



CITY OF PORTSMOUTH, NEW HAMPSHIRE
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK

1 Junkins Avenue, Portsmouth, NH 03801

MUNICIPAL ABSENTEE BALLOT APPLICATION

INSTRUCTIONS: Please print or type all required information clearly.

I hereby apply for an Official Absentee Voting Ballot for the November 8, 2011 Municipal Election. I am a duly qualified voter and entitled to vote in the City of Portsmouth, New Hampshire.

Applicant Information:

Name: _____
(First) (Middle) (Last)

Portsmouth Voting Domicile (Home Street Address): _____

Mail Ballot to me at this address: _____
(if different from home address):
City & State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Email address (in case of questions for correspondence): _____

Signature: _____ Ward Number: _____

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT VOTING ABSENTEE

*The absentee ballot forms you receive will require you to sign an affidavit confirming that you are entitled to vote by absentee ballot due to one of the reasons stated below. The moderator is required to compare the signature on the affidavit to your signature on this form. The absentee ballot **will not be counted** if the affidavit and this form do not appear to have been signed by the same person. **RSA 659:50.***

V. New Hampshire law requires that you vote in person at the polling place for your town or ward unless you:

- Plan to be absent on the day of the election from the city, town, or unincorporated place in which you are registered to vote.
- Cannot appear in public on Election Day because of observance of a religious commitment.
- Are unable to vote in person due to a disability.
- Cannot appear at any time during polling hours at your polling place because an employment obligation requires you to remain physically at work or to be in transit to or from work from the time the polls open until after the time the polls close.

RSA 657:1. Any person who votes or attempts to vote using an absentee ballot who is not entitled to vote by absentee ballot shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. RSA 657:24

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Date App. Received: _____

Date Ballot Mailed/Given: _____

Date Ballot Received: _____