**PARTY AFFILIATION**

Under Ohio law, an elector affiliates with a political party by voting in that party’s primary election. An elector is considered to be a member of a political party if they voted in that party’s primary election within the preceding two calendar years, or if they did not vote in any other party’s primary election within the preceding two calendar years.

Under Ohio law, voters affiliate with a political party by requesting that political party’s ballot in a primary election. If a voter does not want to affiliate with a political party, the voter may request an issues only ballot.