

2.1 released from the facility following incarceration for a felony-level offense if the inmate's
2.2 sentence is discharged and civil rights restored under section 609.165; and

2.3 (2) a probation officer or supervised release agent shall provide the notice and may
2.4 provide a voter registration application when an individual under correctional supervision
2.5 for a felony-level offense is discharged from sentence and the individual's civil rights
2.6 have been restored under section 609.165.

2.7 Subd. 3. **Form of notice.** The notice required by subdivision 2 must appear
2.8 substantially as follows:

2.9 **"NOTICE OF RESTORATION OF CIVIL RIGHTS, INCLUDING**
2.10 **YOUR RIGHT TO VOTE.**

2.11 Your final discharge today means that your civil rights have been restored. This
2.12 includes a restoration of your right to vote in Minnesota. Before you can vote on election
2.13 day, you still need to register to vote. To register, you can complete a voter registration
2.14 application and return it to the Office of the Minnesota Secretary of State. You also can
2.15 register to vote in your polling place on election day. You will not be permitted to cast a
2.16 ballot until you register to vote. The first time you appear at your polling place to cast a
2.17 ballot, you may be required to provide proof of your current residence."

2.18 Subd. 4. **Failure to provide notice.** A failure to provide proper notice as required
2.19 by this section does not prevent the restoration of an inmate's civil rights upon discharge.

2.20 Sec. 3. **[630.125] DEFENDANT; NOTICE OF LOSS OF CIVIL RIGHTS UPON**
2.21 **CONVICTION.**

2.22 For felony-level offenses, at the time of arraignment, prior to the court's acceptance
2.23 of a plea from the defendant, the court must notify the defendant that a guilty plea or
2.24 conviction for a felony-level offense will result in a loss of the defendant's civil rights,
2.25 including the right to vote, until the defendant's sentence has been discharged.