

## VOTING WITH A CRIMINAL CONVICTION



**IF YOU HAVE BEEN CONVICTED OF A CRIME,  
YOU STILL HAVE THE RIGHT TO VOTE.**

- ♦ If you have been convicted of a misdemeanor, **you have the right to vote**, even if you are in jail.
- ♦ If you have been arrested for a felony but have not been convicted, **you have the right to vote**, even if you are in jail.
- ♦ If you are currently “on paper” and under supervision after a felony conviction, whether you are on parole or probation, **you have the right to vote**.
- ♦ If you are on house arrest, living in a halfway house or in a CBCF, **you have the right to vote**.
- ♦ The **only** time you may not vote is if you are currently serving a prison sentence on a felony conviction, on Transitional Control, or in a federal Residential Reentry program. **Once you are out of prison or done with TC or RR, re-register to vote and re-gain the right to vote.**

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### YOU ARE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE IN OHIO:

- ◆ If you are a citizen of the United States.
- ◆ If you will be 18 on or before the day of the election in which you plan to vote.
- ◆ If you have been a resident of Ohio for at least 30 days immediately before the election for which you are registering.
- ◆ If you have not been declared incompetent to vote by a probate court.
- ◆ If you are **not currently incarcerated for a felony** in any state.
- ◆ If you have not permanently lost your voting rights due to violation of election laws.
- ◆ If you have registered to vote.

CURRENT AS OF SEPTEMBER 2020

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