



## 2020 “VoteTeen Virginia!” The York County Youth Commission (YCYC) Encourages YOU to Vote!

*Congratulations . . . you’re finally 18, or perhaps will be by Tuesday, November 3, 2020. At this milestone in your life YOU now get to have an equal say in how YOUR government works.*

*Now be sure to vote and make a difference!*

### ✓ So what’s so important about voting . . . why bother?

★**Every vote counts!** Some elections really DO come down to just a few votes. Don’t underestimate the value of *yours*. Remember, you do make a difference!

★**It’s your *RIGHT & PRIVILEGE!*** Unlike your car or cell phone, voting is your *right*. It’s in the Constitution. Defending our liberty—including our right to vote and elect our leaders—has always come through the sacrifice and devotion of our men and women in the armed services. So, exercising our hard won freedom by voting is also our amazing *privilege* here in America!

★**It gives YOU a voice!** Many times, teens can feel like “Government” doesn’t really care or represent them. But, you WILL be represented by voting and being part of the election process.

### ✓ Okay, count me in . . . but what do I do now?

★**First, there are some Rules:**

- You must be a U.S. citizen and a resident of Virginia;
- You must be at least 18 years old on or before November 3, 2020;
- You must have never been declared incompetent by the circuit court, and you must be free of felonies (or have your rights restored); and, last but not least,
- You must be *registered* to vote.

★**When can I register?** You may register as long as you will be at least 18 on or before the November 3 election date. But there is a deadline! To vote in this year’s upcoming election, **you must register by Monday, October 12, 2020.** If registering by mail, your application must be complete and **postmarked no later than October 12, 2020.**

★**Where can I register?** You can register to vote in lots of places, including the York County Public **Library** branches in Yorktown and Tabb, the York County **Registrar’s Office** in Yorktown and Williamsburg, the **Griffin-Yeates Center** in the Bruton area, and any branch of the DMV.

**OR**

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**Download** a voter registration application form from the York County Registrar's website at [www.yorkcounty.gov/vote](http://www.yorkcounty.gov/vote). Just complete the form and mail it in.

**OR**

**You can even register online** at [www.elections.virginia.gov](http://www.elections.virginia.gov) **IF** you have a Virginia DMV customer identifier that can be found on your DMV identification card or driver's license. Citizens who do not have a Virginia DMV customer identifier may still fill out the registration application online, but will be **required to print and return the completed application to the appropriate local voter registration office by Monday, October 12, 2020.**

✓ **What offices will I be voting for in this election?**

★In the upcoming election, if you are a qualified registered voter in York County, you will be eligible to vote for the following offices and constitutional amendments:

- **President and Vice President of the United States** (4-year term)
- **Member, United States Senate** (6-year term)
- **Member, United States House of Representatives** (2-year term)
- **Two Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of Virginia**

**Great! Anything else I should know?**

★**Register!** (Did we already say that?!) Choose a location, **register**, and make a difference!

★**Get the vote out!** Tell your friends, **register by October 12<sup>th</sup>**, and **V-O-T-E November 3<sup>rd</sup>!**

★**Find more information!** Contact the York County Registrar's Office at 890-3440 or log onto [www.yorkcounty.gov/vote](http://www.yorkcounty.gov/vote) for all the information you need on where, when, and how to vote, *including the photo ID requirement for Virginia voters.*

**REMEMBER!** You may **register in person no later than Monday, October 12, 2020, at the:**

**York Co. Registrar's Office**

Washington Square Location  
5322 Geo. Wash. Mem. Hwy,  
Yorktown, VA 23692  
M-F, 8:30am - 5pm

**York Co. Registrar's Office**

Victory Village Location  
6614 Mooretown Road, Suite A  
Williamsburg, VA 23188  
M-F, 8:30am - 5pm

**Yorktown Library**

8500 Geo. Wash. Mem. Hwy.  
Yorktown

**Tabb Library**

100 Long Green Blvd.  
Tabb

**Griffin-Yeates Center**

1490 Government Rd.  
Williamsburg

Both Libraries: M-Th, 10am - 9pm; F, 10am - 6pm; Sat, 10am - 5 pm; Sun, 1-5 pm

M-F, 8:15am - 5pm

**OR**

You may **mail in a completed registration form postmarked no later than October 12 to:**

York County Voter Registrar's Office

P.O. Box 451

Yorktown, VA 23690

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