



MDP VAN Access Checklist

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Who can license VAN through the MDP?

- All candidates seeking office as Democrats in Missouri (listed as D on ballot)
- Nonpartisan candidates with approval of county chair(s) for their area

Who do I contact about VAN access?

- House candidates who are **not** challenging a Dem incumbent receive access through HDCC. Please contact Zach Johnston (zach@mohousedems.com)
- Other candidates: please email vansupport@missouridems.org

What do campaigns need to set up access?

If you are licensing access via HDCC: please contact HDCC for details

Other candidates: In order to set up VAN access, the MDP will need:

- ☐ *For local offices:* approval from county chair(s) for the relevant jurisdiction
- ☐ A completed and signed [VAN user agreement](#)
- ☐ Payment of [applicable license fees and party dues](#) via the [MDP VAN payment portal](#)
 - Candidates licensing VAN must be dues-paying party members. If you pay dues as a party officer or elected official, your dues meet this requirement. For other candidates, we offer a \$35 general membership level and a \$25 level for youth (18-25) and seniors (65+).
- ☐ *For local offices other than countywide races:* A list of precincts for the area you're seeking access to (your county Board of Elections can provide this)

For a copy of the MDP and HDCC VAN agreements, please go to www.missouridemocrats.org/data-resources. The Data Resources page also includes a link to our current pricing guide (copied below).

What if I have VAN questions?

www.missouridemocrats.org/data-resources has links to key resources (our 2022 VANual is a great place to start). If these resources don't cover your question, please contact Andy Hatem (andy@missouridems.org) if you have access via the MDP or Zach Johnston (zach@mohousedems.com) if you have access via HDCC.