

An Incarcerated Voter's Bill of Rights

1. You have the right to vote if:
 - You're a U.S. Citizen; and
 - You're at least 18 years old; and
 - You live in Massachusetts; and
 - You're NOT currently incarcerated for a felony conviction
2. You **STILL** have the right to vote, even if:
 - You're incarcerated for a misdemeanor
 - You're awaiting trial
 - You're convicted of a felony, but not yet sentenced
3. You have the right to vote while incarcerated, even if you're not currently registered to vote. You may vote from your last residential address before incarceration, even if you no longer live there.
4. You have the right to request an absentee ballot. Your absentee ballot application must reach your local election office five business days before Election Day.
5. You have the right to a secret ballot, and the right to fill out that ballot in private, without anyone else looking at your ballot.
6. You have the right to have access to a writing implement to mark your ballot.
7. You have the right to vote without intimidation, pressure, or influence. No one can force you to vote for or against a candidate, party, or ballot question.
8. You have the right to receive unbiased, nonpartisan educational materials to assist with your decisions.
9. You have the right to ask for help completing your ballot, from anyone you choose, if you can't fill it out yourself because of disability or language difficulties.
10. You have the right to return your ballot without interference. Your ballot comes with a pre-addressed, postage pre-paid envelope for returns. Make sure to return your ballot as quickly as possible, so it reaches your local election office by Election Day.

