Too many eligible voters are being left out of our elections because of Rhode Island’s outdated, arbitrary 30-day voter registration deadline.

It’s time our constitution allows same day registration.

**RI SUPPORT FOR SAME-DAY REGISTRATION**

**61%**

*Poll results released April 30, 2021, conducted by Lincoln Park Strategies, commissioned by partners of the Let RI Vote campaign.

**Support allowing same-day voter registration**

**Same Day Reg. will:**
- Eliminate arbitrary deadlines
- Allow eligible residents to register and vote a full ballot up to and on Election Day
- Increase overall voter turnout
- Reduce racial inequities
- Improve voter list accuracy
- Alleviate the work for election administrators by decreasing the use of time-consuming provisional ballots

**Status Quo:**
- Rhode Island has a 30-day voter registration requirement written in our constitution
- Hundreds of voters are denied the chance to vote for state and local office every election because their registration is not up-to-date by the deadline

**RHODE ISLAND’S VOTER REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS THE MOST RESTRICTIVE IN U.S.**

**RHODE ISLAND IS AN OUTLIER:**

Same-day voter registration is already available in 4 of 6 New England states

Same-Day Voter Registration is available in 22 states + D.C.

CA, CT, CO, HI, IA, ID, IL, MD, ME, MI, MN, MT, NC, NH, NM, NV, WA, WI, WY UT, VA, VT

*SOURCE: National Conference of State Legislatures*