

Mississippi

http://www.sos.ms.gov/elections_voter_info_center.aspx

DEADLINES	Presidential Primary March 13, 2012	State Primary March 13, 2012	State Primary Runoff April 3, 2012	General Election November 6, 2012
Registration	March 3, 2012	March 3, 2012	March 3, 2012	October 27, 2012
Ballot Request	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Ballot Return	7 pm, March 13, 2012	Absent Uniformed Services: 7 pm, March 13, 2012 All other UOCAVA voters: 5 pm, March 12, 2012	Absent Uniformed Services: 7 pm, April 3, 2012 All other UOCAVA voters: 5 pm, April 2, 2012	Absent Uniformed Services: 7 pm, November 6, 2012 All other UOCAVA voters: 5 pm, November 5, 2012

These are not mailing deadlines. Mail your voting materials early enough to account for mail delivery times. Check the Recommended Mailing Dates on the next page for details.

Information is current as of October 2012. Check www.fvap.gov for updates.

Registering and Requesting an Absentee Ballot

The Federal Post Card Application (FPCA) registers you to vote and requests absentee ballots. The FPCA serves as a request for an absentee ballot for the next Federal general election including all primary elections associated with the election.

Complete the Following Blocks of the Federal Post Card Application (FPCA):

Block 1: Select the category that describes you.

Block 3: Name (Last, First, Middle)

Block 4: Date of Birth

Your valid Mississippi Driver's License number OR the last four digits of your Social Security number is required for voter registration. If you do not possess either of these identification numbers, the State shall assign a number that will serve to identify you for voter registration purposes.

Block 5: Recommended but not required. Provide your contact information to allow your local election official to follow up if more information is required.

Block 6: Mississippi allows you to receive your ballot by mail, fax or email. Please rank your preference of how you would like to receive your absentee ballot. Provide your fax number or email address in Block 5. If you do not make a selection, then your local election official will mail your ballot to you. More transmission options may be available. Check www.fvap.gov for updates.

Block 7: Complete street address of your Mississippi voting residence. A post office box is not sufficient. If your address includes a rural route, describe its location in Block 9. This address must be within the county where you claim legal voting residence.

Block 8: Complete address where you want your ballot sent, usually where you live now.

Block 9: Provide any information that may assist the local election official in accepting this application.

Affirmation: Sign and date. No witness or notary required.

How and Where to Submit Your FPCA:

Mississippi allows you to submit the FPCA by mail, fax or email.

If you choose to mail your FPCA, mail the form directly to your local election office. Addresses can be found at the end of this section.

If you choose to email your FPCA, you should send the form as a signed, scanned attachment. Email directly to your circuit clerk. Their addresses can be found at http://sos.ms.gov/elections_voter_info_center2.aspx.

If you choose to fax your FPCA, fax the form directly to your local election official. Fax numbers can be found at http://www.sos.ms.gov/elections_voter_info_center.aspx. You may also use the DoD Electronic Transmission Service to fax your FPCA toll-free. To use the Electronic Transmission Service, use the cover sheet available in Chapter 1 or at www.fvap.gov, and fax to: (703) 693-5527, DSN 223-5527, or toll-free from the U.S., Canada, Guam, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands to 1-800-368-8683. International toll-free numbers can be found on the inside back cover or at www.fvap.gov.

Follow-Up on Your FPCA

To find out the status of your registration/absentee ballot request, contact your local election office. Contact information can be found at http://sos.ms.gov/elections_voter_info_center2.aspx.

Your jurisdiction will contact you if your registration is denied.

Ballot Request by Proxy

Another person may request that the local election office send a State registration affidavit and/or an absentee ballot application to you. Your oral authorization (by telephone) or written authorization may be required.

Voting Your Ballot

Local election officials send absentee ballots approximately 45 days before elections.

Voted ballots must be received by the local election office no later than 5 pm the day before the election (or 7 pm on Election Day for active duty overseas Uniformed Service members).

No witness or notary is required on voted ballots.

You may return your voted ballot by mail, fax, or email directly to your circuit clerk. Use FPCA email and fax instructions under “How and Where to Submit Your FPCA.”

Overseas uniformed service members and their family members with access to the Military Postal Service, may use the “Prepaid Expedited Mail- Label 11-DOD”. This label is available at APO/FPO locations and can only be used for the general election. It provides expedited mail service up to seven days prior to the election. You can

return your ballot with this label attached at any MPO/FPO, American embassy or consulate. A portion of the label is retained by you for tracking your ballot through the U.S. Postal Service.

Tracking Your Ballot

You may track the status of your ballot at: http://www.sos.ms.gov/elections_voter_info_center.aspx or email your local Circuit Clerk.

Recommended Mailing Dates for the November 2012 General Election

Send your FPCA by August 15, 2012 to ensure that you receive your ballot in time to vote and return it to be counted.

- Voters in Iraq, Afghanistan, ships at sea, and other overseas locations without access to the military postal system should send voted ballots by October 6, 2012
- Voters in other overseas military installations should send voted ballots by October 13, 2012
- Stateside Uniformed Service members and their families should send voted ballots by October 29, 2012.

If you do not receive your State absentee ballot by October 2, 2012, use the Federal Write-in Absentee Ballot. If you receive your State absentee ballot, vote and return it. If both ballots are received by the deadline, only the State ballot will be counted.

Haven't Received Your Ballot? Don't Wait Until It's Too Late. . . Use the Federal Write-In Absentee Ballot!

Mississippi allows you to use the Federal Write-In Absentee Ballot (FWAB) for registration and voting in primary, special, run-off, and general elections for Federal, State, and local offices, and non-candidate ballot issues. Feel free to use the FWAB to vote anytime before an election. You may not need to fill out this entire form. Check the instructions below to see what information your State requires.

Complete the Following Blocks of the FWAB's Voter Declaration/ Affirmation:

Block 1: Mississippi allows you to use this form for registration only if you are eligible to register and vote in the State, and if you provide information sufficient for registration.

Block 2: Select the category that describes you.

Block 3: Name (Last, First, Middle)

Block 4: Date of Birth

Enter your valid Mississippi Driver's License number, the last four digits of your Social Security number, OR your State voter registration number

Block 5: Recommended but not required. Provide your contact information to allow your local election official to follow up if more information is required.

Block 7: Complete street address of your Mississippi voting residence. A post office box is not sufficient. If your address includes a rural route, describe its location in Block 9. This address must be within the county where you claim legal voting residence.

Block 8: Enter your current mailing address.

Block 9: Provide any information that may assist the local election official in accepting this ballot or application.

Affirmation: Sign and date. No witness or notary required.

Vote Your FWAB:

To find out the races and candidates for which you can vote, go to <http://www.sos.ms.gov/elections.aspx>. For each office for which you vote, write in a candidate's name. Once the ballot is complete, fold and place it in the security envelope and seal. Place only the voted ballot in the security envelope and do not write on the security envelope.

How and Where to Submit Your FWAB:

The deadlines for submitting the FWAB are the same as for State absentee ballots. If you receive the State ballot after submitting the voted FWAB, you may also vote and return the State ballot. If both ballots are received by the deadline, only the State ballot will be counted.

Mississippi allows you to submit the FWAB by mail, fax or email directly to your circuit clerk.

If you choose to mail your FWAB, insert the sealed security envelope and the Voter's Declaration/Affirmation into the

mailing envelope and mail the FWAB directly to your local election office. Addresses can be found below.

If you choose to email your FWAB, you should send the ballot as a signed, scanned attachment. Include ballot, voter affirmation, and cover sheet with secrecy waiver. Email directly to Circuit Clerk (contact information here: http://www.sos.ms.gov/elections_voter_info_center2.aspx) or UOCAVA@sos.state.ms.us.

If you choose to fax your FWAB, fax it directly to your local election official. Fax numbers can be found at www.sos.state.ms.us/elections/elections.asp. Include ballot, voter affirmation, and cover sheet with secrecy waiver. You may also use the DoD Electronic Transmission Service to fax your FWAB toll-free. To use the Electronic Transmission Service, use the cover sheet available in Chapter 1 or at www.fvap.gov, and fax to: (703) 693-5527, DSN 223-5527, or toll-free from the U.S., Canada, Guam, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands to 1-800-368-8683. International toll-free numbers can be found on the inside back cover or at www.fvap.gov.

Local Election Office Addresses

County	Mailing Address
Adams	Adams County Registrar PO Box 1224 Natchez, MS 39121 Fax: (601) 445-7955 Email: UOCAVA.Adams@sos.ms.gov
Alcorn	Alcorn County Registrar PO Box 430 Corinth, MS 38835 Fax: (662) 286-7767 Email: UOCAVA.Alcorn@sos.ms.gov
Amite	Amite County Registrar PO Box 312 Liberty, MS 39645 Fax: (601) 657-1082 Email: UOCAVA.Amite@sos.ms.gov
Attala	Attala County Registrar 100 Courthouse, Suite 1 Kosciusko, MS 39090 Fax: (662) 289-7666 Email: UOCAVA.Attala@sos.ms.gov
Benton	Benton County Registrar PO Box 262 Ashland, MS 38603 Fax: (662) 224-6312 Email: UOCAVA.Benton@sos.ms.gov
Bolivar	Bolivar County Registrar PO Box 205 Rosedale, MS 38732 Fax: (662) 846-2931 Email: UOCAVA.Bolivar@sos.ms.gov
Calhoun	Calhoun County Registrar PO Box 25 Pittsboro, MS 38951 Fax: (662) 412-3103 Email: UOCAVA.Calhoun@sos.ms.gov
Carroll	Carroll County Registrar PO Box 6 Vaiden, MS 39176 Fax: (662) 464-5407 Email: UOCAVA.Carroll@sos.ms.gov

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Chickasaw	Chickasaw County Registrar 234 W. Main Street, Room 203 Houston, MS 38851 Fax: (662) 447-5024 Email: UOCAVA.Chickasaw@sos.ms.gov
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Coahoma	Coahoma County Registrar PO Box 849 Clarksdale, MS 38614 Fax: (662) 624-3075 Email: UOCAVA.Coahoma@sos.ms.gov
Copiah	Copiah County Registrar PO Box 467 Hazelhurst, MS 39083-0467 Fax: (601) 894-3026 Email: UOCAVA.Copiah@sos.ms.gov
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DeSoto	DeSoto County Registrar 2535 Hwy. 51 S Hernando, MS 38632 Fax: (662) 429-4115 Email: UOCAVA.Desoto@sos.ms.gov
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Humphreys	Humphreys County Registrar PO Box 696 Belzoni, MS 39038 Fax: (662) 247-3906 Email: UOCAVA.Humphreys@sos.ms.gov
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