

TOWN OF SOUTH HADLEY - RETURN WITHIN TEN (10) Days

Answering the annual census/street listing provides proof of residence, protection of voting rights, veteran's benefits, housing for the elderly and related benefits as well as providing information for your community. You can register to vote or change party online at SEC.STATE.MA.US/OVR/ or you can obtain a mail-in registration form by calling (413) 538-5030 x6183. You must be a registered voter at least ten (10) days prior to an Election.

INSTRUCTIONS – PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY

- A – VOTER** – Registered voters will have a code indicating their enrollment status in this column; “R” Republican, “D” Democrat, and “U” for Unenrolled (Independent). All other letters represent political party designations. You cannot use this form to register to vote or change political enrollment.
- B – NAMES OF ALL FAMILY / HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS AT THIS ADDRESS** – Be sure that ALL family or household members whose legal address is the same. Include any member of the family in Military Service, away at school or confined to a rest home. If a NEW member has been added to the family or household, enter the name & information in the blank space provided on the form.
- C – DATE OF BIRTH** – MM=Month, DD=Day, YYYY=Year. If your date of birth is blank or incorrect, please note change.
- D – OCCUPATION** – Indicate/verify your occupation, not your place of employment.
- E – NATIONALITY** – Complete only if you are NOT a U. S. Citizen, please indicate/verify your nationality.
- F – MOVED / DECEASED** – Place a “D” in the column to indicate the resident is deceased. Place an “M” to indicate the resident has Moved. You MUST also provide a new address for moved registered voters along with their signature for it to be processed (Complete the Moved voter section on the bottom of the form).
- G – U.S. VETERAN** – Check box in column if member of household is a United States Veteran. A “Y” indicates you are a veteran of the U. S. Armed Forces.
- H – SPOUSE OF U.S. VETERAN** – Check box in column if member of household is a spouse of a U.S. Veteran.
- I – PUBLIC SAFETY** – Check box in column if a member of the household works for a public safety agency.

To register to vote or to change your party enrollment you must complete a NEW VOTER REGISTRATION FORM in person, by mail or online at:

www.RegisterToVoteMA.com

or

Use the QR Code on the right



If you have any questions, please call South Hadley Town Clerk's Office at (413) 538-5030

COMPLETE YOUR ANNUAL CENSUS FORM TO MAINTAIN YOUR ACTIVE VOTER STATUS

INACTIVE VOTERS

Registered voters who do not respond to the annual census/street listing by June 1st are considered inactive. Inactive voters are required to complete additional forms & show an ID at elections to vote. Completing these forms at an election does NOT update your census year -- you MUST return a census form to become active and avoid completing these forms at future elections.

Inactive voters who DO NOT respond to the census confirmation mailing and DO NOT vote for 4 consecutive years are deleted from the voting list.

WHY AM I RECEIVING MULTIPLE CENSUS FORMS?

Each household should receive one census/street listing form. If everyone in your household is NOT appearing on the same census form and you are receiving multiple forms, simply send back all the forms together or write in the missing people on the form with the head of household to receive a single census form in the future.