CAN I VOTE IF I'VE BEEN TO PRISON? YES.

ENCOURAGING FORMERLY INCARCERATED OHIOANS TO REGISTER AND VOTE

People who have been convicted of a felony under state or federal law can vote in Ohio if they are not currently in prison serving a felony sentence.

Ohioans can vote even if they are on post-release control, probation or parole. Also, those who are in jail waiting for trial, or serving a sentence for a misdemeanor can register and vote by absentee ballot. (See Ohio Revised Code 2961.01).

If anyone tells you otherwise, don’t believe them. There’s a lot of misinformation out there.

Just register to vote at a local voter registration site or by mail. Then vote. People who registered to vote and were later convicted of a felony may simply re-register upon release.

Local voter registration locations include any public library, any public high school or vocational school, the County Board of Elections, or any Bureau of Motor Vehicles office.

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