



Absentee/Mail Ballot Verification

Scoring

- State requires signature matching or uses other identifying information to verify absentee/mail ballots, 1 point
- State does not require signature matching or uses other identifying information to verify absentee/mail ballots, 0 points
- No updates required since January 1, 2023

Alabama (1)

- State requires voters to submit a copy of photo ID with absentee ballot (Alabama Code Title 17 § 17-9-30).

Alaska (1)

- State requires voters to provide identifying information with absentee ballot which is verified before counting (6 Alaska Admin. Code § 25.510).

Arizona (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (Ariz. Rev. Stat. §16-547; §16-550).

Arkansas (1)

- State requires voters to submit a copy of photo ID with absentee ballot in addition to other identifying information (Ark. Code § 7-5-416).

California (1)

- State requires signature matching for mail ballots (Cal. Election Code § 3019).

Colorado (1)

- State requires signature matching for mail ballots (Colo. Rev. Stat. § 1-7.5-107.3).

Connecticut (0)

- State does not require signature matching for absentee ballots (CT Gen Stat § 9-150a).

Delaware (0)

- State does not require signature matching for absentee ballots (Del. Code tit. 15, § 5514).

D.C. (1)

- Requires signature matching for absentee ballots (D.C. Mun. Regs. tit. 3 § 808).



Florida (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (Fla. Stat. § 101.68).

Georgia (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (Ga. Code § 21-2-386(a)(1)(B)).

Hawaii (1)

- State requires signature matching for mail ballots (Haw. Rev. Stat. § 15-9(c)(2)).

Idaho (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (Idaho Code § 34-1005).

Illinois (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (10 ILCS 5/19-8).

Indiana (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (Ind. Code § 3-11.5-4).

Iowa (0)

- State does not require signature matching for absentee ballots (Iowa Code §53.18).

Kansas (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (Kan. Stat. § 25-433(e)).

Kentucky (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (Ky. Rev. Stat. § 117.087(3)(c)(5)).

Louisiana (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (La. Rev. Stat. §18:1313(F)).

Maine (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (Me. Stat. tit. 21-A, § 756(2)).

Maryland (0)

- State does not require signature matching for absentee ballots (MD Code, Election Law, § 9-310).

Massachusetts (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (MA ST 54 § 94).



Michigan (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (Mich. Comp. Laws § 168.766).

Minnesota (1)

- State requires voters to provide identifying information with absentee ballot which is verified before counting (Minn. Stat. § 203B.121(2)(b)(3)).

Mississippi (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (Miss. Code § 23-15-641).

Missouri (0)

- State does not require signature matching for absentee ballots (Mo. Rev. Stat. § 115.293).

Montana (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (Mont. Code § 13-13-241(1)).

Nebraska (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (Neb. Rev. Stat. § 32-957).

Nevada (1)

- State requires signature matching for mail ballots (Nev. Rev. Stat. § 293.325).

New Hampshire (0)

- State does not require signature matching for absentee ballots (N.H. Rev. Stat. § 659:50).

New Jersey (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (N.J. Stat. § 19:63-17).

New Mexico (1)

- State requires voters to provide identifying information with absentee ballot which is verified before counting (N.M. Stat. Ann. § 1-6-4; § 1-6-8).

New York (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (N.Y. Elec. Code § 9-209(2)(a)(i)(C)).

North Carolina (0)

- State does not require signature matching for absentee ballots (N.C. Gen. Stat. § 163-234(11)).

North Dakota (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (N.D. Cent. Code § 16.1-07-09).



Ohio (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (Ohio Rev. Code § 3509.06(D)(1)).

Oklahoma (0)

- State does not require signature matching for absentee ballots (Okla. Stat. tit. 26, § 14-123).

Oregon (1)

- State requires signature matching for mail ballots (Or. Rev. Stat. § 254.470(9)).

Pennsylvania (1)

- State requires voters to provide identifying information with absentee ballot which is verified before counting (25 Pa. Stat. § 3146.8).

Rhode Island (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (R.I. Gen. Laws § 17-20-26).

South Carolina (0)

- State does not require signature matching for absentee ballots (S.C. Code § 7-15-420).

South Dakota (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (S.D. Codified Laws § 12-19-10).

Tennessee (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (Tenn. Code § 2-6-202(g)).

Texas (1)

- State requires signature matching for absentee ballots (Tex. Elec. Code § 87.041).

Utah (1)

- State requires signature matching for mail ballots (Utah Code § 20A-3a-401).

Vermont (0)

- State does not require signature matching for absentee ballots (Vt. Stat. tit. 17, § 2547(a)).

Virginia (0)

- State does not require signature matching for absentee ballots (Va. Code § 24.2-706).

Washington (1)

- State requires signature matching for mail ballots (Wash. Rev. Code §29A.40.091; §29A.40.110).



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West Virginia (0)

- State does not require signature matching for absentee ballots (W. Va. Code § 3-3-8).

Wisconsin (1)

- State requires voters to submit a copy of photo ID with absentee ballot (Wis. Stat. Ann. §6.87; §6.88).

Wyoming (0)

- State does not require signature matching for absentee ballots (Wyo. Stat. § 22-9-121(a)).