Anoka Technical College (ATC) Voter Engagement Plan (2024-2025)

In accordance with Minnesota Statute 201.1611:

ATC will provide voter registration forms to each student during the fall and spring of each year. In state election years, forms will be provided 15 days in advance of the deadline for registering to vote for the state general election. The voter registration forms will be provided electronically in a voter registration dedicated email to all students.

Voter registration forms will contain spaces for the information required in section 201.071, subdivision 1, and applicable rules of the secretary of state. ATC's Campus Vote Coordinator will consult with the campus student government in determining the most effective means of distributing the forms and in seeking to facilitate election day registration of students under section 201.061, subdivision 3.

A copy of each completed voter registration form will be sent to the county auditor of the county in which the voter maintains residence or to the secretary of state as soon as possible. All completed voter registration forms will be forwarded no later than 21 days before the general election.

ATC maintains a webpage to share resources to help students determine where and how they are eligible to vote, including:

- Resources from state and local election officials on voter registration and voting requirements including voter registration deadlines; residency requirements; acceptable methods of proving residency for same day registration, as applicable; and absentee voting options;
- Applicable deadlines for requesting and submitting an absentee ballot, as well as additional options for early and in-person voting, and voting on election day;
- Resources to help students who are registered in another state to apply for absentee ballots in that state;
- The campus vote coordinator's name and contact info;
- The voter engagement plan required by paragraph (b), clause (2).

ATC did not participate in the "ALL IN Campus Democracy Challenge" but will look to do so in the future.

Goal	Actions	Timeline	Responsible People
Provide voter	1. Link to online voter registration	Emails will be sent at	Thom Nordin
registration forms to	on ATC's voting webpage.	least a month prior to	(Campus Vote
each student in the	2. Send an all-student email each	each election,	Coordinator) and
fall and spring	semester dedicated to voter	including primaries.	Student Senate
	registration, directing students		Leadership
	to the Secretary of State's		
	website to register.		
	3. Student Senate will host voter		
	information events/activities		
	with link to ways to register		
	(especially same-day		
	registration closer to election		
	day)		
Establish and	Campus Vote Coordinator will consult	Fall and Winter 2024	Thom Nordin
implement voter	with Student Senate on goals and		(Campus Vote
engagement plan	ideas for promoting voting on campus.		Coordinator) and
			Student Senate
			Leadership
Increase voting rate of	1. Student Senate to host voter	Throughout the voter	Student Senate,
ATC Students from	information events such as	registration and	College President,
41.2% and 2022 to	Constitution Day/National	election cycle.	Marketing staff
47% in 2024	Register to Vote Day activities.		
(according to NSLVE	2. All-student email promoting		
campus report	voting from College President.		
	3. Maintain and update ATC's		
	voter information webpage and		
	direct students there for		
	information.		