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### **November 3<sup>rd</sup> General Election**

Regardless of whatever information you may have heard or information on postcards that you may have received, Oregon's General election will proceed as it normally has for the last 20 years.

**Ballot mailing date.** Ballots will mail Thursday October 14<sup>th</sup>. This is 20 days prior to the election. Expect to see your ballot anywhere from the 15<sup>th</sup> to Monday the 19<sup>th</sup>. If you have not received your ballot by the 21<sup>st</sup> contact Columbia County Elections.

**Voter registration.** Voter registration deadline for NEW registrants is October 13<sup>th</sup>. A new registrant with Oregon ODL or ID can register online at [www.oregonvotes.gov](http://www.oregonvotes.gov) or you can submit a paper Voter Registration Card to the county elections office. If you do not have a valid ID/ODL you will need to submit a paper card. Voter registration cards can be picked up at your local Post Office, DMV, and other public assistance agencies or at the county courthouse.

**Verify your registration.** Are you an existing, already registered, voter? Go to [www.oregonvotes.gov](http://www.oregonvotes.gov) and check your registration status and update it, if necessary.

**Vote Early.** What does early voting mean in Oregon? You will be mailed a ballot 20 days prior to the election. Vote early = return it promptly. The sooner you return it, the earlier you have voted.

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