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Early Voting for the November Election Begins Oct. 17

New video shows how Wake County makes sure your vote counts

Wake County voters will have the opportunity to cast their ballots early for the 2018 General Election beginning tomorrow, Oct. 17. Ten sites across the county will open for early voting. Early voting ends at 1 p.m. on Nov. 3.

The Wake County Board of Elections takes many steps to ensure the safety and security of elections. Get a behind-the-scenes look at how Wake County makes sure your vote counts in this [video](#).

Five things you should know before you vote early

1. Eligible Wake County voters may vote at any Wake County early voting site. See locations and the full schedule [here](#).
2. If you forgot to register to vote, you can do same day registration during early voting. You will need to show proof of your current address to register. You will not be able to do same day registration on Election Day, Nov. 6. Learn about requirements [here](#).

3. If you are a registered voter who has moved, you can update your address during early voting or on Election Day. Keep in mind that it will be quicker to update your address during early voting.
4. The Wake County Board of Elections offers an [interactive map](#) to help you find the nearest early voting site. Enter your address, and you'll find site details, voting dates and hours, and driving directions.
5. You may avoid long lines by voting towards the beginning of the early voting period. Lines are generally the longest on the last few days of early voting.

For other voting information, contact the Wake County Board of Elections at 919-856-6240 or visit WakeVotesEarly.com.

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