



# Virginia Request for Assistance – Inside the Polling Place

Authority: § 24.2-649 of the Code of Virginia

**Fill out this form if you will need help completing your ballot in person.**

<b>Do you need help?</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Yes, I will need help. – Complete this form and return it.</li><li>• No, I do not need help. – This form is not needed. You do not need to return it.</li></ul>
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## Voter (I will have help completing my ballot)

<b>Voter's Name:</b>	<div>_____</div> <div>Last Name</div>		<div>_____</div> <div>First Name</div>	
	<div>_____</div> <div>Middle Name</div>		<div>_____</div> <div>Suffix</div>	
<b>Voter's Affirmation:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• I require assistance completing my ballot because I am blind, have a disability, am unable to read or write, or I need the ballot translated into another language.</li><li>• I want the person listed in Section B below to enter the voting booth to assist me or to vote my ballot according to my instructions.</li></ul>			
<b>Voter Sign Here:</b>	<div><b>X</b> _____</div> <div>Voter Signature (or mark)</div>		<div>____/____/____</div> <div>Date</div>	
<b>What if I can't sign my name?</b>	<p><i>*A blind voter is not required to sign or make a mark</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Check here if voter is unable to sign due to disability or inability to read or write</p>			

## Assistant (the person who is helping the voter)

<b>Assistant's Name:</b>	<div>_____</div> <div>Last Name</div>		<div>_____</div> <div>First Name</div>	
	<div>_____</div> <div>Middle Name</div>		<div>_____</div> <div>Suffix</div>	
<b>Assistant's Address:</b>	<div>_____</div> <div>Residence Address</div>			
	<div>_____</div> <div>City</div>	<div>_____</div> <div>State</div>	<div>____ ____ ____ ____</div> <div>Zip Code</div>	
<b>Assistant's Affirmation:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• I will fill out this voter's ballot as the voter instructs.</li><li>• I will not solicit or attempt to influence how the voter votes.</li><li>• I will not disclose or indicate how the voter votes on any office or question.</li><li>• I am not serving in this polling place today as an authorized representative of a political party or candidate or as a neutral observer authorized by the electoral board (See §§ 24.2-604.4 and 24.2-604.5).</li><li>• I am not the voter's employer or an agent of that employer, or an officer or agent of the voter's union (Does not apply if voter is blind).</li></ul>			
<b>Assistant Sign Here:</b>	<div><b>X</b> _____</div> <div>Assistant Signature</div>		<div>____/____/____</div> <div>Date</div>	

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## If Voter Asks Officer of Elections to Translate Ballot (as Assistant)

See §§ 24.2-649 and 24.2-604(C). Any party or candidate interpreter must sign below before observing.

I hereby affirm, subject to penalty of law, that:

- I will not solicit or attempt to influence how the voter votes.
- I will not disclose or indicate how the voter votes on any office or question.

_____ Signature	_____ Printed Name	_____ Representing
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