

Citizenship Verification
Frequently Asked Questions
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1. Can the voter submit electronic proof of citizenship documents when registering to vote?

Yes. Voter registration applicants may mail, fax, hand deliver or email copies of their citizenship documents to the county election office to complete the voter registration process. The document copy may be a photocopy or photo of the document taken with a camera.

If the registration application is filled out at a registration event or during a door to door drive, the voter may give copies of the citizenship documents to the person distributing applications if they trust the person to deliver it to the county election office with the application.

2. Is a hospital certificate of birth (the one with the baby's footprints) acceptable as proof of citizenship for voter registration?

Yes. Although this is not the official birth certificate issued by the Office of Vital Statistics, it is acceptable under the law as "an extract from a United States hospital record of birth created at the time of the applicant's birth indicating the applicant's place of birth in the United States." The document must indicate birth in the United States to the satisfaction of the county election office.

3. Is a birth registration card (wallet-size) issued by the Office of Vital Statistics acceptable as proof of citizenship for voter registration?

Yes.