



## Application to Amend the Voters' List

To be added to the Voters' List you are required to meet all of the following criteria as outlined in the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996*, as amended, which entitles a person to be an elector or eligible voter.

Please complete the Application to Amend the Voters' List form if you:

- are a Canadian citizen;
- are at least 18 years old on election day;
- reside in the local municipality or are the owner or tenant of land in the local municipality or spouse of such a person; and
- not otherwise prohibited by law from voting.

You are required to show proof of your identity and residence by providing one item of government issued ID that shows both your name and address or two items that show both your name and address. Photo ID is not required. For more examples of accepted identification, please see the list Have Your ID Ready to Vote available on [essex.ca/elections](http://essex.ca/elections).

We ask that you bring the completed Application to Amend the Voters' List form with the required identification to:

Essex Town Hall, Clerk's Office  
33 Talbot Street South,  
Essex, Ontario, N8M 1A8

Open Monday to Friday between the hours of 8:30 AM and 4:30 PM until October 23, 2026.

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On Election Day this application form will be accepted at your Polling Station.  
You will be required to show your ID again to vote.

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If you have any questions, please contact our office at [elections@essex.ca](mailto:elections@essex.ca) or 519-776-7336 ext. 1146.

# Have Your ID Ready to Vote

## Acceptable Voter Identification



### Option 1: Show one piece of ID

Driver's Licence or any other Government-Issued Photo ID that shows both your name and current address.



### Option 2: Show two pieces of ID

Both must show your name, and at least one must have your current address. See below for accepted documents.



### Option 3: If you do not have ID

You can still vote if your name already appears on the Voters' List. The Deputy Returning Officer will require you to take an Oath and Declaration (Form 9) before you are able to vote.

#### Government-Issued Photo ID

Ontario Driver's Licence  
Ontario Photo Card  
Ontario Health Card

#### Other Government Documents

Ontario vehicle permit (vehicle portion)  
Court-issued documents  
Income tax assessment notice  
Child Tax Benefit Statement  
Employment Insurance statement (T4E)  
Old Age Security (T4A OAS)  
Canada Pension Plan documents (T4A P, Statement of Contributions)  
Ontario Works / ODSP statements  
WSIB Statement of Benefits (T5007)  
Band Council document

#### Financial Documents

Bank account or credit card statement  
Cancelled cheque  
Loan or financial agreement  
RRSP / RRIF / RHOSP / T5 statements

#### Housing and Utility Documents

Mortgage statement  
Lease or rental agreement  
Utility bills (hydro, water, gas, etc)  
Property tax assessment

#### Employment Documents

Pay stub or cheque stub  
T4 statement from employer

#### Education Documents

Post-secondary transcript or report card  
Campus residence document

#### Insurance, Healthcare, and Other Organizations

Insurance policy or statement  
CNIB card or card from a registered charity  
Hospital card or record



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