



## **THE DISABILITY VOTE MATTERS!**

### **VOTER I.D. REQUIREMENTS AND ELECTION DAY ISSUES**

#### **Some Voters Will Need to Show I.D. (Identification)**

- First-time voters; and
- Those voting at a new polling place for the first time.

#### **Plan Ahead**

Pick out the I.D. you will use on Election Day from the list of approved forms of identification. Put it where you will need it. If you have problems voting on **Election Day** call:

- Disability Rights Pennsylvania's Election Day Hotline at 717-839-5227 or email: [electionday@disabilityrightspa.org](mailto:electionday@disabilityrightspa.org), or
- The Election Protection Coalition at 866-OUR-VOTE (866-687-8683)

#### **Approved Forms of Photo Identification**

(I.D. must be valid)

- Pennsylvania driver's license or I.D. card issued by PennDOT

- I.D. issued by any other Commonwealth agency
- I.D. issued by the United States Government
- United States Passport
- United States Armed Forces I.D.
- Student I.D.
- Employee I.D.

### **Approved Forms of Non-Photo Identification**

(I.D. must include the name and address of the elector)

- Voter's I.D. issued by the voter registration commission
- Non-photo I.D. issued by the Commonwealth
- Non-photo I.D. issued by the United States Government
- Firearm permit
- Current utility bill
- Current bank statement
- Current paycheck
- Government check

### **On Election Day**

- If you find yourself at the polls without I.D. and no time to get home,  
or
- If your name is not on the list of approved voters in your precinct,  
The election workers must offer you a Provisional Ballot.

## **Pennsylvania Law**

The county Board of Elections must compare the signature on the Provisional Ballot envelope with the signature on the elector's registration form and, if the signatures are determined to be genuine, the ballot is counted.

## **Contact Information**

If you need more information or need help, please contact Disability Rights Pennsylvania (DRP) at 800-692-7443 (voice) or 877-375-7139 (TDD). The email address is: [intake@disabilityrightspa.org](mailto:intake@disabilityrightspa.org).

If you encounter any problems at your polling place on Election Day, call DRP's Election Day hotline at 717-839-5227 or email us at [electionday@disabilityrightspa.org](mailto:electionday@disabilityrightspa.org) between 7am and 8pm on Election Day. After Election Day, contact DRP at 800-692-7443 (voice) or 877-375-7139 (TDD) or [intake@disabilityrightspa.org](mailto:intake@disabilityrightspa.org).

The mission of Disability Rights Pennsylvania is to advance, protect, and advocate for the human, civil, and legal rights of Pennsylvanians with disabilities. Due to our limited resources, Disability Rights Pennsylvania cannot provide individual services to every person with advocacy and legal issues. Disability Rights Pennsylvania prioritizes cases that have the potential to result in widespread, systemic changes to benefit persons with disabilities. While we cannot provide assistance to everyone, we do seek to provide every individual with information and referral options.

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