# **General Election 2025 / Important Information**

### **Methods for Voting:**

### Vote by Early Mail and Absentee Ballot

You can vote by Early Mail or Absentee Ballot. You can request a ballot online: <u>elections.ny.gov/request-ballot</u>, or by filling out and sending a paper form to the Board of Elections. **Deadline:** All application must **received** by the Board of Elections by 5 pm on October 25.

Absentee ballots require an excuse and must be used for Permanent Disabled voters who may choose to vote from home. Early mail ballots do not require an excuse. Military and overseas voters should visit www.FVAP.gov, or reach out to the Board of Elections for absentee ballot information.

If a voter who has been issued an early mail or absentee ballot is unable to return their ballot to the BOE timely, they may vote by affidavit at an Early Voting site or on Election Day only at their designated poll site.

### **Early Voting**

Saturday, October 25 through Sunday, November 2.

**Voting hours:** daily from 9 am to 5 pm, except Tuesday (10/28) and Wednesday (10/29) hours are from 12 pm to 8 pm.

Eligible voters can vote early at either early voting location, no matter where in the county the voter resides.

#### **Early Voting Locations:**

Columbia County Office Building, 401 State St, Hudson NY 12534 Glynn Municipal Building, 3211 Church St, Valatie NY 12184

#### **General Election Day 2025**

Tuesday, November 4, 2025 Poll are open from 6 am to 9 pm

Find your poll site: voterlookup.elections.ny.gov

## Register to Vote / Address Changes:

Change of Address Deadline: All change of address forms and notifications received at the Columbia County Board of Elections no later than October 20, 2025, must be processed by the Board for the General Election Sec. 5-208(3). This includes transfer registrations from other counties within New York State.

**New Registration Deadline:** voter registration forms must be **received** at the Columbia County Board of Elections no later than **October 25, 2025**.

Use Online Portal (preferred) or download forms: elections.ny.gov/voter-registration-process

Forms can be mailed or delivered in-person to:

County Board of Elections, 401 State St, Hudson, NY 12534 BOE Phone: 518-828-3115

www.columbiacountyny.com/elections