



As survivors, we are entitled to vote without sacrificing our safety. Our voices will be heard, our stories will not be ignored, and our votes will be counted.

If you are a survivor of domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking, or human trafficking the **Michigan Address Confidentiality Program (ACP)** can help you protect your privacy and exercise your right to vote safely.

WHAT IS AN ADDRESS CONFIDENTIALITY PROGRAM (ACP)?

Address Confidentiality Programs (ACP) protect survivors and their families from harmful individuals by providing a legal substitute address to use instead of their existing address.

ACP addresses are NOT public record and may be used for court and government records (e.g., driver's licenses; voter registration; etc.). The ACP forwards all first-class, registered, and certified mail to a survivor's real address, free of charge.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

- + Anyone who is at least 18 years old, an emancipated minor, or a parent / guardian on behalf of a minor or incapacitated person who is:
 - + A survivor of domestic violence, stalking, sexual assault, human trafficking, or an individual at risk of being threatened or physically harmed.
 - + Planning to move.
 - + Not listed in the Sex Offender Registry.

MCL - Act 301 of 2020 Address Confidentiality Program

HOW DO I ENROLL?

Enrollment is free and can be completed by:

1. Contact an Application Assistant or Victim Advocate at **313-456-0190**. They will help you complete your application.
2. Go to **MILogin**, the State of Michigan's online app for state services.
 - a. If you don't have an account, **create a new one here**. Please use a new email address to help protect your information.
3. Apply using the Address Confidentiality Program link on the MILogin home page. **Follow these instructions** to apply.
 - a. A notarized statement must be included with your ACP application. **Learn more on p.3 here**.
 - b. Providing a driver's license / state ID number and the last 4-digits of your Social Security is suggested but optional.
4. Once approved, you will be mailed your designated address and ACP Participant ID card which will provide official notice to state and local government agencies when registering to vote.

WHO HAS MY ACTUAL ADDRESS?

The Michigan Department of Attorney General.

PROTECT YOUR PRIVACY. CAST YOUR VOTE FOR SURVIVORS EVERYWHERE.



VOTING AND THE MICHIGAN ADDRESS CONFIDENTIALITY PROGRAM (ACP)

HOW WOULD I REGISTER TO VOTE OR UPDATE MY VOTER REGISTRATION INFORMATION?

If you have never been issued an MI driver's license or state ID Complete the ACP Voter Registration form or ACP Absentee Voter Registration Form.

1. Download the [Voter Registration form here](#) or the [Absentee Voter Registration Form here](#).
 - a. Please print all information using a black or blue pen.
2. Sign the form.
 - a. If you did not submit this form with your ACP application, mail or drop off the form to your city/township clerk.

If you want to register in person you must be in line to vote with your ACP Voter form before 8 p.m. on Election Day at your local clerk's office.

If you have a Michigan driver's license or state ID You can register to vote online up to 2-weeks before Election Day.

1. Use your ACP participant ID, ACP address, and driver's license or state ID number to register to vote online at Michigan.gov/Vote.
2. Request your online absentee ballot up to 14 days before an election to avoid delays.

HOW WILL MY INFORMATION SHOW UP IN A FUTURE VOTER REGISTRATION SEARCH?

As an ACP program participant, your voter registration information will be kept confidential and not included on any public lists. (*Freedom of Information Act, 1976 PA 442, MCL 15.231 to 15.246*).

WHAT HAPPENS IF MY PREVIOUS REGISTRATION HAS OR MAY HAVE BEEN POSTED ONLINE?

The Board of Elections can only protect voter registration you establish as a confidential voter. Your previous registrations cannot be removed from the registry.

HOW WOULD I CAST MY BALLOT AND KEEP MY INFORMATION CONFIDENTIAL?

ACP participants may vote absentee or in person. [For more information go to p.18 here.](#)

Absentee:

- + **Designated drop box:** Return your absentee ballot to a secured absentee ballot drop box in your city or township by 8 p.m. on Election Day.
- + **At your local clerk's office:** Return your absentee ballot by hand to your local clerk's office. It must be returned by 8 p.m. on Election Day. Check your clerk's office website for their office hours.
- + **By mail:** To avoid potential mailing delays, it is strongly recommended that you mail your absentee ballot up to 14 days before Election Day.

In-person:

- + Use your ACP ID and substitute address to complete a ballot at your designated polling place on Election Day (7a-8p). You will be asked to show a form of ID when you check in to vote. If you don't have one, you can still vote. A poll worker should ask you to sign an affidavit before you vote.

WHO DO I CONTACT WITH QUESTIONS?

For questions about the ACP:

- + **Phone:** 800-968-2644 OR 517-241-9700 (8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., M-F, except holidays)
- + **Email:** AG-ACP@michigan.gov.

For questions about ACP voting, contact the Secretary of State's Office:

- + [Click here for all contact options.](#)