Proofs of Residence

Everyone who registers on Election Day must provide one of the proofs of residence listed below. Only proofs authorized by law may be used. A voter is allowed to leave and come back in order to get what they need to register. (M.S.201.061; M.R.8200.5100)

1. **ID with voter's current name and address**
   Voters may use the following IDs with their current name and address in the precinct:
   - Valid Minnesota driver's license, Minnesota learner's permit or Minnesota ID card.
   - The yellow receipt for a Minnesota driver's license, learner's permit or ID card.
   - Tribal ID card with name, current address, signature, and picture issued by the tribal government of a tribe recognized by the Bureau of Indian Affairs. Tribal band members are not required to live on an Indian reservation in order to use a tribal identification card to prove residence.

   When presented with a Minnesota license, look for a "status check" notation in the lower right-hand corner. If you see this, it indicates the voter was not a citizen at the time they applied for the license. They may or may not have become a citizen since obtaining the license. If they state they are eligible to vote, you or the Head Judge must follow the Roster Challenge Procedures found on page 15.

2. **Photo ID plus a document with name and current address**
   Voters must show both one photo ID and one document. The ID must contain the voter's name and photo, and can be expired. The document must have the voter's name and current address in the precinct, and can be shown electronically or on paper.

   Approved Photo IDs (choose one)

   - Driver's license, state ID or learner's permit issued by any state
   - United States passport
   - United States Military or Veteran ID
   - Tribal ID with the name, signature and photo of the voter
   - Minnesota university, college, or technical college ID
   - Minnesota high school ID

   Approved Documents (choose one)

   - Residential lease or rental agreement (must be valid through Election Day)
   - Current student fee statement
   - Bill, account or start of service statement due or dated within 30 days of election for:
     - Phone (landline, cell, VOIP, etc.)
     - TV (cable, satellite, etc.)
     - Internet
     - Solid waste or sewer
     - Electric, gas or water
     - Banking or credit card
     - Rent or mortgage payments