

# A QUICK GUIDE TO VOTING IN MICHIGAN

## Know Your Rights At The Polls

### >> YOU DON'T NEED A PHOTO I.D. TO VOTE IN MICH!

If you don't have ID with you when you go to the polls, you can still vote and your vote will count. All you have to do is sign a form stating that you don't have ID with you.

Every Michigan voter who would like to vote in person has a choice to show their ID or sign an affidavit form stating that they don't have an ID with them.

### IF YOU CHOOSE TO VOTE BY SHOWING YOUR ID, YOU CAN PRESENT THE FOLLOWING:

- A driver's license or personal identification card issued by any state;
- Federal or state government-issued photo identification;
- U.S. passport;
- Military identification card with photo;
- Student identification with photo from a high school or college;
- Tribal identification card with photo; or

**IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A PHOTO ID OR DID NOT BRING ONE TO THE POLLS, TELL THE POLL WORKER THAT YOU WANT TO SIGN THE AFFIDAVIT AND VOTE.**

### >> WHO CAN VOTE?

You can vote if:

- You are a citizen of the United States;
- You are at least 18 years old on or before election day;
- You are not serving a sentence in jail or prison on election day. Ex-felons can vote in Michigan;
- You are registered to vote in Michigan at least 30 days before the election.

**IF YOU DO NOT KNOW WHERE TO VOTE, CALL 888-767-6424 OR  
GO TO [WWW.MICHIGAN.GOV/VOTE](http://WWW.MICHIGAN.GOV/VOTE)**

### >> IMPORTANT ELECTION DATES

- 8/5/08** Congressional and State House Primary Elections
- 9/25/08** First Day to Request Absentee Ballot From Clerk's Office
- 10/6/08** Voter Registration Deadline for Nov. 4 General Election
- 11/1/08** Deadline for Absentee Ballot Request
- 11/4/08** General Election Day

**ON ELECTION DAY, POLLS OPEN FROM 7:00 A.M. – 8:00 P.M.**



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