

**Upcoming elections for federal office from FVAP.gov:**

The following states have elections for federal office in the next 90 days:

S- State Primary; R- State Runoff (if necessary)

*\*Dates subject to change.*

**February 2026:**

**February 5<sup>th</sup>:** New Jersey CD 11 (Special Primary)

**March 2026 – 30 Day Notice:**

**March 3<sup>rd</sup>:**

Arkansas (S)

North Carolina (S)

Texas (S)

**March 10<sup>th</sup>:**

Georgia CD 14 Special Election

Mississippi (S)

**March 17<sup>th</sup>:** Illinois (S)

**March 31<sup>st</sup>:** Arkansas (R)

**April 2026 – 60 Day Notice:**

**April 7<sup>th</sup>:**

Georgia CD 14 Special Runoff

Mississippi (R)

**April 16<sup>th</sup>:** New Jersey CD 11 (Special General)

**April 18<sup>th</sup>:** Louisiana (S)

**May 2026 – 90 Day Notice:**

**May 5<sup>th</sup>:**

Indiana (S)

Ohio (S)

**May 12<sup>th</sup>:**

Nebraska (S)

North Carolina (R)

West Virginia (S)

**May 19<sup>th</sup>:**

Alabama (S)

Georgia (S)

Idaho (S)

Kentucky (S)

Oregon (S)

Pennsylvania (S)

**May 26<sup>th</sup>:** Texas (R)

**May 30<sup>th</sup>:** Louisiana (R)

**2026 State Primary Elections:** To register and request an absentee ballot use FVAP's easy online assistant at [www.fvap.gov/FPCA](http://www.fvap.gov/FPCA) to walk you through state-specific form completion. Once you complete the FPCA, print, sign, and send it to your election office. Most states accept the FPCA by email or fax while some require it by mail. Check your state-specific guidelines at [FVAP.gov](http://FVAP.gov).

Once you receive your requested absentee ballot, vote and return it as soon as you get it. Remember to carefully follow the instructions, especially using a "security envelope" if required, and sign the package as indicated when returning it. To save time, send voted ballots electronically if allowed by state law. Voters can check if their state accepts completed absentee ballots by email, fax, or via an online portal at [FVAP.gov/guide](http://FVAP.gov/guide). If a requested ballot has not arrived, use the Federal Write-in Absentee Ballot (FWAB) immediately at [www.fvap.gov/FWAB](http://www.fvap.gov/FWAB). It works like a backup ballot. If your official absentee ballot arrives after sending in the FWAB, complete and send in the official ballot, too. Only one will be counted. To make sure the voted ballot is received by your state. Go to [FVAP.gov](http://FVAP.gov), click on your state and then the "check the status of your voted ballot" button.

To find your state's election website for specific information on candidates, elections, contact information, and links to your local election offices, visit [FVAP.gov](http://FVAP.gov) and select your state from the dropdown menu. You can also reach out directly to your [election office](#) for status updates on your registration and absentee ballot.

**Georgia Special Election for U.S. Congressional District 14:** The State of Georgia will conduct a U.S. Congressional District 14 special general election on Tuesday, March 10th, 2026. Service members, eligible family members, and overseas citizens can register to vote until February 9<sup>th</sup>, 2026, and request an absentee ballot by email, fax, or mail until February 27<sup>th</sup>. Ballots must be postmarked by March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2026, but still must be received by the 3<sup>rd</sup> day after the election. Detailed instructions and county contact information are available at  [\(Georgia\) FVAP.gov](http://(Georgia)FVAP.gov). Voters can verify the status of their voting materials by contacting their [election office](#) directly. **Special Runoff Election (if necessary)** The special runoff election (if required) will be on Tuesday, April 7th, 2026. Service members, eligible family members, and overseas citizens will receive an instant runoff ballot with their general election ballot package. They may also register to vote until March 9<sup>th</sup>, 2026, and request an absentee ballot by email, fax, or mail until March 27<sup>th</sup>. Ballots must be postmarked by April 7<sup>h</sup>, 2026 but still must be received by the 3<sup>rd</sup> day after the election. Detailed instructions and county contact information are available at  [\(Georgia\) FVAP.gov](http://(Georgia)FVAP.gov). Voters can verify the status of their voting materials by contacting their [election office](#) directly.

*The Department of Defense is required to send this email notification starting 90 days before each election for federal office. This information is current as of January 29th, 2026. As updates may occur, please check the election calendars, and state guidelines at FVAP.gov for real time information.*

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If you would like more information on the Federal Voting Assistance Program, or need help with the absentee voting process, please go to [FVAP.gov](http://FVAP.gov), call 703-588-1584 (toll free 1-800-438-VOTE or DSN 425-1584), or email ([vote@fvap.gov](mailto:vote@fvap.gov)).