

## Chapter El Bd 3

MAIL REGISTRATION AND  
PROOF OF RESIDENCE

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**El Bd 3.02 Mail registration forms.** In accordance with section 6.30 (4), Wis. Stats., clerks shall, upon request, supply electors with a reasonable number of forms for registering eligible electors by mail. Refusal to supply forms in the quantity requested shall be accompanied by a statement to the elector of the reasons for said refusal.

**History:** Emerg. cr. eff. 7-1-76; cr. Register, August, 1976, No. 248, eff. 9-1-76.

**El Bd 3.04 Proof of residence.** (1) For purposes of on-site registration or on-site correction of the registry, pursuant to section 6.55, Wis. Stats., any form of identification meeting the general criteria requirements of (2) and listed in (3) of this rule is an acceptable form of proof of residence.

(2) General criteria. In order to constitute acceptable proof of residence under this rule, a form of identification must be listed in (3) below and must include:

(a) A current and complete name, including both the given and family name, and

(b) A current and complete residential address, including a numbered street address, where applicable, and a municipality name.

(c) To supply current information, the information in (b) may be written or printed by hand, in ink.

(3) Acceptable forms of proof of residence. Any one of the following forms of identification shall be accepted as proof of residence, so long as such identification conforms to the general criteria set out in (2) of this rule:

(a) Motor vehicle operator's license;

(b) Wisconsin proof of age card, issued pursuant to sec. 66.057, Wis. Stats.;

(c) Any other official identification card or license issued by a government body or unit or by an employer in the normal course of business, but not including business cards;

(d) Credit card or plate;

(e) Library card;

(f) Check-cashing or courtesy card issued by merchant in the normal course of business;

(g) Real estate tax bill or receipt;

(h) Residential lease;

- (i) University, college or technical institute fee card;
- (j) University, college or technical institute identification card;
- (k) Airplane pilot's license.

(4) In the event that a person wishing to register at the polling place cannot provide acceptable proof of residence, his or her registration form may be substantiated and signed by one other elector who resides in the ward or aldermanic district, corroborating all the material statements on the form. A corroborator may be required to provide acceptable proof that he or she is a resident of the ward or aldermanic district, consistent with the requirements of this rule.

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