

# Federal Post Card Application (FPCA) and Federal Write-in Absentee Ballot (FWAB) Reference for State Instructions

Voter Registration		Identification				Ballot Receipt			Political Party	Additional Requirements	Affirmation	Submission Modes		
These forms can be used for registration  *indicates special circumstances, see notes	In addition to your date of birth, these states require at least one of the following forms of identification:				Available methods to receive an absentee ballot.			To vote in the primary election, you must indicate your party preference.	Voters from these States may be required to provide additional information in Section 6 (see below)	Witness signature required	Acceptable ways to send forms to the election official:  *indicates special circumstances, see notes			
	DMV ID #	Last 4 of SSN	Full Social Security #	State ID #	Mail	Fax	Email/Online				Mail	Fax	Email/Online	
AL	FPCA	—	FPCA/FWAB	—	FPCA/FWAB	☑	—	☑	FPCA/FWAB	—	FWAB (2)	FPCA/FWAB	—	—
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OR	FPCA/FWAB	—	FPCA*/FWAB*	—	FPCA*/FWAB*	☑	☑	☑	SEE NOTE	—	—	FPCA/FWAB	FPCA*/FWAB*	FPCA*/FWAB*
PA	FPCA/FWAB*	—	FPCA/FWAB	—	FPCA/FWAB	☑	—	☑	FPCA/FWAB	—	—	FPCA/FWAB	FPCA	FPCA
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RI	FPCA	—	FPCA	—	FPCA	☑	☑	☑	FPCA/FWAB	—	—	FPCA/FWAB	FPCA/FWAB	—
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SD	FPCA	—	FPCA	—	FPCA	☑	☑	☑	FPCA/FWAB	—	—	FPCA/FWAB	FPCA*	FPCA*
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UT	FPCA/FWAB	—	FPCA/FWAB	—	FPCA/FWAB	☑	☑	☑	FPCA/FWAB	—	—	FPCA/FWAB	FPCA/FWAB	FPCA/FWAB
VT	FPCA	—	FPCA/FWAB	—	FPCA/FWAB	☑	☑	☑	FPCA/FWAB	FPCA/FWAB	—	FPCA/FWAB	—	—
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VA	FPCA/FWAB	—	—	FPCA/FWAB	—	☑	☑	☑	FPCA/FWAB	FPCA/FWAB	FWAB (1)	FPCA/FWAB	FPCA	FPCA
WA	FPCA/FWAB	—	—	—	—	☑	☑	☑	—	—	—	FPCA/FWAB	FPCA/FWAB	FPCA/FWAB
WV	FPCA	—	FPCA	—	FPCA	☑	☑	☑	FPCA/FWAB	—	—	FPCA/FWAB	FPCA/FWAB	FPCA/FWAB
WI	FPCA	—	FPCA	—	FPCA	☑	☑	☑	—	—	FWAB (1)	FPCA/FWAB	FPCA*	FPCA*
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**Alaska: (Additional Requirements)** If the voter is using the FPCA or FWAB to register to vote, they must enclose proof of Alaska residency (such as a copy of a current Alaska Driver's License or a leave and earning statement reflecting Alaska as place of residency) with this application.

**Arizona: (Additional Requirements)** If the voter is using the FPCA or FWAB to register to vote, they must enclose proof of citizenship with this application. The voter must include a photocopy, not the original documents. **(FWAB Submission)** To use the online system, the voter must have received instructions from their election official; they cannot email your FWAB.

**California: (Political Party)** Voters who do not provide a political party affiliation can vote in a presidential primary election if the political party allows it, more information about this can be found at <http://www.sos.ca.gov>. Political party affiliation is not required if requesting an absentee ballot for other primary elections or general elections. **(FWAB Submission)** The FWAB can be faxed only if the voter is a Uniformed Service member or eligible family member overseas. **(FPCA Submission)** If using the FPCA to register to vote, the form must be mailed or faxed.

**Florida: (FWAB submission)** Voters may fax the FWAB only if they are outside of the U.S. **(FPCA submission)** If the voter is using the FPCA to register to vote, the form must be mailed. If the voter is already registered and is using the FPCA to request an absentee ballot, the form can be mailed, emailed or faxed.

**Hawaii: (FWAB submission)** The FWAB can be faxed only if the voter requested their absentee ballot by fax within five days of the election

**Idaho: (FPCA submission)** If the voter is using the FPCA to register to vote, the form must be mailed. If the voter is already registered and is using the FPCA to request an absentee ballot, the form can be mailed, emailed or faxed.

**Maryland: (FPCA submission)** If the voter is using the FPCA to register to vote, the form must be mailed. If the voter is already registered and is using the FPCA to request an absentee ballot, the form can be mailed, emailed or faxed.

**Missouri: (FWAB submission)** The FWAB can be emailed or faxed only if the voter is located in a hostile fire zone.

**Nebraska: (FWAB submission)** Email or fax requires prior approval, contact your local election office.

**New Jersey: (FWAB submission)** If submitting the FWAB by email or fax, the original copy must also follow by mail.

**New York: (Registration FWAB)** The voter cannot register and vote at the same time using the FWAB. If the voter is not registered, the FWAB will register them for future elections. (Submission Method) The FPCA must also be mailed.

**Oregon: (Identification)** The voter must provide a State issued ID number. If the voter does not have a State issued ID number, they may provide the last four digits of their social security number. **(Political Party)** To vote in a primary election for a major party, you must enter the name of the party ballot you want to receive. If you do not indicate a political party, you will receive a nonpartisan ballot. Political party affiliation is not required if requesting an absentee ballot for general elections. **(FPCA submission)** If the voter is using the FPCA to register to vote, the form must be mailed. If the voter is already registered and is using the FPCA to request an absentee ballot, the form can be mailed, emailed or faxed.

**Puerto Rico: (Additional Requirements)** Voters must provide their father's and mother's first name.

**Pennsylvania: (Registration FWAB)** Only Uniformed Service members and their eligible family members can use the FWAB for registration.

**South Carolina: (Additional Requirements)** All voters must provide their race and previous registration address (if any) in Section 6 of the FPCA and FWAB, if using the FWAB to register.

**South Dakota: (FPCA Submission)** If you are using the FPCA to register to vote, you must mail the form.

**Texas: (FWAB submission)** The FWAB can be faxed only if the voter is located in a hostile fire zone.

**Vermont: (Additional Requirements)** If the voter has never registered before in Vermont, they must take a self-administered oath or it may be administered by anyone over the age of 18. The Vermont voter's oath is: *"You solemnly swear (or affirm) that whenever you give your vote or suffrage, touching any matter that concerns the State of Vermont, you will do it so as in your conscience you shall judge will most conduce to the best good of the same, as established by the Constitution, without fear or favor of any persons."* Once you have read the Voter's Oath, use the space provided in Section 6 to write the following: *"I swear or affirm that I have taken the VT Voter's Oath."*

**Virginia: (Additional Requirements)** Overseas citizen voters must provide the name of their employer or the name of their spouses or dependent's employer. If they do not provide this, they receive a ballot for federal offices only.

**Wisconsin: (FPCA submission)** If the voter is using the FPCA to register to vote, the form must be mailed. If the voter is already registered and is using the FPCA to request an absentee ballot, the form can be mailed, emailed or faxed.

**Wyoming: (FPCA submission)** If the voter is using the FPCA to register to vote, the form must be mailed. If the voter is already registered and is using the FPCA to request an absentee ballot, the form can be mailed, emailed or faxed.