

**ALL IDENTITY DOCUMENTS MUST BE ORIGINAL OR CERTIFIED COPIES IN ENGLISH AND HAVE THE REQUIRED STATE AND/OR MUNICIPAL SEALS.**



**2 + 1 + 6 = REAL ID**

- Certified copies of NJ records are available from the municipality that originally issued them and from the Office of Vital Statistics and Registry: [nj.gov/health/vital](http://nj.gov/health/vital) or (609) 292-4087

- For a replacement SSN card visit: [socialsecurity.gov/myaccount](http://socialsecurity.gov/myaccount)
- If the applicant's birth certificate is from Jersey City/Hudson County, you must check: [state.nj.us/health/vital/order-vital/jersey-city-hudson-county-records](http://state.nj.us/health/vital/order-vital/jersey-city-hudson-county-records)

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**STEP I 2 PROOFS OF RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS**

- Valid NJ driver license/non-driver identification card, or a Motor Vehicle Commission issued driver license renewal form (displaying residential address)
- Utility or credit card bill issued in the past 90 days
- Checking or savings account statement from a bank or credit union issued within the past 60 days
- Original, **unexpired** lease or rental agreement
- Tax bill, statement or receipt, and/or any letter or correspondence received from the IRS or tax office within the past year
- First class mail from any government agency in the past six months
- If under 18, statement from parent or guardian certifying address of applicant

**NEXT**

**STEP II 1 PROOF OF FULL SSN**

- Social Security Card
- W-2 Form issued within the past year
- Pay Stub with name and full SSN
- 1099 Form issued within the past year

**CONTINUE**

**Documents from steps I and II may also be used as secondary documents if listed as an option**

**STEP III 6 POINTS COMBINED FROM PRIMARY AND SECONDARY (REQUIRED)**

**PRIMARY**  
Select one and only one document from Primary.

- ④ **Unexpired** US passport or passport card
- ④ US or US Territory birth certificate certified copy filed with a state office of vital statistics or equivalent agency in the individual's state of birth
- ④ US Department of State birth certificate (Form FS-545 or DS-1350)
- ④ US Department of State Consular Report of Birth Abroad (Form FS-240)
- ④ Certificate of Naturalization (Form N-550, N-578, or N-570)
- ④ Certificate of Citizenship (Form N-560 or N-561)
- ④ Current Permanent Resident Card (Form I-551) issued by USCIS (**with expiration date**)
- ④ **Unexpired** foreign passport with valid visa and I-94 (stamp or form version)
- ④ Current photo employment authorization card (USCIS Form I-688B or I-766)

- ② Current Permanent Resident Card (Form I-551) issued by INS (**without expiration date**)

**SECONDARY**  
Cannot use more than two 1-point documents.

- ① **Unexpired** standard photo driver license from NJ or any state, or US Territory, and the District of Columbia
- ① **Unexpired** standard non-driver identification card from NJ only
- ① Social Security card
- ① Bank/credit union statement or record (within the past 60 days)
- ① ATM/debit card with preprinted name and applicant's signature (ATM/debit card and bank statement cannot be submitted together)
- ① Current health insurance card or prescription card displaying applicant's name
- ① Current employee identification card with pay stub
- ① State professional license
- ① NJ public assistance card with photo (also known as an NJ Social Services identification card)
- ① High school diploma, GED or college degree
- ① Property tax statement, bill or receipt issued by an NJ municipality
- ① For NJ high school students: a waiver certificate for the written portion of the driver's test
- ① Veterans Administration universal access photo identification card

- ② **Unexpired** federal government employee driver license
- ② **Unexpired** federal government employee photo identification card
- ② US military discharge papers (Form DD-214)
- ② FAA pilot license
- ② US school photo identification card with transcript or school records
- ② US college photo identification card with transcript
- ③ Legal name change court order signed by a judge or court clerk
- ③ Civil marriage or civil union certificate or divorce decree
- ③ US adoption papers
- ③ Current US military photo identification card
- ③ Current US military dependent card
- ③ US military photo retiree card
- ③ NJ firearm purchaser card
- ④ **Unexpired** REAL ID driver license, non-driver identification card, or probationary license from any state, US territory and the District of Columbia

Note: Financial information can be blacked out

Legal proof of name change is a certified marriage or civil union certificate, divorce decree, or court order linking the new name with the previous name. A divorce decree may be used as authority to resume using a previous name only if it contains the married name and previous name and states a return to use of the previous name.

