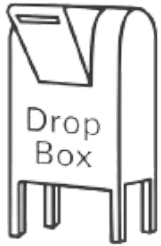


HOW IS YOUR **BALLOT** COUNTED?



Ballot Delivery!

Ballots are mailed to your local county election office or picked up from local ballot drop boxes throughout the county.

Track your ballot at votewa.gov

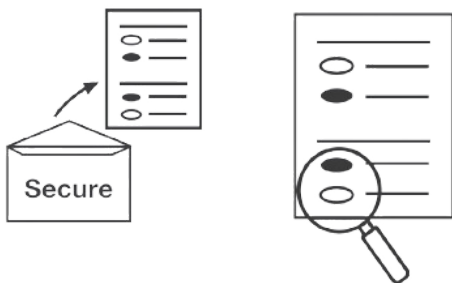
Your Signature is Verified

The signature on your return envelope is compared to the signature in your voter registration record. If the signature matches, your ballot is accepted and you are credited for voting to ensure only one ballot is counted for you. You will be contacted if the signature is missing or doesn't match the voter registration record.



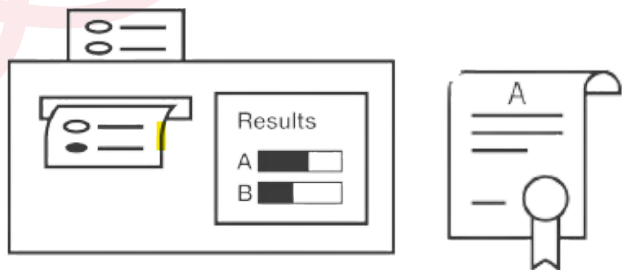
Ballot is Reviewed and Scanned

The return envelope is opened and security sleeve is removed. They are separated to ensure the secrecy of your vote. The ballot is then reviewed by election staff to verify it can be successfully scanned. Volunteer election observers are able to watch these steps in county offices!



Ballot is Counted

After 8:00 p.m. on Election Day, all scanned ballots are tallied over the next several days until all the votes are counted.



Election results become official on certification day!



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