2024 Presidential Election Information

Mark Your Calendar: **Primary Election Day - Tuesday, May 14, 2024**
General Election Day - Tuesday, November 5, 2024

Election Day Voting Hours 7 AM – 8 PM

Important Dates and Deadlines

Presidential Primary Dates:
Candidate Filing Begins - Thursday, January 19, 2023
Candidate Filing Ends - Friday, February 9, 2024, by 9:00 pm
Voter Registration deadline - Tuesday, April 23, 2024, by 5:00 pm in office or 11:59 pm online
Mail In Ballot/ABS deadline by mail - Tuesday, May 7, 2024, by 8:00 pm by mail or 11:59 pm by fax/email
Mail In Ballot/ABS deadline by internet - Friday, May 10, 2024, by 5:00 pm by mail or 11:59 pm by fax/email
Voter Registration reopens - Monday, May 27, 2024

Presidential General Dates:
Voter Registration deadline - Tuesday, October 15, 2024, by 5:00 pm In office or 11:59 pm online
Mail In Ballot/ABS deadline by mail - Tuesday, October 29, 2024, by 8:00 pm by mail or 11:59 pm by fax/email
Mail In Ballot/ABS deadline by internet - Friday, November 1, 2024, by 5:00 pm by mail or 11:59 pm fax/email
Voter Registration reopens - November 18, 2024

Online Voter Services
Register to vote, update voter registration information, request a mail-in ballot and
check your polling place location-line at www.elections.maryland.gov

Cell Phone Text Features
Text **VOTE** to 77788 and a link will be sent to register to vote and/or update your voter registration.
Text **VBM** to 77788 and a link will be sent to request a mail-in ballot application online.

Mail-In/Absentee Voting
Important Note: A recent change in the law requires the State Board of Elections and each local board of elections to refer to absentee ballots as "mail-in ballots" and absentee voting as "mail-in voting." Please note that this change in terminology does NOT change the process of mail-in voting.

To request a mail-in ballot use the online voter services and cell phone text features listed above or call or visit our office.

New: You may request to be a permanent mail-in voter. Complete the oval on the mail-in application to receive mail-in ballots for all future elections.

Questions please contact:
St. Mary's County Board of Elections
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Phone: 301-475-4200 Ext 1625 Fax: 301-475-4077
Email: elections@stmaryscountymd.gov
https://www.stmarysmd.com/supervisorofelections/

St. Mary's County has THREE Early Voting Centers:

**Hollywood Firehouse
24801 Three Notch Road
Hollywood, MD 20636**

**Bay District Firehouse
46900 S. Shangri-La Drive
Lexington Park, MD 20653**

**Mechanicsville Firehouse
28165 Hills Club Road
Mechanicsville, MD 20659**

St. Mary's County will have 7 Ballot Drop Box locations. All drop box locations will be open and operational 24/7 until 8:00 pm on Election Night. The delivery dates will be posted on our website later. The locations are:

- **Board of Elec Ofc:**
  23250 Hollywood Rd. Leonardtown, MD 20650
- **Hollywood Firehouse:**
  24801 Three Notch Rd. Hollywood, MD 20636
- **Great Mills HS:**
  21130 Great Mills Rd. Great Mills, MD 20634
- **Bay District Firehouse:**
  46900 S. Shangri-La Dr. Lexington Park, MD 20653

- **Valley Lee Firehouse:**
  45245 Drayden Rd. Valley Lee, MD
- **Mechanicsville Firehouse:**
  28165 Hills Club Rd. Mechanicsville, MD 20659
- **Spring Ridge Middle Sch:**
  19856 Three Notch Rd. Lexington Park, MD 20653
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