they will amend the Nevada Constitution.

BALLOT QUESTIONS

6 STATE QUESTION NO. 6 • Amendment to the Nevada Constitution

Abortion Initiative

AS IT APPEARS ON THE BALLOT

Should the Nevada Constitution be amended to create an individual's fundamental right to an abortion, without interference by state or local governments, whenever the abortion is performed by a qualified healthcare professional until fetal viability or when necessary to protect the health or life of the pregnant individual at any point during the pregnancy?

YES Means

A yes vote would amend the Nevada Constitution to establish a right to abortion until fetal viability and after viability to "protect the life or health of the mother" which is not defined, and thus would allow abortion at any point in the pregnancy. "Qualified health care practitioner" is also not defined, and could include a doctor, nurse, dentist, chiropractor, paramedic, etc. The proposed constitutional protection applies to "all individuals." It does not specify a minimum age or include an exception for parental involvement requirements.

NO Means

A no vote would leave the Nevada Constitution unchanged (abortion is currently allowed within the first 24 weeks of pregnancy when performed by a licensed physician and after 24 weeks to preserve the life or health of the individual). Parental consent must be obtained in the case of a minor unless the minor obtains a court order. Abortion would continue to be governed by existing Nevada statutory law.

FURTHER EXPLANATION Current Nevada law generally permits abortion through 24 weeks of pregnancy, with an exception after 24 weeks when necessary to preserve the life or health of the pregnant woman. Question 6 would not place a 24-week limit in the Nevada Constitution. Instead, it would establish a constitutional right to abortion until fetal viability, as determined by the treating health care practitioner, and after viability when necessary to protect the life or health of the pregnant individual.

7 STATE QUESTION NO. 7 • Amendment to the Nevada Constitution

Voter Identification

AS IT APPEARS ON THE BALLOT

Should the Nevada Constitution be amended to require voters to either present photo identification to verify their identity when voting in-person or to provide certain personal information to verify their identity when voting by mail ballot?

YES Means

A yes vote would amend the Nevada Constitution to require voters casting ballots in person to present an approved form of photo identification. Generally, the identification would have to be current or expired by no more than four years; voters older than 70 could use otherwise-valid identification regardless of how long ago it expired. Acceptable identification would include a Nevada driver's license, state or federal identification card, U.S. passport, military identification, qualifying government employee ID, Nevada public college or university student ID, Tribal photo identification, Nevada concealed firearms permit or another government-issued photo ID approved by the Legislature.

NO Means

A no vote would leave the Nevada Constitution unchanged and would not establish the proposed statewide voter-identification requirement. Nevada's existing voter-identification and verification rules would remain in effect.

FURTHER EXPLANATION If approved for a second time by voters, the Legislature could enact legislation during the 2027 legislative session, with the changes taking effect for the 2028 election cycle.

STATE & FEDERAL RACES

These races will appear on the Eureka County voter ballot

Representative in Congress, District 2
Teresa F. Benitez-Thompson, Democratic Party
Lynn Chapman, Independent American Party
David Flippo, Republican Party

Governor
Aaron D. Ford, Democratic Party
Danielle Ford, No Political Party
Joseph Lombardo, Republican Party

Lieutenant Governor
Stavros Anthony, Republican Party
Janine Hansen, Independent American Party
Sandra Jauregui, Democratic Party

Secretary of State
Francisco "Cisco" Aguilar, Democratic Party
Brad Lee Barnhill, Independent American Party
John T. Kennedy, Libertarian Party of Nevada
Jim Marchant, Republican Party

State Treasurer
Drew Johnson, Republican Party
Tya Mathis-Coleman, Democratic Party

State Controller
Michael MacDougall, Democratic Party
Andy Matthews, Republican Party

Attorney General
Nicole Jeanette Cannizzaro, Democratic Party
Adriana Guzmán Fralick, Republican Party

State Senate, District 14
Only voters residing in Senate District 14 will see this race.
Ira D. Hansen, Republican Party

State Assembly, District 32
Eureka County is split between Assembly districts. Only voters residing in District 32 will see this race.
Alexis M. Hansen, Republican Party

State Assembly, District 33
Only voters residing in District 33 will see this race.
Bert K. Gurr, Republican Party

Justice of the Supreme Court, Seat B
Kristina Pickering, Nonpartisan

Justice of the Supreme Court, Seat D
Douglas Herndon, Nonpartisan

District Court Judge, Seventh Judicial District, Department 1
Steve L. Dobrescu, Nonpartisan

District Court Judge, Seventh Judicial District, Department 2
Jane M. Eberhardy, Nonpartisan
Dylan V. Frehner, Nonpartisan

Board of Regents, District 8
Pete Goicoechea, Nonpartisan
Lori Lane, Nonpartisan

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