

# Voting Amendments to the Constitution

## **Fifteenth Amendment 1870**

### Voting Rights

The right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State on account of race, color, or previous condition of servitude.

## **Nineteenth Amendment 1920**

### Women's Suffrage

The right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State on account of sex.

(In 1924 all Native Americans were declared citizens, but it was not until almost the middle of the 20th century that the last three states, Maine, Arizona and New Mexico, finally granted the right to vote to Indians in their states.)

## **Twenty-sixth Amendment 1971**

### Voting Age

The right of citizens of the United States, who are eighteen years or older, to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State on account of age.

