



# Coming in 2013

Beginning **January 1, 2013**, you will be asked to show **one** of the following Photo IDs at your polling place:

S. C. Driver's License

S. C. Voter Registration Card with Photo

ID Card Issued by S.C. Department of

Federal Military ID

Motor Vehicles

U. S. Passport

## **HOW TO GET A PHOTO ID:**

If you do not currently have one of the Photo IDs above, you can make your voting experience as fast and easy as possible by getting one free of charge:

- Get a voter registration card with a photo from your county voter registration and elections office by simply providing your date of birth and the last four digits of your Social Security Number.
- Get a DMV ID card at a local DMV office. Check with DMV or [scdmvonline.com](http://scdmvonline.com) for required documents.

## **IF YOU DO NOT HAVE PHOTO ID ON ELECTION DAY:**

If you have a reasonable impediment to obtaining Photo ID, you may vote a provisional ballot after showing your no-photo voter registration card. A reasonable impediment is any valid reason, beyond your control, which created an obstacle to obtaining Photo ID. Some examples include:

- **Religious objection to being photographed**
- **Disability or illness**
- **Work schedule**
- **Lack of transportation**
- **Lack of birth certificate**
- **Family responsibilities**
- **Election within short time frame of implementation of Photo ID law (January 1, 2013)**

**To vote under the reasonable impediment exception:**

- 1. Present your current, non-photo voter registration card at the polling place.**
  - 2. Sign an affidavit stating why you could not obtain a Photo ID.**
  - 3. Cast a provisional ballot that will be counted unless the county election commission has reason to believe your affidavit is false.**
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