

AutoMARK Voter Assist Terminal

**ACCESSIBLE
VOTING**

WHAT IS AUTOMARK?

AutoMARK is a voter assist terminal that helps a voter independently and privately mark an official paper ballot. It does not count the ballot.

WHO MAY USE IT?

Any eligible voter may use AutoMARK if they would benefit from accessibility features, such as audio, large text, high contrast, tactile controls, or alternative input devices.

1 TERMINAL

Available on every voting day

One AutoMARK terminal will be available at a designated voting places on each advance voting day and general voting day.

Date

Oct. 7 & 8
Oct. 9 & 14
Oct. 10
Oct. 17

Facility

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Century House
Anvil Centre
Century House

WAYS TO USE THE TERMINAL

Touch screen

Make selections directly on screen.

Keypad + audio

Use tactile/Braille keypad with headphones.

Display settings

Choose large text or high-contrast view.

Alternative inputs

Use a rocker paddle or your own Sip-N-Puff.

HOW TO VOTE USING AUTOMARK

1 Receive and insert your ballot

Receive an unmarked official ballot from an election official. Insert it into the AutoMARK ballot tray.

2 Choose your access method

Use the touch screen, keypad and headphones, rocker paddle or your own Sip-N-Puff. Adjust text size, contrast, audio volume, and reading speed as needed.

3 Make your selections

Follow the prompts. The terminal highlights your choices and helps prevent selecting more choices than allowed.

4 Review your ballot

Review the on-screen or audio summary. Return to any contest before marking your ballot if you want to change a choice.

5 Mark and collect your ballot

Select "Mark Ballot." AutoMARK marks your official paper ballot and returns it to you.

6 Submit your ballot

Take your marked ballot to the ballot box or tabulator for counting. You may also use AutoMARK to verify a marked ballot; changes cannot be made during verification.

YOUR VOTE IS YOUR CHOICE

A trained election official will be present to assist voters with using the voting machine; however, they do not make voting decisions for you.

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