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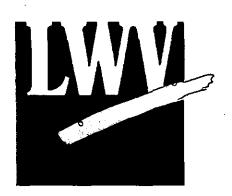
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## Voter Rules



and Responsibilities

### HOW TO QUALIFY TO VOTE

#### You must:

- Register to vote.
- Be 18 years of age on or before the date of the next general election following the date of registration.
- Be a citizen of the United States.
- Have your primary place of residence in the county in which you are registered.
- Not have been convicted more than once of a felony crime.
- Not have been judged mentally incompetent or placed under guardianship by the court.

#### VOTER RESPONSIBILITIES

- To ask questions and seek information on the issues.
- To study candidates' positions on issues.
- To know the exact location of your precinct's voting place.
- VOTE

#### VOTER RESOURCES

- Newsletters, newspaper articles, radio and TV discussions, and debates
- LWV Voter's Guide
- The LWVMC web site at www.lwvmd.org/mont
- www.dnet.org

To obtain a Voter Registration Application (VRA), you may call the Montgomery County Board of Elections 24-hour Voter Information Line at 240-777-8683.

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Deadline for change of party affiliation	June 17, 2002 Monday, 9 p.m.
Deadline for registration prior to Primary Election	August 20, 2002 Tuesday, 9 p.m.
Deadline for receipt of absentee ballot applications for the Primary Election	September 3, 2002 Tuesday, 4:30 p.m. or before midnight if by fax
Primary Election	September 10, 2002 Tuesday
Registration reopens after Primary Election	September 23, 2002 Monday
Deadline for registration prior to General Election	October 15, 2002 Tuesday, 9 p.m.
Deadline for receipt of absentee ballot applications for the General Election	October 29, 2002 Tuesday, 4:30 p.m. or before midnight if by fax
General Election	November 5, 2002 Tuesday
Registration reopens after General Election	November 18, 2002 Monday

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