



FREE TO THE PEOPLE

## Voting Resources

*Below is a list of online resources for local, regional and national voting information (updated 9/30/2020):*

### Pittsburgh Resources:

- [The Black Political Empowerment Project \(B-PEP\)](#) – B-PEP’s mission is to ensure that the Pittsburgh African-American community votes in every single election. B-PEP relies on the dedication of agencies, organizations, religious leaders, and committed individuals who donate incredible amounts of hours to uplift our communities and provide a sense of purpose.
- [League of Women Voters of Greater Pittsburgh](#) - A nonpartisan political organization, encourages informed and active participation in government, works to increase understanding of major public policy issues, and influences public policy through education and advocacy.
  - [Vote411](#) - Created by League of Women Voters, this site lets you register to vote, check your status, see what's on the ballot and more!
  - [Voter's Guide](#) - Contains non-partisan voter information on each of the candidates from the 2020 Primary Election (originally published in the Pittsburgh Courier).
- [PUMP \(Voter Resources\)](#) - PUMP’s mission is to make Pittsburgh the most dynamic and diverse place by engaging, educating, and mobilizing all young people to create change in our community. Each year, they serve nearly 30,000 individuals, primarily under the age of 40, through their programming.

### Pennsylvania Resources:

- [Allegheny Votes](#) / [Votes PA](#) - These sites take you to the county and state pages that provide up-to-date voting information.
- [Draw the Lines PA](#) - A statewide civic education and engagement initiative for Pennsylvanians to draw election maps. It is led by three regional steering committees, which work with DTL’s parent organization, the Committee of Seventy. Seventy is a Philadelphia-based good-government group.
- [Elections Division - Allegheny County](#) - The mission of the Elections Division is to provide free, open and efficient election services to the citizens of Allegheny County.
- [Fair Districts PA](#) - A nonpartisan, statewide coalition of organizations and individuals working to create a process for redistricting that is transparent, impartial, and fair.
- [ACLU Pennsylvania](#) / [Know Your Rights \(ACLU\)](#) - A nonprofit, nonpartisan, membership organization dedicated to defending and expanding individual rights and personal freedoms throughout the entire state of Pennsylvania. Through advocacy, public education and litigation, our staff and volunteers work to preserve and enhance liberties grounded in the United States and Pennsylvania constitutions and civil rights laws.

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## National Resources:

- [National Voter Registration Day](#) - A nonpartisan civic holiday celebrating our democracy. First observed in 2012, it has quickly gained momentum ever since. Nearly 3 million voters have registered to vote on the holiday to date. Celebrated on the fourth Tuesday of September, National Voter Registration Day will next take place on September 22, 2020. The holiday has been endorsed by the National Association of Secretaries of State (NASS), the National Association of State Election Directors (NASED), the U.S. Election Assistance Commission (EAC), and the National Association of Election Officials (The Election Center).
- [U.S. Election Assistance Commission \(EAC\)](#) - EAC is an independent, bipartisan commission charged with developing guidance to meet the Help America Vote Act of 2002 (HAVA) requirements, adopting voluntary voting system guidelines, and serving as a national clearinghouse of information on election administration. EAC also accredits testing laboratories and certifies voting systems, as well as audits the use of HAVA funds.
- [USAGov](#) - USAGov's mission is to make it easier for everyone to find and understand the government services and information they need—anytime, anywhere, any way they want.
- [When We All Vote](#) - A non-profit, nonpartisan organization that is on a mission to increase participation in every election and close the race and age voting gap by changing the culture around voting, harnessing grassroots energy, and through strategic partnerships to reach every American.