

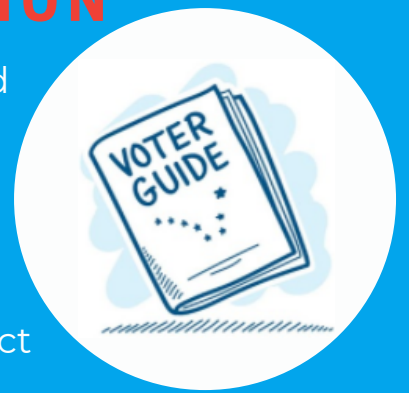
MOCK ELECTION 2020

YOUTH VOICE SHOULD BE HEARD!

YOUTH VOTE 2020 MOCK ELECTION

Every election cycle since 2000, Youth Vote has conducted a mock election for students in Anchorage. The mock election ballot includes candidates for President/Vice President and Alaska's candidates for US House of Representatives and the US Senate.

The mock election ballot also includes measures that reflect the current ballot as well as youth created measures.



CANDIDATE INFORMATION

The [Alaska Division of Elections](#) has information about all candidates running for office in Alaska and for President and Vice President of the United States.

You can also watch Youth Vote's [2020 Candidates Forum](#) to learn more about Alaska's candidates for US House and Senate.



YV BALLOT MEASURES

This year, Youth Vote decided on two ballot measures:

1. Should Alaska hold an Open Primary rather than a Political Primary? [Pro/Con information here.](#)
2. Should Alaska establish "Ranked-Choice Voting" for the general election?
[Here's a TED-Ed video about different voting systems.](#)

The following videos share arguments for and against RCV
[Pro information here.](#) [Con information here.](#)



YV STUDENT POLL QUESTION

One of Youth Vote's main goals is to empower youth voice in our community. We see the mock election as an opportunity to find out if students feel their concerns are heard by decision makers. This year our ballot asks students if they feel their voice has been meaningfully included in decision making during the pandemic.



MOCK ELECTION LINK

Once you have read about the candidates, looked at all of the pro/con websites and videos, and learned a bit about different voting systems, you are ready to vote in this year's mock election. Voting opens on Tuesday, October 27th and will remain open until Tuesday, November 3rd at 8pm.



[VOTE HERE!](#)

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