

Harford County Board of Elections

Absentee Ballot Application for the 2023 City of Aberdeen Municipal Election

Please read the instructions before completing this form, and **print** your information. By submitting this form, you are requesting an absentee ballot for the 2023 Municipal Election.

Part 1 – Voter Information

Last Name _____ First _____ Middle _____

Street Address _____ Apt _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Date of Birth _____ Party Affiliation _____

Phone Number _____ Email address _____
(Used only if needed to process this request.) (Warning: spam filters might prevent receiving official election mail.)

Part 2 – Address Information for Absentee Ballot

I want my absentee ballot: ☐ mailed to the address printed in Part 1. Go to Part 3.
Check only one ☐ mailed to a different address. Complete Parts 2 and 3.

I want my absentee ballot mailed to:

Street Address _____ Apt _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

If your new legal residence is in Maryland, your voter registration record will be updated with your new address.

Part 3 – Signature

X _____ Date _____

Part 4 – Certificate of Assistance (complete only if someone helped you complete this form – see instructions)

Under penalty of perjury, I hereby certify that the voter named above needed help completing this form because of a **disability or inability to read or write** and authorized me to complete this application. If the voter was unable to sign Part 3 of this application because of a disability or inability to read or write, I printed the voter's name in Part 3 and written my initials.

Signature of Assistant _____ Date _____

Printed Name of Assistant _____

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Can I vote by absentee ballot? Yes, if you are a registered voter in the City of Aberdeen in the state of Maryland.

How do I get an absentee ballot?

1. Complete and **sign** the absentee ballot application and return it to the Harford County Board of Elections by **Tuesday, October 31, 2023**. It must be **received** by 5:00 pm if you mail or deliver the application or 11:59 pm if you fax or email it. If you mail it, it must be received – not just mailed – by October 31, 2023.
2. If the Harford County Board of Elections receives your completed application by the deadline, the Harford County Board of Elections will issue you an absentee ballot. Ballots are typically available about 3 weeks before an election.
 - If you want your absentee ballot mailed to you, it will be mailed to the address you selected in Part 2.

Can someone help me with this form? Yes, if you have a disability or are unable to read or write. Any person can help you, except a candidate on your ballot, your employer or an agent of your employer, or an officer or agent of your union. The person can help you with Parts 1, 2, and 3 and must complete Part 4. If you cannot sign this form, the person helping you should print your name in Part 3 and write his or her initials after your name.

Can someone pick up my absentee ballot and bring it to me? Yes, if you complete the *Designation of Agent* form (available at your county board of elections). The person you name must be at least 18 years old and not a candidate on your ballot. This person must sign, under penalty of perjury, that he or she gave you your ballot and if you wish, returned your voted ballot to the local board of elections.

Large type application is available upon request.

Please return your completed Absentee Ballot application to the following address:

**Harford County Board of Election
133 Industry Lane
Forest Hill, MD 21050
Office (410) 638-3565
Fax (410) 638-3310**

and return your voted ballot to:

**The City of Aberdeen
60 N. Parke Street
Aberdeen, MD 21001
Office (410) 272-1600**