Solutions for Social Distance Voting

To prevent the spread of the coronavirus and, in some cases, comply with executive orders, states and counties across the U.S. are examining options for remote voting in near term primaries and elections. Leveraging our existing technologies and expertise, PCC is here to meet the needs of State Election Officials and election authorities with proven solutions.

Providing Confidence in Remote Voting

**VOTE BY MAIL**

- Create Voter-Specific Barcode Labels
- Mail Voter-Specific Ballots and Return Envelopes
- Scan Returned Ballots into ElectioNet as ‘Received/Voted’
- Scan Returned Ballots noted as ‘Undeliverable’ in ElectioNet

**VOTE BY ABSENTEE BALLOT**

- An opt-in option to reduce in-person turnout where polls remain open
- Send Absentee Ballot Applications to all voters
- Process Applications using ElectionNet
- Create Voter-Specific Barcode Labels for Valid Applications
- Mail Voter-Specific Ballots and Return Envelopes
- Scan Returned Ballots into ElectioNet as ‘Received/Voted’
- Returned Ballots noted as ‘Undeliverable’ in ElectioNet

**VOTE ONLINE**

- Allow for Electronic Ballot Delivery (partner required)
  - Voter applies online
  - Ballot sent electronically to the voter
  - Voter will mark ballot online, print it, and return it by mail
  - Election Offices process ‘Received Ballots’ utilizing ElectioNet
THINGS TO CONSIDER:

1. Voter registration system modifications may be required to accommodate expanded Absentee Voting or all Vote by Mail.

2. State Constitutional, Legislative, Executive, or Administrative changes may be needed to accommodate expanded Absentee voting.

3. New and enhanced state and county procedure(s) may be needed for new processes.

4. Upgraded ballot counting, mail handling, and other equipment may be needed.

5. Printing of vast number of labels could prove to be a challenge.

6. Supplemental state budgeting may be needed to accommodate system modifications, additional equipment, printing and postage.

WAYS PCC CAN HELP

PCC can help scale up current Absentee Voting and with expansive modifications for all Vote by Mail.

PCC can help with 3rd party vendor relationship(s). Contracting of printing, packaging and mailing may be needed to manage outgoing ballots and materials.

PCC can help with budgeting challenges by providing samples of authorizing statutes to accommodate system modifications.

LATEST GUIDANCE

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Pivot now to ensure secure fair elections ahead of November.

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