

## Acceptable forms of Voter ID

***Your ID does not need to  
show your current address.***

- ★ Wisconsin driver's license expiring no earlier than November 2, 2010
- ★ Wisconsin DOT-issued photo ID card expiring no earlier than November 2, 2010
- ★ U.S. passport expiring no earlier than November 2, 2010
- ★ Military ID card expiring no earlier than November 2, 2010
- ★ Certificate of naturalization issued within last two years
- ★ Unexpired Wisconsin driver's license or state ID receipt
- ★ ID card issued by a federally recognized Indian tribe in Wisconsin
- ★ Unexpired identification card issued by a Wisconsin accredited university or college—must contain issuance date, student signature, and expiration date within two years of issuance. Proof of current enrollment is also required.

**Madison City Clerk's Office**  
*We exist to assist.*

[voting@cityofmadison.com](mailto:voting@cityofmadison.com)

608-266-4601

210 Martin Luther King Jr Blvd #103  
Madison, WI 53703

Hours:  
8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

[www.cityofmadison.com/election](http://www.cityofmadison.com/election)

**Voter Public Access**  
<https://vpa.wi.gov>

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# Obtaining an Identification Card to Vote



Our goal is for all eligible voters  
to be able to cast a ballot and  
have that ballot counted.

## State ID available for free

If you are eligible to vote but do not have a Wisconsin identification card or Wisconsin driver's license, you are eligible to receive a **free** state ID.

You will need to check a box on the Division of Motor Vehicles (DMV) application to indicate that you need the ID for voting purposes.

For the shortest lines, visit the DMV mid-morning or mid-afternoon and try to avoid Mondays, Fridays, and the beginning and end of each month.

ID customers are given priority service at the DMV. Although wait times vary by location and day, the DMV reports that 70% of customers wait in line less than 20 minutes. Everyone who is in the office at closing time will be served.

## Documents needed for ID

You need to present the following types of documentation (list is not exhaustive):

- Proof of name and date of birth**, usually certified birth certificate and certified marriage certificate or judgment of divorce (name change)
- Proof of identity**, usually a Social Security card
- Proof of Wisconsin residency**, usually utility bill, cell phone bill, bank statement, pay stub or mortgage document
- Proof of U.S. Citizenship**
- Social Security number**

<http://www.dot.wisconsin.gov/drivers/drivers/apply/doc/index.htm>

## DMV locations and hours

### Madison East DMV service center

2001 Bartillon Drive  
8:30 – 4:30 Mondays, Tuesdays  
8 – 4 Wednesdays  
10 – 5:30 Thursdays  
8:30 – 4:30 Fridays  
Madison Metro bus route 6 via MATC.  
[www.mymetrobus.com](http://www.mymetrobus.com)

### Madison West DMV service center

4802 Sheboygan Avenue  
8:30 – 4:30 Mondays, Tuesdays  
10 – 5:30 Wednesdays  
8 – 4 Thursdays.  
8:30 – 4:30 Fridays  
Madison Metro bus routes 2, 14, and 15.  
[www.mymetrobus.com](http://www.mymetrobus.com)

### Madison Odana Renewal Center

6514 Odana Road, Suite 4  
License and ID card **renewals** only  
10 – 6 Tuesdays  
10:15 – 5:30 Wednesdays  
10 – 6 Thursdays and Fridays  
8 – 4 Saturdays.  
Madison Metro bus route 73.  
[www.mymetrobus.com](http://www.mymetrobus.com)

For more information, call 608-266-2353 or visit [www.dot.wisconsin.gov](http://www.dot.wisconsin.gov).

## Certified Birth Certificates

In order to obtain an ID card, you need to present a certified birth certificate or passport to the DMV (there is a fee required to obtain either one of these documents).

## Born in Dane County

See the Dane County Register of Deeds, 210 Martin Luther King Jr Blvd, room 110, with a \$20 fee and one of the following forms of identification:

- ✓ Wisconsin driver's license or Wisconsin ID card with photo or current college or high school identification card with photo
- ✓ Two documents with your name and address (utility bill, WI hunting or fishing license, government-issued photo ID badge, U.S. passport, check/bank book, health insurance card, recently signed & dated lease, traffic ticket)
- ✓ Family member/friend with photo ID who will corroborate for you

## Born in another Wisconsin county

See the Wisconsin Department of Health Services, 1 W. Wilson Street, room 158, with a \$20 fee and one of the following forms of identification:

- ✓ Wisconsin driver's license/photo ID or out-of-state license/photo ID
- ✓ Two documents with your name and address (government employee ID, United States passport, checkbook/bankbook, major credit card, health insurance card, recently dated and signed lease, utility bill, traffic ticket)

## Born out-of-state

For other states' vital record agencies: <http://www.cityofmadison.com/clerk/ObtainBirthCertificate.cfm>. If you do not have internet access, contact the City Clerk's Office at 608-266-4601.