

**ABSENTEE BALLOT APPLICATION**

NOTE: A separate absentee ballot application must be submitted to your county board of elections for each primary or election.

ALL VOTERS FILL OUT HERE	
	(PRINT FULL NAME)
	(HOME ADDRESS - include city, town or borough)
	(ZIP CODE) (COUNTY) (ELECTION DISTRICT - if known)
	(OCCUPATION) (DATE OF BIRTH)
	I have lived at this address since _____ State or Federal Government employees check here ( ). EMAIL ADDRESS (Optional) _____
	Place PA Driver's License (DL) or PennDOT ID # <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> Here if you have one: <input type="checkbox"/> I DO NOT have a PA DL #, PennDOT ID # or SS#. (A copy of an acceptable ID must be provided with this application. Please see <a href="http://www.VotesPA.com">www.VotesPA.com</a> or call your county board of elections regarding acceptable IDs).
	<b>MAIL BALLOT TO ME AT THE FOLLOWING ADDRESS:</b>
	(STREET ADDRESS)
	(CITY, TOWN, or BOROUGH) (STATE) (ZIP CODE)
DUTIES, OCCUPATION, BUSINESS COMPLETE HERE	I HEREBY APPLY FOR AN ABSENTEE BALLOT FOR THE FOLLOWING REASON:  <input type="checkbox"/> ABSENCE FROM THE MUNICIPALITY COMPLETE SECTION A <input type="checkbox"/> ILLNESS OR PHYSICAL DISABILITY COMPLETE SECTION B
	<b>SECTION A - ABSENCE FROM THE MUNICIPALITY</b> I declare that I am eligible to vote absentee at the forthcoming primary or election since I expect that my duties, occupation or business will require me to be absent from the municipality of my residence on the day of the primary or election for the reason stated below; and that all of the information which I have listed on this absentee ballot application is true and correct.  (INSERT REASON FOR ABSENCE HERE)
	(SIGNATURE OF ELECTOR) (DATE)
	<b>SECTION B - ILLNESS OR PHYSICAL DISABILITY</b> I declare that I am eligible to vote absentee at the forthcoming primary or election due to the illness or physical disability stated below; that the information required to be listed pertaining to my attending physician is correctly stated herein and that all other information that I have listed on this absentee ballot application is true and correct.  (INSERT ILLNESS OR PHYSICAL DISABILITY HERE)
	(NAME OF PHYSICIAN) (PHONE NO.)  (OFFICE ADDRESS)  (SIGNATURE OF ELECTOR) (DATE)
ILLNESS OR PHYSICAL DISABILITY COMPLETE HERE	IF UNABLE TO SIGN COMPLETE SECTION C
	<b>SECTION C</b> The following to be completed if applicant is unable to sign because of illness or physical disability. I hereby state that I am unable to sign my application for an absentee ballot without assistance because I am unable to write by reason of my illness or physical disability. I have made, or have received assistance in making my mark in lieu of my signature.  (DATE) (MARK)
	(COMPLETE ADDRESS OF WITNESS) (SIGNATURE OF WITNESS)
	NOTE: Electors requiring assistance in voting must procure Special Form from the county Board of Elections to transmit with this application.
	<b>WARNING - IF YOU ARE ABLE TO VOTE IN PERSON ON ELECTION DAY, YOU MUST GO TO YOUR POLLING PLACE, VOID YOUR ABSENTEE BALLOT AND VOTE THERE.</b>

## Absentee Ballot Application Instructions

Complete all required information on the Application.

You must supply your PA Driver's License number or PennDOT issued Pennsylvania photo identification card (PennDOT photo ID) number in the blocks provided. If you do not have a driver's license number or PennDOT photo ID number you must supply the last 4 digits of your Social Security Number.

If you do not have either of these types of identification please check the box entitled, I DO NOT have a PA Driver's License, PennDOT ID # or SS#. You must enclose a photocopy of an acceptable ID. Please see [www.VotesPA.com](http://www.VotesPA.com), call 1-877-VotesPA (1-877-868-3772) or contact your county board of elections regarding acceptable ID's.

Return the Application to your local County Board of Elections. (The address and telephone number for your local County Board of Elections may be found using the *County Information Link* at [www.VotesPA.com](http://www.VotesPA.com).)

### Absentee Voting Deadlines Are As Follows:

**Applications:** The last day to apply for a civilian absentee ballot is 5:00PM on the Tuesday before the election – please note that POSTMARKS DO NOT APPLY and original applications must be received (no facsimiles or emails).

**Voted Ballots:** All civilian voted ballots must be returned to the County Board of Elections Office by 5:00PM on the Friday before the election – please note that POSTMARKS DO NOT APPLY. If hand delivering, only the actual voter may return their ballot.

**Please Note:** If you do not provide your Driver's License Number or the Last Four Digits of your Social Security number on your Absentee Ballot Application...you will be required to provide one of the approved forms of ID (list attached) with your Absentee Ballot Application.

Your must complete and mail your Absentee Ballot Application to:

**McKEAN COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS**  
**500 W. Main St.,**  
**Smethport, PA, 16749**

**ALL VOTERS ARE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE IDENTIFICATION PRIOR TO VOTING**

**All ID's must contain a NAME, a PHOTO, and an EXPIRATION DATE that is CURRENT, unless noted otherwise. Acceptable IDs include:**

Photo IDs issued by the U.S. Government or the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, including:

Pennsylvania Driver's License or PennDOT Photo ID Card (valid for voting 12 months past expiration date).

U.S. Passport.

U.S. Military ID (active duty and retired Military IDs may designate an expiration date that is indefinite). Military dependents' IDs must contain a current expiration date.

Employee Photo Identification issued by Federal, Pennsylvania, Pennsylvania County, or Pennsylvania Municipal Government.

Photo identification issued by an accredited Pennsylvania public or private institution of higher learning.

Photo Identification issued by a Pennsylvania Care Facility, including Long-Term Care Facilities, Assisted Living Residences and Personal Care Homes.

In the case of a voter who has a RELIGIOUS OBJECTION to being photographed, acceptable IDs include the following:

- Pennsylvania valid Without-Photo Driver's License
- PennDOT valid Without-Photo Identification Card

**\*\*\*YOUR VOTER CARD ISSUED BY THE BOARD OF ELECTIONS IS NOT AN ACCEPTABLE FORM OF ID\*\*\***