

FAQs re VOTING

1. REGISTRATION

If you have moved you must change your address and re-register to vote before Oct. 9, 2020. Registration forms can be requested from the Board of Elections website (<https://tompkinscountyny.gov/boe>). They need to be mailed or hand delivered to the Board of Elections office at 128 E. Buffalo St. Ithaca. (You cannot register to vote via email or fax). You will need to know your NY State Driver License number or the last four digits of your Social Security number.

To check that you are registered correctly, you may go online to [Vote.org](https://www.vote.org).

2. ABSENTEE BALLOTS

Governor Cuomo has signed legislation allowing all voters concerned about Covid-19 to check “Temporary Illness” as the cause.

Forms to Request an Absentee Ballot can be found the Board of Elections website (<https://tompkinscountyny.gov/boe>). They should be mailed or taken as soon as possible to the Board of Elections office. Ballots will be sent out by October 2, 2020 to all who request one. If you don't get your ballot, call 274-5522. Be sure to fill out your ballot immediately, *sign the envelope (so your signature can be compared with your registration)*, and mail it or take it to the Board of Elections.

3. EARLY VOTING

The two locations for early voting are the Town Hall at 215 N Tioga St (downtown) or Crash Fire Rescue (C.F.R.) at 72 Brown Rd (by the airport).

Early Voting will be held from Saturday, October 24 to Sunday, November 1. The dates and hours are posted on the Board of Elections web site.

4. IN PERSON VOTING ON NOVEMBER 3rd

The polls are open from 6:00 am-9:00 pm, Tuesday, November 3, 2020.

