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## **How to Vote Blue at Bates College**

Not sure if you're registered to vote? Need to double check your polling place? Other questions about voting?

Contact the Harward Center: bates.edu/harward | (207) 786-6202 | 161 Wood Street

Contact the Lewiston Clerk: Kathy Montejo | (207) 513-3124

Contact the Voter Hotline: call or text (207) 990-0788 | vote@voteinmaine.com

## **Register to Vote**

You can register in person, up to and including on Election Day.

- When registering to vote, you need to bring proof of identity and residency. In Lewiston, a Bates student ID can be used to show your identity.
- If you live in campus housing, you do not need to bring proof of residency, as the Lewiston Clerk has a list of students and their dorm numbers from the Bates registrar.
- **If you live off campus**, bring a document (like a lease, bill, paycheck, or other mail) with your Maine address.
- If you live off campus and do not have mail with your Maine address on it, ask your clerk to let you sign an oath swearing that you live at your current Maine residence.
- If you previously registered to vote but are in a new dorm room (including the hotel), you have to re-register at your new address—even if you registered to vote in Lewiston in a previous year. For hotel students, you can simply list the address on your registration form: you don't need to include the room number.

### **Make Your Plan to Vote**

- If you already requested an absentee ballot, mail it back ASAP or return it to the ballot drop box on Park Street side of City Hall. You can then track the status of your ballot at <a href="VoteinMaine.com/status">VoteinMaine.com/status</a>!
- You can also vote early in-person absentee at Lewiston City Hall at 27 Pine Street during business hours through Friday, October 30.
- If you want to vote on Election Day, call the Lewiston Clerk to double check your polling place. Polls will be open 7am 8pm.

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#### **Democratic Candidates on the Ballot:**

President: Joe Biden

**US Senate:** Sara Gideon

**US House:** Jared Golden

**State Senate 21:** Nate Libby

State House 60: Kristen Sarah Cloutier

State House 59: Margaret Craven

**County Commissioner 1:** Noel Madore

**Registrar of Probate:** Thomas Reynolds

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