

## 2024 State election

Queenslanders will vote in the State election on **Saturday 26 October 2024**.

If you may be at risk, it's important to plan now for how you will have your say. In this fact sheet, you'll find information about how you can vote quickly, easily and safely.



## Voting services for silent electors

### Are you at risk?

You can apply to be registered as a **silent elector** if you believe that having your address shown on the publicly available electoral roll could put you or your family at risk.

### What is a silent elector?

Silent enrolment means your address will not be shown on future editions of the publicly available electoral roll.

It's also strongly recommended that others living in your household who are eligible to vote also register as a silent elector to minimise risk of a perpetrator discovering your address.

### How do I apply?

Complete a registration form to become a silent elector. Visit the AEC website at [aec.gov.au/silent](https://aec.gov.au/silent). We recommend that you apply to be a silent elector by 1 October 2024 so that, if approved by the AEC, your details can be updated in time for the State election.

# How do I vote?



## Postal voting

As a silent elector, you'll automatically receive your voting materials in the mail.

Remember to read the instructions carefully before you begin. You can complete your vote as soon as you receive it.

Visit the ECQ website to watch a short video about postal voting and how it works.  
[ecq.qld.gov.au/postalvoting](https://ecq.qld.gov.au/postalvoting).



## Telephone voting

Telephone voting is available for eligible electors, including silent electors.

To protect the integrity, secrecy and security of your vote there are several steps to follow, so be sure to allow sufficient time for this process.

1. **Register:** call 1300 912 782 from 8am on Monday 14 October to noon on Saturday 26 October 2024.
2. **Vote:** from 8am on Monday 14 October to 6pm on polling day, Saturday 26 October 2024.



## Voting in person

You can vote in person if you are a silent elector, but you will need to complete a declaration vote at the booth, as your details will not appear on the electoral roll. Ask for the booth supervisor when you arrive, identify yourself as a silent elector and they will assist you.

If you are planning to vote in person, you can vote at an early voting centre or polling place on election day anywhere in Queensland.

Early and election day voting is open from 8am to 6pm.

Visit the ECQ website at [ecq.qld.gov.au](https://ecq.qld.gov.au) to find your nearest location.