

Vote by Mail Instructions

1. Mark Your Ballot

Mark your choice by filling in the oval, preferably in black ink.

FOR WRITE-IN VOTES, REMEMBER TO FILL IN THE OVAL.

IF YOU MAKE AN ERROR PLEASE RETURN YOUR BALLOT TO THE ELECTION OFFICAL AND REQUEST A NEW BALLOT.

CALL 617-796-1350 FOR ASSISTANCE.



2. Return Your Ballot

Put your ballot in the brown envelope, **sign and date it**, then seal the envelope.

If multiple people in your household are voting, make sure you sign the correct envelope.

Ballots not signed or signed incorrectly, will be spoiled and a new one will be mailed to you.

3. Due Date

The return envelope that comes with your ballot is already addressed to your local election office and has prepaid postage.

You can return your ballot in person at the City Clerk's office or drop it off in the secure drop-box outside City Hall.

Ballots dropped off in person or at the drop-box must be in by **8 p.m. on November 5, 2024**, to be counted. Mailed ballots need to be **postmarked by November 5, 2024, and received by 5 p.m. on November 8, 2024, to be counted.**

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts
EARLY BALLOT ENVELOPE

Under the penalties of perjury, I swear (or affirm) that I am a registered voter in Massachusetts at the address below, that I will not cast a ballot in any other city or town or voting location, and that the information below is true.

VOTER SIGN HERE

1. _____
Voter's signature

2. _____
Voter's printed name

3. _____
Home address (where registered)

ASSISTING PERSON
Complete and sign below

Under the penalties of perjury, I swear (or affirm) that the voter needed assistance in marking the ballot and signing above because of physical disability, inability to read, or inability to read English. The voter swore (or affirmed) the voter affidavit and I then signed the voter's name above.

REMINDER: Sign voter's name at #1

4. _____
Reason for assistance

5. _____
Assisting person's signature

6. _____
Assisting person's printed name

PENALTY FOR ILLEGAL VOTING:
The penalty for voting or attempting to vote in violation of section 26 of chapter 56 of the Massachusetts General Laws is a fine of not more than ten thousand dollars, imprisonment for not more than five years, or both.

For Election Official Use Only

Ward / Precinct: _____

Ballot enclosed (for **Primary** only):

Democratic Republican _____