Conducting a Voter Registration Drive in Kansas

**Voter Registration Deadline**

Applications must be received or postmarked by 21 days before Election Day.

A specific turnaround time applies to voter registration drives turning in applications they collect. See below.

### Getting Started

**Training Requirement:** Kansas does not require training for registration drives.

**Notification and Registration Requirements:** Kansas does not have notification requirements for registration drives. Groups that requests more than 25 voter registration forms from election officials must specify who will distribute the forms, the plan for distribution, and the reason for the number of forms being requested.

**Compensation Restrictions:** Do not pay registration drive participants based on how many registrations they collect.

### Handling Applications

**Incomplete Applications:** There is no law or administrative rule prohibiting a voter registration drive volunteer or organizer from filling in missing information on an application. Do not fill in any missing information on a registration form unless you have permission from the applicant. The state requests that all unused forms be returned to the office at which they were obtained.

**Photocopying Completed Applications:** There is no law or rule prohibiting photocopying or retaining information from completed registration applications. As a best practice, a voter's full or partial Social Security number and/or driver's license number should not be retained.

**Submitting Completed Applications:** The state voter registration application can be mailed, faxed, or scanned and emailed to the county election office for the voter’s county of residence. Mailing addresses, fax numbers, and email addresses are available at the Secretary of State’s website.

Voter registration applications can also be mailed to the following address: Secretary of State, Memorial Hall, 1st Floor, 120 SW 10th Ave., Topeka, KS, 66612-1594.

Completed applications must be sent as soon as they are completed or by the registration deadline.

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