

Attention 18 year olds:

Are you interested in voting in the Presidential General Election on November 8th? If so, are you registered to vote? If you're leaving for college before Election Day and need to file for an absentee ballot, please read the following:

Be sure to register to vote in the town/city where you reside at the Town or City Clerk's office prior to leaving for school. Call your local Clerk's office to find out what is required to register to vote and to find out their office hours.

If you are going to be away at school on Election Day when registering to vote, request to file for an absentee ballot. This will require you to fill out a simple form. Don't forget to bring the address for where you wish the ballot to be delivered to at school.

Be proactive and add this to your list of things to do this summer before leaving home. Accomplishing this task early will save you time and ensure that you can vote in the Presidential General Election.

Portsmouth residents may contact the City Clerk's office at 610-7207 or email City Clerk Kelli L. Barnaby directly at klbarnaby@cityofportsmouth.com.

