Acceptable IDs for South Carolina Voters

SC issued Driver's License SC issued State ID card SC Voters Registration Card (Make sure your card is signed before entering your polling place.)

Poll Managers will ask if your address is correct and current. If the poll manager believes there is any possible discrepancy – for example, the name or the address does not match the voter registration list, the voter had been issued an absentee ballot, etc. - then the poll manager may challenge the voter's eligibility to vote on the machine. The poll manager may request that the voter vote on a provisional ballot.

Provisional (challenged) Ballots allow voters with any discrepancy to vote on Election Day.



Voter should plan to attend a challenged ballot hearing, on Friday, November 9, 2012 at 10 am, at the Charleston County Board of Elections, 4367 Headquarters Road off of Leeds Avenue and behind the BI-LO (4391 Dorchester Rd, North Charleston, SC 29405) and bring information as requested by the Poll Manager.

Individuals who did not register to vote in person at the Voter Registration Office should plan to provide one of the following documents which show their current name <u>and</u> address, such as:

Driver's License State ID card Passport

- Utility Bill
- Bank Statement
- Paycheck
- Social Security award letter
- VA benefits letter
- Food stamp award letter

Failsafe Voting allows voters who have moved to go to their old precinct to vote.

You must go to your old precinct where your name shows up on the registration list. You will be allowed to vote a provisional failsafe (limited) ballot if you fall into one of the following categories:

- moved from one address to another within the same precinct.
 - Vote on the machine after completing a change of address form.
- moved from one precinct to another within the same county.
 - Go to previous polling place and vote a limited, failsafe ballot containing only federal, statewide, and countywide offices. The voter's updated address is recorded on **failsafe ballot envelope**.
- OR
 Go to voter registration office, complete a change of address form, and vote a full ballot.
- moved from one SC county to another county within 30 days of an election.
 - Go to polling place in previous county of residence and vote a limited, failsafe ballot containing only federal, statewide, and countywide offices. The voter's updated address is recorded on **failsafe ballot envelope**.
- OR Go to voter registration office in current county of residence, complete a change of address form, and vote a full ballot.
- moved from another state to SC after the October 6, 2012 voter registration deadline in <u>a Presidential election year.</u>
 - The voter should contact the appropriate absentee voting office in his previous state and county of residence.

Questions??? Contact:

Berkeley County, (843) 719-4056 - 6 Belt Drive, Moncks Corner SC 29461 Charleston County, (843) 744-8683 - 4367 Headquarters Road, Charleston, SC 29405 Dorchester County, (843) 563-0132 - 201 Johnston Street, St. George, SC 29477

For more information about provisional and failsafe voting, please visit <u>http://www.scvotes.org/south_carolina_voting_information_page</u>

Be prepared to vote on Election Day, Tuesday, November 6, 2012 from 7 am – 7 pm

- Find your precinct
- Learn about absentee voting
- Find your polling place
 - Berkeley County, Charleston County, Dorchester County
- Learn how to vote
 - Brochure (<u>English</u>, <u>Spanish</u>)
 - Watch a video that shows you how to use the machine
 - Practice using the voting machine online