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Garland S. Doyle, Interim Clerk
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK
CITY OF PONTIAC
47450 WOODWARD AVE.
PONTIAC, MI 48342-2271



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Instructions for Absent Voter Ballot Applicants:

- Step 1.** After completely filling out the application, sign and date the application in the place designated. Your signature must appear on the application or you will not receive an absent voter ballot.
- Step 2.** Deliver the application by one of the following methods:
 - (a) Fold this application so the clerk's name and address appears and seal in the area shown or place the application in an envelope addressed to the appropriate clerk and deposit it in the United States mail or with another public postal service, express mail service, parcel post service, or common carrier. Proper postage is required. You may also return the application by email or fax, as long as your signature is visible.
 - (b) Deliver the application personally to the clerk's office, to the clerk, or to the clerk's authorized assistant.
 - (c) In either (a) or (b), a member of the immediate family of the voter including a father-in-law, mother-in-law, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, grandparent, or grandchild or a person residing in the voter's household may mail or deliver the application to the clerk for the applicant.
 - (d) If an applicant cannot return the application in any of the above methods, the applicant may select any registered elector to return the application. **The person returning the application must sign and return the certificate at the bottom of this application.**

Moving between March and November? If so, you may want to consider applying for March only and reapplying for November after you move. Here's how to decide:

1. If you are moving **within** the same city or township and apply for both March and November, then as long as you update your registration address by September, your clerk will send you a ballot to the new address in November. You can still update your address after September, but you will need to fill out additional paperwork before you get your ballot.
2. If you are moving to a **different** city or township, when you update your registration address, your old clerk will cancel your absent voter ballot application for November and you'll have to reapply with the new clerk in your new city or township.

Remember, every time you move, you must update your voter registration address. It isn't updated automatically (unless you update your Michigan driver license or personal ID card address). Find out how to update your registration address online at Michigan.gov/Vote. If you have a Michigan driver license or personal ID card, you can update your address online.

Complete only if assisting a voter with return of the application

Certificate of Authorized Registered Elector Returning Absent Voter Ballot Application:

I certify that my name is _____ ;
date of birth is ____/____/____ and my address is _____ ;
that I am delivering the absent voter ballot application of _____
at their request; that I did not solicit or request to return the application; that I have not made any markings on the application; that I have not altered the application in any way; that I have not influenced the applicant; and that I am aware that a false statement in this certificate is a violation of Michigan election law.

Sign ONLY if you are the Person Assisting the Voter

X _____ / ____ / ____
Person Assisting Voter Sign Here Date

WARNING: You must be a **United States citizen** to vote. If you are not a United States citizen, you will not be issued an absent voter ballot. A person making a false statement in this absent voter ballot application is guilty of a misdemeanor. It is a violation of Michigan election law for a person other than those listed in the instructions to return, offer to return, agree to return, or solicit to return your absent voter ballot application to the clerk. An assistant authorized by the clerk who receives absent voter ballot applications at a location other than the clerk's office must have credentials signed by the clerk. Ask to see his or her credentials before entrusting your application with a person claiming to have the clerk's authorization to return your application.

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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

OFFICIAL ELECTION MATERIAL
ABSENT VOTER APPLICATION

DO NOT DETACH - RETURN ENTIRE FORM

MI ABSENT VOTER BALLOT APPLICATION 2020 Presidential Primary March 10/General November 3 See Reverse Side for Instructions ➔

I am a **United States citizen** and a qualified and registered elector in the **CITY OF PONTIAC**, County of **OAKLAND**, State of Michigan, and I apply for an official ballot, to be voted by me at the above indicated election(s).

Other Elections: **Complete to join permanent absent voter application list**

I want to vote absentee in all elections. Automatically send me an application for an absent voter ballot for all elections, including other elections in 2020.

1 Check One **Select election(s) to receive ballot (required):**
 Presidential Primary March 10, 2020 & General November 3, 2020 or **Presidential Primary March 10, 2020 only**

2 Check One **Select only one ballot type for the Presidential Primary here (required):**
 Democratic Party Presidential Primary Ballot
 Republican Party Presidential Primary Ballot
 Ballot Without Presidential Primary (If available, this choice is for voters not voting in the presidential primary who wish to vote on other proposals or candidates only.)

3 Complete **DATE OF BIRTH** / / **4** Complete **VOTER CONTACT INFORMATION**
 () Phone Email

WARNING: A PERSON WHO MAKES A FALSE STATEMENT IN THIS DECLARATION IS GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR.

5 Sign/Date I certify that I am a **United States citizen** and that the statements in this Absent Voter Ballot application are true.
VOTER SIGN HERE ➔ X
 Power of attorney is not acceptable Signature of Absent Voter Date / /

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	PRIMARY	GENERAL
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Ballot #		
Returned		
Precinct #		
Clerk		

Complete Only If You Want Your Ballot Sent To A Temporary Address. USPS will not forward your ballot. We can mail it to you where you are. If additional addresses are needed or plans change, contact your city/township clerk.

6 Complete If Needed

ADDRESS 1:		ADDRESS 2:	
Date Leaving For Temporary Address / /	Temporary Address _____	Date Leaving For Temporary Address / /	Temporary Address _____
Date of Return / /	City _____ State _____ Zip _____	Date of Return / /	City _____ State _____ Zip _____