

## 2011 FPCA Quick Reference Guide for Election Officials

The Federal Post Card Application (FPCA) serves as a simultaneous application for voter registration and absentee ballot request for citizens covered under the *Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act*. Contact your State election office or the Federal Voting Assistance Program with any questions about your State's requirements for accepting an FPCA.

The FPCA was redesigned in 2011; the 2005 version of the form remains valid and should be accepted and processed.

Federal Post Card Application (FPCA) Voter Registration and Absentee Ballot Request		A quicker, easier to complete, electronic version of this form is also available on <a href="http://FVAP.gov">FVAP.gov</a> . For any questions about this form, consult your Voting Assistance Officer or the Voting Assistance Guide available in hard copy or on <a href="http://FVAP.gov">FVAP.gov</a> . Please print in black ink.
<b>BLOCK 1-5</b> • Use this information to create a new voter record or update an existing record • Use the contact information to follow up with the applicant with questions or to confirm successful registration	<p><b>Classification</b> Make only 1 selection.</p> <p>1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I am a member of the Uniformed Services or Merchant Marine on active duty OR <input type="checkbox"/> I am their spouse or dependent.  <input type="checkbox"/> I am a U.S. citizen residing outside the U.S., and I intend to return.  <input type="checkbox"/> I am a U.S. citizen residing outside the U.S., and I do not intend to return.  <input type="checkbox"/> I am a U.S. citizen otherwise granted military/overseas voting rights under State law (check the Voting Assistance Guide).</p> <p><b>Political Party</b> 2 To vote in primary elections, your State may require you to specify a political party: <u>ABCDEF Party</u></p> <p><b>Your legal name</b> 3 Last name <u>Jones</u> Suffix <u>Sr</u>  First name <u>James</u> Middle name <u>Larry</u>  Previous name (if applicable)</p> <p><b>Identification</b> Some States require your full SSN. Check your State's pages in the Voting Assistance Guide on <a href="http://FVAP.gov">FVAP.gov</a></p> <p>4 Sex <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F Race See instructions on back Birth date <u>05/17/1987</u>  State Driver's License or ID <u>X.Y.-1,4,5,2,5,7,1,6,2</u>  OR Social Security Number</p> <p><b>Contact information</b> Include international prefixes. No DSN number.</p> <p>5 Telephone <u>2,3,-1,4,5,-1,4,-6,7,8,9,1,4,5</u>  Fax <u>2,3,-1,4,5,-1,4,-6,7,6,8,3,2,7</u>  Email <u>jj.pdfs2@hawkstooth.com</u>  Alternate Email</p>	
<b>BLOCK 7</b> • Confirm that the voting residence address is in your voting jurisdiction	<p><b>Ballot receipt</b> 6 I prefer to receive my ballot, as permitted by my State, by: <input type="checkbox"/> Email/Online <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mail <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fax  (rank from 1-3 in order of preference; be sure appropriate contact information is provided above)</p> <p><b>U.S. address for voting purposes</b> Usually your last U.S. residence or your legal U.S. residence. See instructions.</p> <p>7 Street Address (not P.O. Box) <u>123 Maple Terrace</u> Apt. #  City/Town/Village <u>Maywood</u>  County <u>Somewhere</u> State <u>CA</u> Zip Code <u>9,0,2,7,0-1,0,3,7</u></p>	<b>BLOCK 6</b> • Check applicant's ballot receipt preference against your State's legislation
<b>BLOCK 9</b> • Ensure that the applicant provided any additional information required by your State	<p><b>Address where you live now</b> This is different from above. Your voting materials will be sent here, unless you specify a forwarding address in Box 9</p> <p>8 <u>James Larry Jones</u>  <u>USS FVAP</u>  <u>FPO AE 54321</u></p> <p><b>Additional requirements for your State</b> Such as: mail forwarding address, additional phone, or other State required information. See your State's pages in the Voting Assistance Guide on <a href="http://FVAP.gov">FVAP.gov</a></p> <p>9 <u>Last date lived in Maywood Feb. 2009.</u></p>	<b>BLOCK 8</b> • Use this address for any postal mail communications with the applicant
<p><b>Affirmation (REQUIRED):</b> I swear or affirm, under penalty of perjury, that:</p> <p>• I am a member of the Uniformed Services or Merchant Marine on active duty or an eligible spouse or dependent of such a member, or a U.S. citizen temporarily residing outside the U.S., or other U.S. citizen residing outside the U.S. • I am a U.S. citizen, at least 18 years of age (or will be by the day of the election), eligible to vote in the requested jurisdiction. • have not been convicted of a felony or other disqualifying offense or been adjudicated mentally incompetent, or if so, my voting rights have been reinstated. • I am not registering, requesting a ballot, or voting in any other jurisdiction in the U.S. • My signature and date herein indicate when I completed this document. • The information on this form is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that a material misstatement of fact in completion of this document may constitute grounds for conviction of perjury.</p>		<b>AFFIRMATION</b> • Check here to ensure that the applicant signed and dated the application • Check that the application has a witness signature (only if required by your State)
<p>Signature <u>James L. Jones</u> and send in  Today's date <u>1,2/1,8/2,0,1,1</u>  Witness signature / date if required by your State.  See Voting Assistance Guide on <a href="http://FVAP.gov">FVAP.gov</a></p> <p>Signature _____  Date _____</p>		
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