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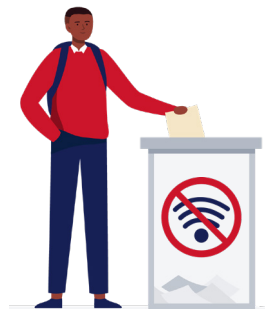
The North Dakota Secretary of State and county election officials are your trusted source for election information.

VOTING EQUIPMENT



All 53 counties use the same equipment for statewide elections.

Voting equipment is extensively tested and certified by the U.S. Election Assistance Commission before being approved for use in U.S. elections.



Ballot tabulators and the ExpressVote ballot marking devices are **NOT connected to the internet** and contain no components for such a connection.

TESTING

All ballot tabulators are tested before every election to ensure they are 100% accurate.



Test results are cleared and the equipment is locked and sealed with a unique number until polls close on election day.



Election officials verify the unique seal numbers to ensure equipment has not been tampered with before polls open.

VOTER ID LAW

VALID ID:

- ND Driver's License
- ND Non-Driver ID
- Tribal ID or Letter
- Long Term Care Certificate



QUALIFICATIONS:

- U.S. citizen
- 18 years old
- Lived in ND & your precinct for 30 days

**VOTER ID LAWS & THE CENTRAL VOTER FILE
ENSURE 1 PERSON = 1 VOTE.**

No matter how you vote — absentee, early, or on election day — your ID is verified and records statewide are updated to ensure 1 person = 1 vote.



This happens within minutes through PollPads connected to all polling locations using a secure, encrypted, private network.

BALLOTS



North Dakota only uses paper ballots, creating an auditable paper trail of all votes cast.



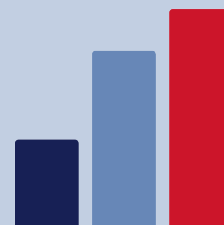
Ballots are never handled by equipment with an internet connection.



Cast ballots are always transported in the presence of nonpartisan officials.

ELECTION RESULTS

Results are collected and recorded by the nonpartisan election board once polls close and are securely transported to the county auditor for final reporting. Results are verified on multiple levels and are not official until certified by the state canvassing board.



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