

Conducting a Voter Registration Drive in Oklahoma

Voter Registration Deadline

Postmarked 25 days before Election Day

Getting Started

Training Requirement: Oklahoma does not require training for registration drives.

Notification and Registration Requirements:

Oklahoma does not have notification requirements for registration drives.

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

Obtaining Applications

State Form: The state mail-in voter registration application can be downloaded from the Oklahoma State Elections Board.

Anyone in need of registration forms for a voter registration drive should contact Misha Mohr, the Public Information Officer at the State Board of Elections either by phone (405-522-6624) or by email (mmohr@elections.ok.gov). Maximum quantities range from 250 to 2,000 forms at a time (depending on county population). Up to 5,000 may be requested at a time from the State Election Board. Multiple requests within a 30 day period must include a written statement that all previously received forms have been distributed.

Federal Form: The <u>federal mail-in voter registration</u> <u>application</u> may be used in voter registration drives.

Photocopying Blank Forms: Blank applications may be photocopied and used in voter registration drives.

Handling Applications

Incomplete Applications: The State Election Board states that voter registration organizations should not fill in missing information. The Board will contact voters directly to obtain missing information from any registration forms.

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: All registration applications collected as part of a voter registration drive (whether the federal form or the state form is used) must be received by the <u>SEB</u>, any <u>county election board</u>, or <u>agency designated to accept applications</u>, by the voter registration deadline.

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