Marquette University encourages students to take part in the election process. Students eligible under state and federal law will have the opportunity to vote in the upcoming Presidential Election on Tuesday, Nov. 3, 2020.

CONTINUING AND INCOMING MARQUETTE STUDENTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO VOTE ABSENTEE THIS ELECTION CYCLE

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Wisconsin Election Commission is encouraging eligible Wisconsin voters to vote absentee this election cycle (Nov. 3, 2020 Presidential General Election Day). Please note: you must already be a registered voter to request an absentee ballot.

Some other states and municipalities are also encouraging absentee voting, so please check in with your current state and municipality regarding absentee voting requirements. Please visit marquette.edu/vote and see the links near the bottom of the page to each state regarding absentee voting. You can also check with your local municipality or Secretary of State’s Office.

Please note: eligible voters can only vote once in an election, if you are from Illinois and vote absentee for the Nov. 3, 2020 Presidential Election you cannot also vote in-person in Wisconsin on Nov. 3, 2020.

Under Wisconsin law, every qualified voter must maintain a current voter registration before voting in an election. Therefore, every qualified voter who plans to vote in Wisconsin must complete a voter registration application if:

1. you are a new Wisconsin voter; or
2. your name or residential address has changed since you last registered to vote, including a changed dorm room or apartment number; or
3. if you have not voted in the past four (4) years.

Note that current residency requirement to register to vote in Wisconsin is now 28 days.

If you are uncertain of your voter registration name, address or status, you can go to https://myvote.wi.gov and select “Regular Voter” to look up your voter record.

MARQUETTE VOTER ID CARDS

At this time, Marquette Voter ID Cards will only be issued to continuing students who have already been issued a physical Marquette ID, meet the State of Wisconsin’s residency requirements and other voting requirements under Wisconsin’s law.

Look for information at a later date about obtaining an MU Voter ID card. Additional details on registering to vote, Voter ID, and absentee voting are found at marquette.edu/vote