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REGISTRATION DEADLINE

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WHY REGISTER TO VOTE?

Voting is the cornerstone of our democratic government. Right now, we are facing difficult problems and there are lots of different ideas about how to solve those problems. The leaders we elect and plans we make now will affect our country for years to come, and voting is your chance to have a part in that debate. Your vote is needed, your participation is vital.

And it's easy to do.

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WHERE CAN I REGISTER TO VOTE?

At any of six county buildings:

- Downtown Chicago, 118 N. Clark St., Room 402
- ■ⁱBridgeview Civic Center, 10220 S. 76th Ave.
- Markham Civic Center, 16501 S. Kedzie Ave.
- Maywood Civic Center, 1311 Maybrook Dr., Whitcomb Bldg., Rm.109
- Rolling Meadows Civic Center, 2121 Euclid Ave.
- Skokie Civic Center, 5600 W. Old Orchard Rd., Rm. 149,

9:00am to 5:00pm weekdays,

9:00am to 12:00pm on Saturday.

or,

- At your village or township hall.
- At any driver's license facility.
- At many public libraries (call first).
- Call (312) 443-5150 for more information.



David Orr with Voter Registration Campaign Spokesman, Jim Harbaugh, Chicago Bears' Quarterback.

SPECIAL VOTER REGISTRATION

PROGRAMS OF THE CLERK'S OFFICE:

- Jewel, Dominick's and Omni grocery stores in Chicago and Cook County will offer registration on a date near Labor Day (Look for information in your local store).
- McDonald's restaurants throughout Chicagoland will offer registration on the weekend of October 3-4.
- World Music Theater in Tinley Park will have registrars at all summer concerts.
- WXRT and WCKG radio stations will offer registration at concerts and public events which they sponsor.
- Summer festivals in your village or city may provide registration opportunities.
- Many corporations and unions are registering employees at the worksite.
- High School and College Campus registration drives.

WHAT IDENTIFICATION DO I NEED TO REGISTER?

You must show two pieces of identification with your name on them. At least one must show your address. Photo Id's are not required. For instance, you might show a student ID and a piece of mail with your current address.

WHEN DO I NEED TO REGISTER?

DO I NEED TO REGISTER AGAIN?

Your previous registration is still valid unless you move, change your name, or fail to vote for 4 consecutive years. If you've moved from one Cook County suburb to another, simply send in your old registration card with your name and current address. Otherwise, you can register at one of the locations previously mentioned in this brochure.

NATURALIZED CITIZENS

Naturalized citizens need to know the date and place at which they were granted citizenship.

NOTE: Natives of Puerto Rico, Guam and the Virgin Islands are U.S. citizens by birth and automatically eligible to register and vote.

DISABLED VOTERS

If you are disabled, you may contact The County Clerk's Office to arrange for registration in your home. The Clerk's Office will make absentee ballots available if you are unable to get to the polling place.

NEXT ELECTION

VOTE: November 3, 1992 6:00 am through 7:00 pm

Voters will select a U.S. President, a U. S. Senator, 20 U. S. Representatives, 59 State Senators, 118 State Representatives, 3 Water Reclamation District Commissioners, the State's Attorney, the Recorder of Deeds, the Clerk of the Circuit Court, an Illinois Supreme Court Judge, 3 Appellate Court Judges, and 55 Circuit Court Judges.

WHERE DO I VOTE?

- You must vote in your polling place, which is located in your neighborhood.
- Suburban Residents can find polling places by calling (312) 443-7573.
- City residents call (312) 269-7900.

WHAT IF I CAN'T MAKE IT TO THE POLLS?

Voters unable to reach the polling place may vote by "absentee ballot." Valid reasons to vote "absentee" include:

- being out of the county on election day.
- serving as an election judge.
- being physically unable to reach polling place.
- observing a religious holiday which prevents going to the polls.
- serving in the military.



Dear Voter,

When I became the Cook County Clerk in December 1990, I began an intensive voter registration program. I believe many citizens who want to vote, to have a say in the direction of our country and community, are frustrated. Many don't know how to register—or where they can go. We're working hard to remove those obstacles, and replace them with common-sense programs that make it easier to register and vote.

> Sincerely, David D. Orr

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CALL:

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Voter Registration Absentee Ballots Polling Places TDD Disabled Voters (312) 443-5150
(312) 443-5165
(312) 443-7573
(312) 443-6434
(312) 443-5163

City of Chicago Board of Elections

(312) 269-7900

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