

**IMD Action Guide:  
Know Your Rights as a Maryland  
Voter**



- **You have the right to choose how you vote. You may vote:**
  - By mail or drop box
  - Early in person
  - In person on Election Day
- **You have the right to vote in safety and without being afraid**
  - Federal and Maryland law prohibit sending ICE and CBP to the polls
    - See 18 U.S.C. § 592; Md. Election Law Code § 16-903
  - Accredited poll challengers and watchers are allowed in the polling place to observe but may not talk to you or stop you from voting
- **You have the right to report voting issues**
  - If someone is not letting you vote, you have the right to ask for the Chief Election Judge
  - You can call the Election Protection Hotline, 866-OUR-VOTE (866-687-8683)
- **You have the right to accessibility**
  - Voters with a disability have the right to be able to get into their polling place and to vote privately using a machine called a ballot marking device
  - An election judge will show you how to use it and let you vote on your own
  - You have the right to receive help from a friend, relative, or election judge
- **You have the right to correct mistakes on your ballot**
  - If you make a mistake, ask for a new ballot, rather than crossing out your mistake
- **You have the right to vote if you are in line by 8:00 p.m**