

OKALOOSA COUNTY Millitary & Overseas Voter Services

Dear

Thank you for using the Overseas Vote Foundation (OVF) Voter Registration/Ballot Request form process. Please follow the 5 steps below to complete the application process.

1. Check your documents:

Verify your information

If corrections are needed, return to the OVF website, http://www.overseasvotefoundation.org to correct and download new forms.

2. Print, sign and check the date on your forms:

Sign your Voter Registration/Ballot Request form and addendum page. Your election official requires your **ORIGINAL SIGNATURE** on the forms.

Address your envelope to your local election office:

3. Send in your Signed, Dated Original Form:

Postal Mail (Snail Mail): OVF recommends regular postal mail as the most secure method for transmitting your confidential election materials to your local election official. Mail them from a post office instead of a mailbox and, if possible, get the envelope legibly postmarked with the date of mailing.

Fax or Email + Post the original: Some states allow you to fax or email the form to speed processing; however, it must be followed by a posted hardcopy form with your original signature by mail in order to be a valid application. In addition, electronic transmission is not considered a secure transmission for your confidential personal information. Consult the OVF State-Specific Voter Information Directory for options for sending in your application.

4. Confirm that you are on the voter rolls and will receive your ballots.

OVF recommends that you contact your local election official after sending in your application to confirm that it has been received and approved, and that you will receive your ballots throughout the year.

Overseas Voting Contact:

Local Election Official:

Never assume that your ballot will simply arrive for the next election. Contact your election official and avoid surprises.

Online Registration Confirmation: Consult the OVF State-Specific Voter Information Directory for your state's voter registration confirmation service.

5. Mark Your Calendar and Be Prepared to Use a Back-Up Ballot

Sometimes ballots arrive late. If you haven't received your official ballot from your local election office **30** days before the election, return to the OVF website and use the Federal Write-In Absentee Ballot.

Thank you!

Overseas Vote Foundation is a nonprofit, nonpartisan public charity dedicated to facilitating overseas citizens and voters in federal elections. Please consider making a donation to help keep OVF going!

We wish you a positive voting experience in the coming election,

Overseas Vote Foundation

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