

### **ArtsVote in Connecticut**

(Updated as of 7/17/22)

#### Ensure Your Vote is COUNTED on Election Day, Tuesday, Nov. 8, 2022

#### **CONFIRM**

**Pre-Requisites** 

- Be a U.S. Citizen
- Be at least 18 years of age by Election Day, Tuesday, November 8, 2022
- Be a resident of Connecticut
- Not be currently confined in a federal or state prison for a felony conviction

#### STEP 1

Register to Vote & Check Accuracy

Check the Accuracy of your current voter registration or Register to Vote for the first time online, by mail, or in-person by Tuesday, November 1, 2022. Your registration must be POSTMARKED or RECEIVED in-person by your local Registrar of Voters by Tuesday, November 1, 2022. If you miss this deadline, then you must register IN-PERSON at a designated Election Day Registration location on Election Day, November 8, 2022 by 8:00pm. Don't delay, pledge to check the accuracy of your voter status or register to vote by Tuesday, September 20, 2022.

#### STEP 2

Request Your Absentee Ballot (If Needed) Connecticut will only allow voters to vote by <u>Absentee Ballot</u> with an excuse that meets one of the approved <u>"Can I Vote Absentee?" eligibility requirements.</u> Applications for Absentee Ballots can either be downloaded <u>online</u> or picked up at the office of your local <u>Town Clerk</u>. Your Absentee Ballot application must be RECEIVED by your <u>Town</u> <u>Clerk</u> by <u>Monday</u>, <u>November 7</u>, <u>2022</u>. <u>Don't delay</u>, <u>pledge to complete your Absentee</u> <u>Ballot application by Tuesday</u>, <u>October 4</u>, <u>2022</u>.

## STEP 3 Cast Your Vote

**ABSENTEE BALLOT:** If you requested an Absentee Ballot, you can cast your vote by **mailing-in** your completed and SIGNED Absentee Ballot, or **hand-delivering** it to a designated Drop Box outside of your local <u>Town Hall</u>. In both cases, your Absentee Ballot must be RECEIVED by your local <u>Town Clerk</u> by **Election Day, Tuesday, November 8, 2022** by **8:00pm.** *Don't delay, pledge to mail in your Absentee Ballot by Tuesday, October 18, 2022*.

- OR -

IN-PERSON VOTING: Connecticut does <u>NOT</u> offer early in-person voting. You can only vote IN-PERSON on **Election Day, November 8, 2022.** If you choose to vote in-person, polling hours take place between **6:00am** until **8:00pm** at your correct <u>Polling Place</u>. Always be sure to bring your government ID with you. **Don't delay, if voting in-person on Election Day, pledge to cast your vote early to avoid the crowds.** 

# STEP 4 Celebrate Your Vote

**Celebrate** being an ArtsVote leader by posting a selfie of you mailing-in your ballot or wearing an "I Voted" sticker on social media. You can also share one of our **Shepard Fairey "ArtsVote" images**. Make sure to use #ArtsVote and tag @ArtsActionFund!
Encourage your network to also **take the pledge** to make their vote count by learning the new voting rules and deadlines in their own states **www.ArtsActionFund.org/Pledge**.



For general election information, visit <u>portal.ct.gov/SOTS/Election-Services/Voter-Information/Voter-Fact-Sheet</u>. For military and overseas voters, visit <u>portal.ct.gov/SOTS/Election-Services/Voter-Information/Military-and-Overseas-Voters.</u>