

# Introducing the Cayman Islands Identification Card: My eID

## About the Cayman Islands Identification Card: My eID

The Cayman Islands Identification Card, also known as **My eID**, is an official Cayman Islands Government-issued identification card with digital features.

It allows cardholders to identify themselves and prove their identity both in person and online, empowering Cayman Islands residents with a unique, secure way to verify their identity.



## My eID Features

**The Cayman Islands Identification Card is a physical card that displays the following:**

- Cayman Islands identification code
- Full name
- Cayman immigration status
- Date of birth
- Sex
- Photo
- Signature
- Card issue date
- Card expiry date

The card's machine-readable chip securely stores the information printed on the front of the card and includes a **digital authentication certificate** and a **digital signature certificate**.

- The **digital authentication certificate** can be used to sign into **eServices Sign In**.
- The **digital signature certificate** can be used to apply an internationally recognised, eIDAS-compliant digital signature to PDF documents.

The back of the card features a **QR code**, giving you control over your digital identity by allowing you to share your identity information when needed.

The card also contains a **Machine Readable Zone (MRZ)** that holds key information, such as your full name, date of birth, and identification code. This feature streamlines business processes in locations that accept My eID, enabling accuracy and efficiency.

# The Benefits of My eID

## 1. Government-Issued Photo ID

My eID provides you with a convenient and secure Government-issued ID card, that can be used as official proof of identity.

## 2. Digital Identity Control

Using the **My Info** feature, cardholders can access and manage their personal information stored in the **Identification Register**. You can easily share information via email, view your sharing history, and request updates or corrections to your information.

## 3. Enhanced Privacy

My eID only contains essential identity information, minimising the risk of oversharing when verifying your identity.

## 4. Digital Signature Capability

The digital signature allows you to apply an internationally recognised digital signature on PDF documents, streamlining the signature process. Reducing the need to print, sign and scan documents.

## 5. Accessible Technology

The My eID mobile app, available for both Android and Apple devices, along with desktop software for Mac and PC, allows you to change your PIN and digitally sign documents with ease.

For assistance with downloading and installing the mobile app or desktop software, changing your PIN, or applying a digital signature to documents, our technical support team is available 24/7. Contact the My eID Helpdesk at **244-3693** or email us at [eidsupport@egov.ky](mailto:eidsupport@egov.ky).

## Real-Life Examples

- ✓ Prove you are Caymanian using either the physical card or its digital features.
- ✓ My eID is valid proof of identity for residents of all ages, especially for those who may not currently have other government-issued identification.
- ✓ Businesses can streamline their employee onboarding processes by electronically verifying identities and immigration statuses, reducing paperwork and improving efficiency.

### How to Get Started

Visit [myeid.egov.ky](https://myeid.egov.ky) to:

1. Register your interest in the Cayman Islands Identification Card: My eID.
2. Learn about the benefits of having the card, such as proving Cayman immigration status, applying digital signatures, and utilising digital identity capabilities.
3. Explore the digital features of **My Info**.
4. Stay updated on the latest developments regarding the launch and rollout of My eID.

Under the **Cayman Islands Identification Card Act, 2022** and the **Identification Register Act, 2022**, cardholders will be able to use the Cayman Islands Identification Card to access various services, presenting it as valid proof of identification either physically or electronically.



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