

Advance in Person (also known as Early Voting)

Early Voting is absentee voting that takes place only in the Elections & Voter Registration Office 21 days prior to a Primary, General, and Special Election. Voters cast their votes on a touch screen voting machine rather than a paper absentee ballot.

Hours

Early Voting will be held Monday through Friday from **8:00 am until 4:30 pm only in our office** 21 days out from the election until the Friday before Election Day. State law prohibits voting on the day before an election. This means no absentee ballots will be issued nor will there be any voting on machines.

Location

Franklin County Elections and Registration Office: Only location open 21 days prior to Election Day
211 Athens Street
Carnesville, Georgia 30521

Runoff Exception

For a runoff election, the only location open for advance voting is the Elections Office with normal business hours of 8:00 am until 4:30 pm. Should you have any questions or need additional information, please call (706) 384-4390.

Saturday Voting:

We will only have Saturday Voting when there is a federal candidate on the ballot. The only voting location open is the Election Office. Hours are 9:00 am until 4:00 pm.

Additional Information

For more information, please call (706) 384-4390 or if you are a Military or Overseas voter, please visit the Federal Voting Assistance Program's [website](#).

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Also, please note that once the Elections & Voter Registration Office has received a voted absentee ballot, it cannot be removed from our office.