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DCBOE to Register Voters on National Voter Registration Day

Washington, D.C. - On September 19, 2023, the District of Columbia Board of Elections (DCBOE) will celebrate National Voter Registration Day (NVRD) by hosting voter registration drives at five locations across the District of Columbia.

Founded in 2012, NVRD is a national holiday designed to register eligible voters across the nation. With the 2024 election approaching, DCBOE is a proud partner in these nationwide voter registration efforts as it works to enfranchise all District of Columbia residents.

On September 19, 2023, DCBOE will register voters at the following voter registration drives:

Tuesday, September 19, 8:00 am - 12:30 pm

Carlos Rosario International Public Charter School – Sonia Gutierrez Campus 514 V Street, NE

Tuesday, September 19, 1:00 - 3:00 pm

H.D. Woodson High School 540 55th Street, NE

Tuesday, September 19, 12:00 - 3:00 pm

Howard University 500 Howard Place, NW

Note: this event is open to Howard students and staff only.

Tuesday, September 19, 1:30 - 3:30 pm

National African-American Museum of History and Culture 1400 Constitution Avenue, NW

Tuesday, September 19, 7:00 – 9:30 pm

NVRD Day at Nationals Park 1500 South Capitol Street, SE

To register to vote in the District of Columbia, residents must be:

- At least 16 years old (17-year-olds may vote in a Primary Election, as long as they are 18 by the General Election),
- Be a U.S. citizen,
- Have lived in the District of Columbia for 30 days, and

• Have not been declared legally incompetent to vote by a court of law.

Eligible District of Columbia residents may register to vote at DCBOE's office or online at www.dcboe.org/registertovote. Voters may also download a form to register by mail, e-mail, or fax.

To learn more about National Voter Registration Day, visit www.NationalVoterRegistrationDay.org.

The District of Columbia Board of Elections is an independent agency of the District of Columbia Government responsible for the administration of elections, ballot access, and voter registration.

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About National Voter Registration Day: National Voter Registration Day is an annual nonpartisan event held each year on the third Tuesday of September composed of coordinated efforts by over 4,000 national and community partners from all across the country working to raise awareness of voter registration resources and opportunities. As the nation's largest nonpartisan civic holiday, it has facilitated over 5 million voter registrations since 2012. National Voter Registration Day is endorsed by the National Association of Secretaries of State, National Association of State Election Directors, the U.S. Election Assistance Commission, and the National Association of Election Officials. To learn more about National Voter Registration Day, visit www.NationalVoterRegistrationDay.org.