

KNOW YOUR RIGHTS | USE 866-OUR-VOTE TO PROTECT THE NATIVE VOTE!



Help the Native American Rights Fund (NARF) and Election Protection (EP) fight Native American and Alaska Native voter suppression by standing up for your rights! If something or someone is preventing you from voting, or you have a question or need assistance with any aspect of voting, call the nonpartisan Election Protection hotline at 866-OUR-VOTE (866-687-8683) and a volunteer will assist you. When you leave your number, a NARF voting rights attorney can call you back to provide further assistance. **NOTE: If you are Native, make sure to tell the operator that you are calling about a Native voting issue.**

WHEN TO CALL

YOU ARE TOLD YOU CAN'T VOTE BECAUSE YOU DON'T HAVE APPROPRIATE ID:

Sometimes election workers improperly deny voters who try to use their tribal IDs. Sometimes election workers are required to let you fill out an affidavit if you don't have an appropriate ID. Don't leave without casting a ballot until you call 866-OUR-VOTE and talk with EP or someone at NARF about your rights! **Note:** tribal IDs are not an acceptable form of ID in all states.

YOU ASK FOR A PROVISIONAL BALLOT BUT ARE REFUSED ONE:

If an election worker says you can't vote because of a problem with your registration, ID, or any other issue, ask to cast a provisional ballot. Don't leave without voting until you talk with EP or someone at NARF about your rights!

LOCAL POLICE OR OTHER PEOPLE ARE INTIMIDATING YOU OR OTHERS:

Voter intimidation is illegal. If someone is making you or members of your community feel uncomfortable or fearful casting your vote, call 866-OUR-VOTE so NARF or EP can help mobilize a response!

THE POLLING PLACE WHERE YOU GO TO VOTE IS UNEXPECTEDLY CLOSED:

Sometimes polling places are unexpectedly closed. Election officials may say the closure is due to weather or staffing or something else. You still deserve to cast a ballot! Call 866-OUR-VOTE so NARF or EP can help mobilize a response!

YOU HAVE A DISABILITY OR DON'T SPEAK ENGLISH BUT CAN'T BRING A HELPER:

If you need assistance filling out your ballot, federal law says you are entitled to bring someone with you to help. People who are entitled to bring help include people with disabilities and people who don't read or speak English. If you are denied access to assistance casting your ballot, don't leave until you talk with EP or someone at NARF about your rights!

YOUR JURISDICTION DOESN'T PROVIDE REQUIRED LANGUAGE ASSISTANCE:

In AK, AZ, MI, WI, ID, NV, and TX, certain jurisdictions are required to make elections accessible in one of several Native languages. This means that election information must be translated into the covered Native language and that there should be bilingual election workers available to help Native language speakers understand the ballot and navigate the voting process. Covered languages include: Alabama-Coushatta, Aleut, Apache, Choctaw, Ho-Chunk, Hopi, Iñupiaq, Keres, Kickapoo, Navajo, Nez Perce, Paiute, Seminole, Shoshone, Tewa, Tiwa, and Towa, Ute, Yup'ik, Zuni. To learn where election information must be provided for Native language speakers visit: <https://bit.ly/3VftlY2> and call 866-OUR-VOTE if required language assistance isn't available.

**EVEN IF YOU AREN'T SURE YOUR RIGHTS HAVE BEEN VIOLATED, YOU CAN CALL 866-OUR-VOTE TO ASK ABOUT YOUR RIGHTS AND MAKE SURE TO TELL THE OPERATOR THAT YOU ARE CALLING ABOUT A NATIVE VOTING ISSUE!
VISIT VOTE.NARF.ORG FOR MORE INFORMATION.**

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