Satisfactory Proof of Identity

A voter can meet the proof of identity requirement by presenting either a current and valid photo identification or other acceptable document, as set forth below. Also, the proof of identity requirement only applies to federal elections. Therefore, all registrants shall be permitted to vote a regular ballot in all non-federal elections without showing ID.

The following items may be presented to the election official if the photograph and name of the individual presenting it are present:

Title 2, California Code of Regulations, Section 20107(d)(1) – Photo Identification

A. Driver’s license or identification card of any state;
B. passport;
C. employee identification card,
D. identification card provided by a commercial establishment;
E. credit or debit card;
F. military identification card;
G. student identification card;
H. health club identification card;
I. insurance plan identification card.

These other documents will be sufficient if the document includes the name and address of the individual presenting it, and is dated since the date of the last general election, unless the document is intended to be of a permanent nature such as a pardon or discharge.

Other documents include a:

Title 2, California Code of Regulations, Section 20107(d)(2) – Other Documents

A. utility bill;
B. bank statement;
C. government check;
D. government paycheck;
E. document issued by a governmental agency;
F. sample ballot issued by a governmental agency;
G. voter notification card issued by a governmental agency;
H. public housing identification card issued by a governmental agency;
I. lease or rental statement or agreement issued by a governmental agency;
J. student identification card issued by a governmental agency;
K. tuition statement or bill issued by a governmental agency;
L. insurance plan card issued by a governmental agency;
M. discharge certificate, pardon, or other official document issued to the voter in connection with the resolution of a criminal case, indictment, sentence, or other matter;
N. public transportation authority senior citizen discount card issued by a governmental agency;
O. identification document issued by governmental disability agencies;
P. identification document issued by government homeless shelters and other temporary of transitional facilities;
Q. drug prescription issued by a government doctor or other governmental health care provider;
R. property tax statement issued by a governmental agency;
S. vehicle registration or certificate of ownership issued by a governmental agency.

A VOTER MAY PRESENT EITHER A CURRENT AND VALID PHOTO IDENTIFICATION OR ANOTHER ACCEPTABLE DOCUMENT.