



CITY OF SALINE
Office of the City Clerk
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PERMANENT ABSENT VOTER LIST

Dear Voter:

The Michigan Court of Appeals recently ruled that local clerks may no longer mail an Absentee Ballot Application to qualified electors within their jurisdictions **unless** the elector specifically requests that an application be sent. This ruling puts an end to the past practice of automatically mailing applications to all voters 60 years of age or older as we have done in the past.

As your election official, I am notifying you that the City of Saline will no longer *automatically* send out Applications for Absentee Ballots without a request from the voter. To receive an Application for Absentee Ballot prior to each election, you need to request to be put on the **permanent absent voter list**. This will then allow us to mail you an Application for Absentee Ballot prior to each election. To request to be placed on the **permanent absent voter list**, fill in the information below, check a reason for requesting an Absentee Ballot and return by mail or in person to my office at 100 N. Harris Street, Saline, MI 48176, or in the City's drop box in the parking lot behind Comerica Bank. You may also make the request by calling my office at (734) 429-4907 ext 2209, 2216 or 2214 or by e-mail to dhill@cityofsaline.org or jindimore@cityofsaline.org or arutledge@cityofsaline.org

If we do not receive your request to be on the permanent absent voter list, it will be your responsibility to request an application *each time* you wish to vote by Absentee Ballot.

THE CITY OF SALINE

Dianne S. Hill, CMC
 City Clerk

Return this portion to the Clerk's office:

I am requesting to have my name placed on a **Permanent Absent Voter List** to *automatically* receive an application for an Absent Voter Ballot for all future elections held in the City of Saline.

 Signature

 Date of Request

 Print your Name

 Month & day of Birth

Registered Address in the City of Saline

YOU MUST CHECK A REASON BELOW:

Reason for requesting Absentee Ballot:

- Over 60 years of age
- Physically unable to attend the polls