

GRACE PERIOD VOTER REGISTRATION

WHAT IS GRACE PERIOD REGISTRATION?

Although the traditional voter registration period closes 28 days prior to an election, McHenry County residents may register, during the grace period, in-person at the McHenry County Clerk's office, 667 Ware Rd., Room 107, Woodstock, IL. The grace period for voter registration is the 27th to the 7th day, prior to the election.

CAN I CHANGE MY REGISTRATION ADDRESS DURING GRACE PERIOD?

Yes. A registered voter may submit a change of address form, in person, in the County Clerk's office.

WHAT DO I NEED TO KNOW TO REGISTER?

The requirements are: U.S. citizenship; at least 18 years of age by Election Day; and a resident of the precinct at least 30 days prior to the Election.

Two (2) forms of identification are required. Both must have the registrant's current name and one (1) must have the current address.

WHERE CAN I CHECK TO SEE IF I AM REGISTERED?

McHenry County residents can check with the McHenry County Clerk's Office 815-334-4242 or any Illinois resident can go online at www.elections.il.gov. Go to "Voting and Elections" and then click "Am I registered" at the top of the page. Follow the prompts.

CAN PEOPLE WHO REGISTER DURING THIS PERIOD VOTE ON ELECTION DAY?

No. They must vote in the County Clerk's office, at the time they register. People who register during the grace period do not go to their polling place on Election Day, nor are they allowed to vote at Early Voting Centers.