



# Vote by Mail Application May 6, 2025 Primary/Special Election

MAIL TO: Hamilton County Board of Elections, 4700 Smith Rd, Cincinnati, OH 45212

**REQUIRED** PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE:

Mail Ballot to: *(if different from current (home) address)*

Voter's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Current (home) Address \_\_\_\_\_

Care of/PO Box \_\_\_\_\_

City, Village, or Twp \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

County \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (Recommended) [ ][ ]-[ ][ ]-[ ][ ][ ][ ]

Email (Recommended) \_\_\_\_\_

Contact information will be used by the board of elections to contact you in a timely manner if your application is incomplete.

**REQUIRED** ⇒ DATE OF BIRTH & IDENTIFICATION:

Birth Date: month \_\_\_\_\_/ day \_\_\_\_\_/ year \_\_\_\_\_

**Provide ONE of the following forms of identification:**

- The last four digits of your social security number [ ][ ][ ][ ]  
**OR**
- Your Ohio driver's license number or state ID card number: [ ][ ][ ][ ][ ][ ][ ][ ][ ][ ] (2 letters & 6 numbers)  
**OR**
- A COPY of a different form of current photo identification (a driver's license, state ID card, or interim ID form issued by the Ohio BMV; a US passport or passport card; or a US military ID card, Ohio National Guard ID card, or US Department of Veterans Affairs ID card). The copy of the photo ID must include images of the **front and back**, except for a passport which must include the passport's identification page.

**REQUIRED** You must choose ONE ballot type:

Democratic Party Ballot + Issues  
(Village of Silverton)

Nonpartisan Mayoral Primary + Issues (City of Cincinnati)

Republican Party Ballot + Issues  
(City of Harrison, City of Sharonville-Ward 4)

Issues Only

- I wish to vote in the Primary/Special Election to be held **Tuesday, May 6, 2025**.
- I understand that, per Ohio law, the board of elections must receive this request no later than **8:30 p.m. on April 29, 2025**.
- I understand that if an absentee ballot is mailed to me and I change my mind and go to my polling place to vote on Election Day, I will be required to vote a provisional ballot.
- I understand that if I do not provide the board with all of the required information, my application cannot be processed.
- I hereby declare, under penalty of election falsification, that I am a qualified elector and the statements above are true.

Signature X \_\_\_\_\_

Today's Date \_\_\_\_\_

**WHOEVER COMMITS ELECTION FALSIFICATION IS GUILTY OF A FELONY OF THE FIFTH DEGREE**

## Board of Elections



## TO ENSURE YOUR ABSENTEE BALLOT REQUEST IS RECEIVED, PLEASE DO THE FOLLOWING:

- Complete all fields.
- Sign and date your application.
- Mail the completed application, or return using our 24-hour secure drop box at the Hamilton County Board of Elections, 4700 Smith Rd., Cincinnati, OH 45212. This form must be received by the Board of Elections by **8:30pm on April 29, 2025**.
- If you have additional questions, please call the Board: (513) 946-8539, or (513) 946-8544

## NEXT STEPS

- Once the board of elections receives your absentee vote by mail application, the board will process your request and mail your ballot beginning **April 8<sup>th</sup>, 2025** to your address.
- You can track your ballot online at [votehamiltoncountyohio.gov](http://votehamiltoncountyohio.gov)
- If you return your absentee ballot by mail, it must be postmarked no later than **May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025** and received by the board of elections no later than **May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2025**. By state law, a postmark does NOT include a date marked by a postage evidence system such as a postage meter.
- If you return your ballot to the board in person, you must do so by **7:30 p.m. on Election Day**.
- Only you, your spouse, child, or a near relative\* may deliver your ballot to the board of elections for you.
- A disabled voter may select any person of their choosing to deliver their ballot, other than their employer or an officer in their union.
- The person delivering the ballot for a family member or disabled voter must complete an attestation form at the county board of elections office (Form 12-P)
- For members of the uniformed services or voters outside of the United States ONLY, ballots must be received by **May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2025**. Sign your identification envelope by the close of polls on Election Day or return in person by **7:30 p.m. on Election Day**.

*\*Near relative includes the voter's spouse or the voter's father, mother, father-in-law, mother-in-law, grandfather, grandmother, brother, or sister of the whole or half blood, or the son, daughter, adopting parent, adopted child, stepparent, stepchild, uncle, aunt, nephew, or niece.*