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## **PRESS RELEASE**

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### **Emergency Voting on Monday, March 16, 2020** **Avoid the crowds on Arizona Presidential Preference Election Day**

Voters with health concerns who are worried about voting at polling places may take advantage of **Emergency Voting on Monday, March 16, 2020, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.** In addition, voters who have other emergencies are also eligible to vote on March 16. “According to Arizona statute, voters must sign a form that we provide stating that they have an emergency and need to vote on March 16,” says Pima County Recorder F. Ann Rodriguez. “However, the voter does not need to write or state the specifics of the emergency.”

Emergency Voting Sites for the Arizona Democratic Presidential Preference Election are well-stocked with Clorox wipes and hand sanitizer. Recorder office counters, door handles, and chairs are regularly cleaned with disinfecting wipes. Staff follow CDC recommendations for hand washing. “We’ve been doing it this way for decades. This is our standard procedure,” says Rodriguez. She adds, “People are more than welcome to bring their own pens to mark their ballot.”

Emergency Voting sites are open to registered Democrats with an emergency:

Pima County Recorder’s Main Office, 240 North Stone Avenue, first floor

Pima County Recorder’s Office Annex, 6550 S. Country Club Road

Pima County Recorder’s East Side Annex, 6920 East Broadway Boulevard, Suite D

Voting booths are open 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. for Emergency Voting. Voters must bring appropriate identification in order to vote (see page 3 of this press release).

The Recorder's office has received over 106,000 ballots in the mail, but about 42% of mailed ballots are still with voters. Voters may drop off their mailed ballots to Emergency Voting sites on March 16, or they can drop them off at polling places on March 17.

Voters still have the option to vote Election Day, Tuesday, March 17, 2020. Polling locations for the PPE vary, so check your polling location at: <https://www.recorder.pima.gov/VoterStats/PollingInfo> .

Voters may call the Recorder's Office with questions about Emergency Voting, 520-724-4330 or go to [www.recorder.pima.gov](http://www.recorder.pima.gov).



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## Voter Identification Requirements

When you arrive to vote at the polls on Election Day, at an Early Voting Site, or an Emergency Voting Site you will announce your name and place of residence to the election official and present one form of identification from List #1 or two different forms of identification from List #2 or 3. ([A.R.S. § 16-579\(A\)](#) [\(link is external\)](#)).

Valid identification is also required prior to receiving a ballot at any in-person early voting location or emergency vote center or from a special election board. ([A.R.S. § 16-542 \(link is external\)](#); [§ 16-549 \(link is external\)](#))

### List #1 - Sufficient Photo ID including name and address (One Required)

- Valid Arizona driver license
- Valid Arizona non-operating identification card
- Tribal enrollment card or other form of tribal identification
- Valid United States federal, state, or local government-issued identification

### List #2 - Sufficient ID without a photograph that bears the name and address (Two Required)

- Utility bill of the elector that is dated within 90 days of the date of the election. A utility bill may be for electric, gas, water, solid waste, sewer, telephone, cellular phone, or cable television
- Bank or credit union statement that is dated within 90 days of the date of the election
- Valid Arizona Vehicle Registration
- Indian census card
- Property tax statement of the elector's residence
- Tribal enrollment card or other form of tribal identification Arizona vehicle insurance card
- Recorder's Certificate
- Valid United States federal, state, or local government-issued identification, including a voter registration card issued by the County Recorder
- Any mailing to the elector marked "Official Election Material"

### List #3 - Mix & Match from Lists #1 & #2 (Two Required)

- Any valid photo identification from List 1 in which the address does not reasonably match the precinct register accompanied by a non-photo identification from List 2 in which the address does reasonably match the precinct register
- U.S. Passport without address and one valid item from List 2
- U.S. Military identification without address and one valid item from List 2

Source: <https://azsos.gov/elections/voting-election>