

## Electioneering

### What is electioneering?

Electioneering is any act of campaigning for a candidate, party, measure, or anything else on the ballot. It can be handing out flyers, placing campaign signs, or even just wearing a t-shirt supporting something. **Electioneering is allowed more than 100 feet from the entrance to a polling place, but IT IS NOT allowed within the 100-foot zone.**

### How will I know where the 100-foot zone is?

**Every polling place in Texas is required to post a sign, cone, or flyer that clearly indicates the 100-foot zone. If you don't see that sign, or you see Electioneering within the 100-foot zone, call 866-OUR-VOTE and we will contact the county to get them to correct the situation!**

### Can I wear my "Vote for [Candidate]" apparel inside the polling place?

**No!** You will not be allowed within 100 feet of the polling place wearing a mask, hat, t-shirt, button, or any other campaign or party apparel. You can wear your campaign gear for most of Election Day, but make sure to wear nonpartisan gear when you go vote!

### What about attire that is not specifically related to a candidate or party, but is a statement that some might see as political?

It's a gray area legally, but **it depends on the statement**. If the shirt supports someone or something that is on the ballot, you **cannot** wear it in the polling place. If the statement is a general policy position that is not tied to a specific candidate or a party, you probably **can** wear it.

<b>What does the apparel say?</b>	<b>Can it be worn in a polling place?</b>
"Biden for President," "Trump 2024," "Vote for Prop 15"	No
"Make America Great Again," "Ridin with Biden"	No
"Medicare for All," "Build the Wall," "I Support the Green New Deal"	Probably no
"Black Lives Matter," "All Lives Matter," "Save the Planet," "God Bless America"	Probably yes

### What if someone outside the polling place is yelling, being threatening, or aggressive?

That is [voter intimidation](#), and it is not allowed inside or outside of polling locations. If you see intimidation happening, call **866-OUR-VOTE** immediately.

