

Please return form to:
 Town Clerk
 1 Park Street
 Sterling, MA 01564-2132

TOWN OF STERLING

IMPORTANT LEGAL DOCUMENT

2014 CENSUS/ANNUAL STREET LISTING

General Laws of Massachusetts mandate an annual street listing of residents as of January 1 each year. As part of this process we include information that is maintained in the Commonwealth's Voter Registration Information System (VRIS). Please update and correct the information provided by adding, deleting, or making changes below the printed information. Please SIGN and RETURN this form in the enclosed envelope within ten (10) days, even if NO changes are necessary. DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS ARE LOCATED ON THE BACK OF THIS FORM. PLEASE PRINT.

If you are eligible to vote, you may register in person at any Town or City Hall in Massachusetts or by mail. If you wish to change your party designation, or for general assistance, call the Town Clerk at 978-422-8111 ext 2307. If we do not know your birth date, it may appear as 07/04/1776. If we do not know your occupation, it may appear as "unemployed".

RESIDENCE ADDRESS

← If this address is incorrect, make corrections below:

WARNING: Failure to respond to this mailing shall result in removal from the active voting list and may result in removal from the voter registration rolls. (MGL Ch. 51 Sec. 4[c])

If there is no party information next to your name, you are not a registered voter. You MAY NOT register to vote or change your party enrollment on this form.

Precinct

Phone # unlisted

NAME			Mail to	Gender M/F	Date of Birth mm/dd/yyyy	Occupation	Nationality if not U.S. Citizen	US Veteran	Political Party	A-Active Voter I-Inactive Voter	Public Safety	M-Moved D-Deceased
Last	First	Middle										

Signature of Respondent: _____ Date: _____

Signed under the pains and penalties of perjury as prescribed by M.G.L. Chapter 56 Sec. 4.



2014 Important Dates

April 12, Saturday, 8 PM - Deadline to register to vote for Town Meeting and Town Election

May 3, Saturday - Town Meeting

May 12, Monday - Town Election, 7 AM - 8 PM

TOWN OF STERLING - SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: RETURN WITHIN TEN (10) DAYS

COMPLIANCE with this State requirement provides proof of residence, protection of voting rights, veterans' bonus, housing for the elderly and related benefits, as well as providing information for your community. This form **DOES NOT** register you as a voter or allow you to change your political party. To register or change party, please obtain a mail-in registration form by calling the Town Clerk at 978-422-8111 ext. 2307. You must be a registered voter at least twenty (20) days prior to any election in order to vote in that election.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS - PLEASE PRINT

Please verify and/or complete all information listed on the form, then sign and date it. Make corrections as necessary.

RESIDENT ADDRESS - If your resident address is incorrect, make the change in the space above the incorrect address.

PHONE NUMBER - Please print and/or verify your phone number in the indicated space. If unlisted, put an "X" in the box next to the word "Unlisted".

DELETIONS - Put a line through the name of any resident no longer residing at this address and list his/her new address.

NAMES OF ALL FAMILY/HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS AT THIS ADDRESS - Includes any member 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 and information in the space provided. If you are the new resident at this address, please add your information. By law, we cannot delete the former residents for 4 years unless they send a letter informing us that they have moved.

MAIL TO - This is the designated individual to whom this form has been sent. If you wish to change your designated mail to contact, please place a "Y" next to the name of the selected individual. **ONLY ONE "HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD"** may be designated in order to have the entire family listed together.

GENDER M/F - Should be "M" for Male or "F" for Female.

DATE OF BIRTH - "MM" = Month, DD = Day, YYYY = Year. If your date of birth is blank or incorrect, please make appropriate changes.

OCCUPATION - Enter occupation, not place of employment.

NATIONALITY - If you are **NOT** a U.S. Citizen, please indicate your nationality.

VETERAN - Enter "Y" if you are a veteran of the U.S. Armed Forces.

POLITICAL PARTY - "R" for REPUBLICAN, "D" for DEMOCRAT, and "U" for UNENROLLED. All other letters represent political party designations. This reflects the information on file and can only be updated by completing the necessary voter registration or party enrollment change form.

VOTER STATUS - Indicates whether a person is an active or inactive voter. Returning this form will reactivate voter status unless the voter indicates that he/she has moved and signs the form.

PUBLIC SAFETY - Check this box if you are a member of a public safety agency and **WORK AND LIVE IN THIS COMMUNITY**.

MOVED/DECEASED - If this person has moved or is deceased, please indicate with "M" or "D".

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CALL THE TOWN CLERK AT 978-422-8111 ext. 2307.