

# **Online Voter Registration**

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# **Background**

Online voter registration is a policy that improves the voter registration process by allowing voters to fill out and submit registration forms electronically through online systems set up by their state. In most states, these systems work in tandem with, and are checked against, information from driver's licenses or other state-issued IDs. Online voter registration can increase the convenience, accuracy, and efficiency of our election systems.

# Scoring

- If state has online voter registration, +1 point
- If state does not have online voter registration, 0 points

# **Summary Table**

Category Number  List  Alabama Alaska Arizona California Colorado Connecticut Delaware D.C. States has online voter  42 states & Georgia	
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		Virginia
		Washington
		West Virginia
		Wisconsin
State does not have online voter		Arkansas
		Maine
	8 states	Mississippi
		Montana
		New Hampshire
registration		South Dakota
registration		Texas
		Wyoming



### **State-by-State Sources and More Detail**

## Alabama (1)

• Alabama implemented online voter registration without legislation in 2016.

### Alaska (1)

Alaska implemented online voter registration without legislation in 2015.

### Arizona (1)

• Arizona implemented online voter registration without legislation in 2002.

### Arkansas (0)

State does not have online voter registration.

#### California (1)

 California enacted online voter registration in 2011 (<u>SB 397</u>). The law was implemented in 2012 (Ca. Elec. Code § 2196).

#### Colorado (1)

• Colorado enacted online voter registration in 2009 (<u>HB 1160</u>). The law was implemented in 2010 (C.R.S. § 1-2-202.5).

## Connecticut (1)

 Connecticut enacted online voter registration in 2012 (<u>HB 5024</u>). The law was implemented in 2014 (Conn. Gen. Stat. § 9-19k).

### Delaware (1)

• Delaware implemented online voter registration without legislation in 2014.

# D.C. (1)

• D.C. implemented online voter registration without legislation in 2015.

## Florida (1)

• Florida enacted online voter registration in 2015 (<u>SB 228</u>). The law was implemented in 2017 (Fla. Stat. § 97.0525)



## Georgia (1)

 Georgia enacted online voter registration in 2012 (<u>SB 92</u>). The law was implemented in 2014 (OCGA § 21-2-220).

Hawaii (1)

• Hawaii enacted online voter registration in 2012 (<u>HB 1755</u>). The law was implemented in 2015 (HRS § 11-15.3).

Idaho (1)

• Idaho enacted online voter registration in 2016 (<u>SB 1297</u>). The law was implemented in 2017 (Idaho Code § 34-409).

Illinois (1)

 Illinois enacted online voter registration in 2013 (<u>HB 2418</u>). The law was implemented in 2014 (10 ILCS 5/1A-16.5).

Indiana (1)

• Indiana enacted online voter registration in 2009 (<u>HB 1346</u>). The law was implemented in 2010 (IC 3-7-26.7).

Iowa (1)

• Iowa implemented online voter registration in 2016 without legislation.

Kansas (1)

• Kansas implemented online voter registration in 2009 without legislation.

Kentucky (1)

• Kentucky implemented online voter registration in 2016 without legislation.

Louisiana (1)

• Louisiana enacted online voter registration in 2009 (<u>HB 520</u>). The law was implemented in 2010 (La. R.C. § 115.1).

Maine (0)

• State does not have online voter registration.

Maryland (1)

 Maryland enacted online voter registration in 2011 (<u>HB 740</u>). The law was implemented in 2012 (Md. Code, EL § 3-204.1).



## Massachusetts (1)

 Massachusetts enacted online voter registration in 2014 (<u>HB 3788</u>). The law was implemented in 2015 (Mass. Gen. Laws ch. 51, § 33A).

#### Michigan (1)

 Michigan enacted online voter registration in 2018 (<u>SB 425</u>). The law was implemented in 2019 (MCL 168.509ii).

## Minnesota (1)

• Minnesota implemented online voter registration in 2013 without legislation.

## Mississippi (0)

• State does not have online voter registration.

#### Missouri (1)

• Missouri implemented online voter registration in 2014 without legislation.

# Montana (0)

• State does not have online voter registration.

#### Nebraska (1)

 Nebraska enacted online voter registration in 2014 (<u>LB 661</u>). The law was implemented in 2015 (Neb. Rev. Stat. § 32-304).

#### Nevada (1)

• Nevada enacted online voter registration in 2011 (AB 82). The law was implemented in 2012 (NRS 293.1277).

## New Hampshire (0)

State does not have online voter registration.

### New Jersey (1)

• New Jersey enacted online voter registration in 2020 (<u>SB 589</u>). The law was implemented in 2020 (N.J.S. § 19:31-6.4d).

### New Mexico (1)

 New Mexico enacted online voter registration in 2015 (<u>SB 643</u>). The law was implemented in 2016 (NMS § 1-4-18.1).

### New York (1)

• New York first began implementing online voter registration in 2011, and the system was made fully electronic in 2019 after the passage of AB 2005.



## North Carolina (1)

• North Carolina implemented online voter registration in 2020 without legislation.

### North Dakota (1)

• North Dakota does not require voter registration.

# Ohio (1)

• Ohio enacted online voter registration in 2016 (<u>SB 63</u>). The law was implemented in 2017 (R.C. § 3503.20).

## Oklahoma (1)

 Oklahoma enacted online voter registration in 2015 (<u>SB 313</u>). The law was implemented in July 2023.

# Oregon (1)

 Oregon enacted online voter registration in 2009 (<u>HB 2386</u>). The law was implemented in 2010 (ORS 247.019).

## Pennsylvania (1)

 Pennsylvania enacted online voter registration in 2002 (<u>SB 607</u>). The law was implemented in 2015 (25 Pa.C.S. § 1222).

## Rhode Island (1)

• Rhode Island enacted online voter registration in 2016 (<u>SB 2513</u>). The law was implemented in 2017 (R.I. Gen. Laws § 17-9.1-34).

## South Carolina (1)

 South Carolina enacted online voter registration in 2012 (<u>HB 4945</u>). The law was implemented in 2012 (S.C. Code § 7-5-185).

### South Dakota (0)

• State does not have online voter registration.

#### Tennessee (1)

 Tennessee enacted online voter registration in 2016 (<u>SB 1626</u>). The law was implemented in 2017 (T.C.A. § 2-2-112).

### Texas (0)

State does not have online voter registration.



# Utah (1)

• Utah enacted online voter registration in 2009 (SB 25). The law was implemented in 2010 (Utah Code § 20A-2-206).

#### Vermont (1)

• Vermont implemented online voter registration in 2015 without legislation.

#### Virginia (1)

• Virginia enacted online voter registration in 2013 (<u>HB 2341</u>). The law was implemented in 2013 (Va. Code § 24.2-416.7).

# Washington (1)

 Washington enacted online voter registration in 2007 (<u>HB 1528</u>). The law was implemented in 2008 (RCW 29A.08.123).

## West Virginia (1)

 West Virginia enacted online voter registration in 2013 (<u>SB 477</u>). The law was implemented in 2015 (W. Va. Code § 3-2-5).

## Wisconsin (1)

• Wisconsin enacted online voter registration in 2016 (<u>SB 295</u>). The law was implemented in 2017 (Wis. Stat. § 6.30).

### Wyoming (0)

State does not have online voter registration.

## **Democracy Map & Additional Resources**

• See our Democracy Map: Online Voter Registration, which is updated in real time.