

2022 ELECTION INFORMATION

BRIDGEWATER TOWNSHIP, SOMERSET COUNTY

IMPORTANT DATES:

PRIMARY ELECTION - June 7, 2022

GENERAL ELECTION - November 8, 2022

VOTER REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS:

- ✓ A United States citizen
- ✓ At least 17 years old, though you may not vote until you have reached the age of 18
- ✓ A resident of Somerset County for 30 days before the election
- ✓ A person not serving a sentence of incarceration as the result of a conviction of any indictable offense under the laws of this or another state or of the United States.

The registrant must complete a Voter Registration Application then mail/deliver the form to the Somerset County Commissioner of Registration at 30 Grove Street, P.O. Box 3000, Somerville, NJ 08876. **You may also register to vote online using the NJ Voter Registration website.**

The Voter Registration Deadline is 21 days before the election. The 2022 Registration deadlines are as follows:

Primary Election - May 17, 2022

General Election - October 11, 2022

[Click Here](#) to download a copy of the Voter Registration Application.

[Click Here](#) to vote online using the NJ Voter Registration Website.

[Click Here](#) to check your Voter Registration Status

You are **NOT** eligible to register to vote if:

- ✗ You are serving a sentence of incarceration as a result of a conviction of an indictable offense under the laws of this or another state or of the United States.

DEADLINE TO DECLARE PARTY AFFILIATION:

A registered voter currently affiliated with a political party who wishes to change their party affiliation must file a Political Party Affiliation Declaration Form **55 days before a Primary Election**. A registered voter currently not affiliated with a political party may declare their party affiliation up to and including Primary Election day.

You can print and complete the Political Party Affiliation Declaration Form and mail or deliver to the Somerset County Commissioner of Registration at 30 Grove Street, P.O. Box 3000, Somerville, NJ 08876. The Commissioner of Registration cannot accept faxed copies or an electronic transmission of Party Affiliation Declaration Forms, since an original signature is required.

Wednesday, April 13th is the last day to declare/change party affiliation

[Click Here](#) for a copy of the Political Party Affiliation Declaration Form

NOMINATING PETITIONS: MUNICIPAL OFFICES & COUNTY COMMITTEE

- ⇒ Nominating petitions for County & Municipal Offices for the **Primary Election** must be filed by 4PM on Monday, April 4, 2022
 - ⇒ [Click Here](#) to download a copy of the Nominating Petition for Primary Election

- ⇒ Nominating petitions for County & Municipal Offices for the **General Election** must be filed by 4PM on Tuesday, June 7, 2022
 - ⇒ [Click Here](#) to download a copy of the Nominating Petition for General Election

- ⇒ Nominating petitions for the **School Board Election** must be filed with the County Clerk at 30 Grove Street, Somerville, NJ 08876 by 4PM on Monday, July 25, 2022
 - ⇒ [Click Here](#) to download a copy of the Nominating Petition for November School Election

[Click Here](#) for Additional Signature page for Petitions

- For Municipal Offices, the minimum number of signatures varies by Municipality and Party. To view the minimum number or signatures required for petitions, [Click Here](#)

- For County Committee, the minimum number of signatures varies by Election District and Party. To view the number of signatures required for petitions, [Click Here](#)

County Candidates (Primary Election) - File with the County Clerk at 30 Grove Street, Somerville, NJ 08876

Municipal Candidates (Primary Election) - File with the Municipal Clerk at 100 Commons Way, Bridgewater, NJ 08807

Independent Candidates (General Election) - File with the County Clerk at 30 Grove Street, Somerville, NJ 08876