

In January, you received a letter from the Minneapolis Elections & Voter Services Division explaining the new **Tenant Notification of Voter Registration ordinance (TNVR)** effective March 1, 2016.

This policy aims to reduce barriers to voter participation by targeting challenges associated with registration, which is especially concerning in Minneapolis, a community where more than half of all residents are renters. By providing notice about registration requirements at the time of first occupancy the City hopes to ease access to the ballot box for all qualified voters who are renters.

Enclosed is a copy of a voter registration application and accompanying voter registration information sheet to be given at the time of move-in to all tenants aged 18 or older. The ordinance only requires this information packet be provided to new tenants when they move in. **Property managers are not responsible to collect any registrations or to ensure a registration is completed.**

The required documents can be provided to tenants in printed copy or in electronic format (PDFs). Elections & Voter Services will provide additional information packets at no cost.

To order additional packets:

- Complete the online request form found at vote.minneapolismn.gov/resources/TNVR.
- Access PDFs on vote.minneapolismn.gov/resources/TNVR to provide to tenants electronically or to download and print for distribution.
- Call 311 to make a request. (From outside of Minneapolis, dial 612-673-3000 to reach 311.)
- TNVR information available in English, Somali, Spanish & Hmong.

If you are interested in additional election-related information to share with your tenants including additional voter registration applications, posters with your location's polling place information, or information on how to be an election judge, please contact Elections & Voter Services by email at elections@minneapolismn.gov, or by calling 311.

For reasonable accommodations or alternative formats please call Minneapolis Elections & Voter Services at 612-673-2350 or email elections@minneapolismn.gov. People who are deaf or hard of hearing can use a relay service to call 311 at 612-673-3000. TTY users call 612-673-2157 or 612-673-2626.

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