

**ARE YOU READY?**  
THE NJ PRIMARY IS JUNE 4, 2024

*The purpose of a primary is to vote for a candidate to represent your party in the general election. This year's primary will include candidates for President, US Senator, US Representative, County Government and local Municipal Positions.*

**If you are affiliated with the Democratic or Republican Party, you will be given that party's primary ballot when you go to the polls on election day, or will be mailed that party's ballot if you elect to Vote by Mail.**

**Q: What if I am not affiliated with a political party?**

**A:** *You have two options.*

*~ Either declare your affiliation by completing a "Political Party Affiliation Declaration Form". Send the completed form to the Mercer County Board of Elections: 640 S. Broad Street, PO Box 8068, Trenton, NJ 08650.*

*~ Or declare your affiliation on primary day at the polling location to get the appropriate ballot.*

**Q: How do I change my party affiliation?**

**A:** *Fill out the "Political Party Affiliation Declaration Form". It must be signed, mailed to the Board of Elections and received by **April 10**. You may also use this form to become **unaffiliated** with a party.*

**Q: What if I am affiliated with a party other than the Democratic or Republican party?**

**A:** *In NJ, only Republican and Democratic parties use primaries. Other parties use Conventions to select their Candidates.*

For more information and to access forms to register to vote, declare a party, or change your party affiliation, visit:

**[www.lwvnj.org/voting-2/voting](http://www.lwvnj.org/voting-2/voting)**

**Important Dates:**

- **April 10, 2024** - Last day to change your party affiliation
- **May 14, 2024** - Last day to register to vote
- **May 28, 2024** - Last day Application for Vote by Mail Ballot to be received by Board of Elections
- **May 29-June 2, 2024** - In Person Early Voting

- **June 4, 2024 – Primary Election**