# Vote By Mail, Chicago: Resources For Chicago Hyde Park Village, Sept 23, 2020

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### **Voting in Chicago - Official Sites (IL & Chicago Boards of Elections)**

- Check your voter registration with IL State Board of Elections <a href="here">here</a>
- Register to vote in Chicago or change your voter address <u>here</u>.
- Chicago vote-by-mail information <u>here</u>. (Apply <u>here</u>.)
- Chicago vote-by-mail video here
- Chicago early voting info here
- Chicago Board of Elections homepage <u>here</u>
- Chicago Vote-by-Mail phone (for problems): 312-269-7967

## **Voting Info for Suburban Cook County - Official site**

Get info on voting for residents of suburban Cook County here

### Info on Voting in Illinois and Chicago - non-government resources

- Voting by Mail in Chicago Block Club Chicago
- How to Vote By Mail in Illinois WBEZ
- Questions About the Nov. 3 Election? We Can Help Illinois FAQs from Better Government Association
- <u>League of Women Voters Chicago voting page</u> non-partisan voting info
- <u>Virus-Free Voting Illinois webpage</u> information on voting safely by mail ("virus-free") in Illinois; *created by Indivisible Illinois, which is a political organization, but this page is non-partisan*

### **Voting Truths vs Myths**

### **University of Chicago**

Why fears about voting by mail are unfounded

#### Brennan Center, a nonpartisan law and policy institute

- The False Narrative of Vote-by-Mail Fraud
- Protect Election 2020 (brief videos)
- Resources on Voter Fraud Claims

#### **Washington Post**

Attorney General Barr's false claims about voting by mail

#### What's on YOUR Ballot?

- Ballotpedia "What's on your ballot?"
- BallotReady

### **Get Info on Judges on the Ballot**

- Chicago Bar Association
- Chicago Council of Lawyers
- The <u>VoteForJudges.org</u> website, a nonpartisan effort aimed at judicial voter education, reports the results of 13 bar groups, which receive information about and evaluate candidates' performances and recommend whether he or she is qualified to be, or remain, a judge.

Note: If judicial recommendations are not yet up, keep checking back.

### **Hotline for Problems on Election Day**

If you vote on Election Day and have problems, call <u>Chicago Lawyers</u>'
 <u>Committee for Civil Rights</u> hotline **1-866-OUR-VOTE** (1-866-687-8683)