

Know your voting rights

We are

Mid-Minnesota Legal Aid's Protection & Advocacy agency (P&A) for people with disabilities in Minnesota.

We help with

Access and discrimination

Community services integration

Employment

Representative payee

Education

Voting rights

Bring this with you election day. Exercise your rights!

Why vote?

Voting gives you a voice in your community

Need help voting?

Contact:

Minnesota Disability Law Center

1-800-262-4150

Minnesota Secretary of State

1-877-600-8683

Your County Elections Office

sos.state.mn.us

Problems Voting or Registering?

Vote helpline: 1-855-436-3940

Voting Laws

Right to vote: People with disabilities have a right to vote.

Americans with Disabilities Act, 42 U.S.C. § 12132

Getting help: People who need help voting can get help from anyone they want (but not the voter's employer or union officer/agent)

Voting Rights Act, 42 U.S.C. §§ 1973aa-6

Accessibility: Polling places for federal elections must be accessible.

Voting Accessibility for the Elderly and Handicapped Act, 42 U.S.C. §§ 1973ee

Guardianship: People under guardianship have a right to vote, unless the court says otherwise

Minn. Stat. § 204C.08(2023)

Voting Must-Knows

2024 Election Dates

Election day

Tuesday

Nov. 5

Vote early

Sept. 20 – Nov. 4

Can I register to vote?

Yes, if...

You are a United States Citizen

You are a Minnesota resident

You are 18 or older

A court has not removed your voting rights

You are not currently incarcerated for a felony

How do I vote?

- 1) Early by mail
- 2) Early in person
- 3) 3) Election day at polls

Request an absentee ballot if voting early!

How do I register?

- 1) Online
- 2) Paper form
- 3) Election day at polls