

Troops Urged to Vote by Absentee Ballot

Stateside and overseas troops and U.S. civilians overseas should now be requesting absentee ballots in order to vote in the November general elections.

State voter registration deadlines are nearing and absentee voters need to obtain and send in their Federal Post Card Application forms to register to vote.

U.S. civilians and military members living overseas should submit voter registration forms so that local election officials receive them by Oct. 7.

Overseas voters should return their filled-out absentee ballots by Oct. 15 to ensure that local election officials receive them in time.

Overseas voters should use the Federal Write-In Absentee Ballot if their requested state absentee ballot does not arrive in time.

It's important that absentee voters sign and date the ballot return envelope. Some states require the envelope be postmarked, witnessed, or notarized.



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