



Voting in the 2026 General Election

Te pōti ki te Pōtitanga Whānui 2026

What's different this year?

He aha te rerekētanga i tēnei tau?



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Kia tōmua te rēhita

I tēnei tau me rēhita rawa i mua i te tuwheratanga o te pōti. Kua kore e āhei tō rēhita me te pōti i te wā kotahi.

Me rēhita i mua i te 4 o Oketopa, e whiwhi ai koe i tō kāri PōtiMārire. Mā tērā e tere ake ai tō pōti, me tā mātou tatau anō hoki i tō pōti!

Ki te rēhita, ki te whakahou rānei koe i ō taipitopito ā muri i te 4 o Oketopa, ka mate pea koe ki te pōti mā te pōti motuhake, ā, ka roa ake te mahi. Hei te **weherua pō o te Hanareī, te 25 o Oketopa** kati ai te rēhita me te whakahou wāhitau.

Tirohia tō rēhita

I tōna tikanga, kua rēhitaia koe ki te wāhitau hei reira rā koe e noho ana. Mēnā kāore tētahi o tō whānau, o ō hoa rānei i whiwhi i tētahi reta pēnei, āwhinatia atu ia kia rēhita e takatū ai ki te pōti.

Rēhitaia, tirohia, whakahoungia rānei ō taipitopito ki **vote.nz/enrol**

Ko tō kāri PōtiMārire

E pai tonu ana tō pōti me te kore o tētahi kāri PōtiMārire, engari mā te whai i tētahi e tere ake ai, e māmā ake ai hoki tō pōti.

I te tau nei, ka rerekē te āhua o tā mātou tuku i tō kāri PōtiMārire ki a koe. Mēnā kei a mātou tō wāhitau īmēra, mā te īmēra koe e whiwhi ai i tō kāri. Mēnā ko tō wāhitau poutāpeta anake kei a mātou, mēnā rānei kei te rārangi matatapu koe, mā te poutāpeta kē tō kāri e tae ai ki a koe.

E pēnei ana mātou kia tae wawe atu ai tō kāri PōtiMārire ki a koe.

Ka tae tahi atu tō kāri PōtiMārire me tētahi rārangi o ngā kaitono ā-rohe katoa hei kōwhiringa māu. Kei **vote.nz** ngā kōrero mō te wāhi pōti e tata katoa ana ki a koe, me ngā rārangi rōpū tōrangapū anō hoki.

Ki te hiahia koe kia whiwhi i tō kāri PōtiMārire mā te īmēra, tirohia te wāhitau īmēra kua tuhia ki tō reta i te pūhera nei. Ki te kore e tika, mēnā rānei karekau i reira, me whakahou ō taipitopito. Ko te wāhitau īmēra i homai rā koe, koirā anake ka whakamahia e mātou.

Tirohia tō rohe pōti

Kei te reta i roto i te pūhera nei ko te rohe pōti hei reira koe e rēhitaia ana hei kaipōti.

Kua panoni ngā ingoa me ngā roherohenga o ētahi rohe pōti. Kua rerekē pea tō rohe pōti i tērā i pōti ai koe i te pōtitanga kua hori.

He mea arotake e te Te Kōmihana Whakaatanga Rohe Pōti ngā roherohenga o ngā rohe pōti i te tau 2025 hei whakaū i te hangarite o ia rohe pōti, ā-taupori nei. Mā te pērā e hangarite ana ko te whakaatanga o tēnā me tēnā o Aotearoa ki te Pāremata.

I te Pōtitanga Whānui 2026, ka 71 ngā rohe pōti, e kapi ana i tērā ko ngā rohe pōti whānui e 64, me ngā rohe pōti Māori e 7.

He kōrero anō mō ngā panonitanga ki ngā roherohenga pōti ki **elections.nz**

Kei te hia mōhiohio atu anō?

E kitea ai ētahi mōhiohio anō mō te rēhita me te pōti ki te Pōtitanga Whānui 2026

- toro mai ki **vote.nz**
- waea mai ki **0800 36 76 56**



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Enrol early

This year you need to be enrolled before voting starts. You can't enrol and vote at the same time.

Enrol by 4 October to get your EasyVote card. This makes voting faster and means we can count your vote more quickly!

If you enrol or update your details after 4 October you may need to cast a special vote which takes longer.

The last day you can enrol or update your address is **midnight, Sunday 25 October**.

Check your enrolment

You should be enrolled at the address where you live.

If any of your whānau or friends didn't get a letter like this one, help them get enrolled so they're ready to vote.

Enrol, check or update your details at **vote.nz/enrol**



Your EasyVote Card

You can vote without an EasyVote card, but having one makes voting faster and easier.

The way we deliver your EasyVote card will be different this year. If we have your email address, you'll receive it by email. If we only have your postal address or if you're on the unpublished roll, you'll get it in the post.

We're doing it this way so you get your EasyVote card as early as possible.

Your EasyVote card will come with a list of the electorate candidates you can vote for. You'll be able to find your closest voting place and party lists at **vote.nz**

If you want to receive your EasyVote card by email, check the email address on your letter in this pack. If it's not correct, or if it's missing, you need to update your details. We'll only use the email address you've given us.

Check your electorate

The electorate you're enrolled to vote in, is on the letter in this pack.

The names and boundaries of some electorates have changed. You might be in a different electorate from the one you voted in at the last election.

The Representation Commission reviewed the electorate boundaries in 2025 to make sure each electorate has about the same number of people. This gives all New Zealanders equal representation in Parliament.

For the 2026 General Election, there will be 71 electorates, including 64 general electorates and 7 Māori electorates.

Find out more about the recent electorate boundary changes on **elections.nz**

Want more information?

For more information about enrolling and voting in the 2026 General Election

- visit **vote.nz**
- call **0800 36 76 56**

