

Absentee/Mail Ballot Application



ABSENTEE/MAIL BALLOT APPLICATION
SECRETARY OF STATE
SFN 51408 (10-2023)

For Office Use Only
Precinct Part

For reference, see North Dakota Century Code, Chapter 16.1-07.

Application must be for at least one of the following elections. (check all that apply)

- ☐ June (Primary) election ☐ City or city special election ☐ State or county special election
☐ November (General) election ☐ School or school special election

Applicant information: (ALL FIELDS REQUIRED)

Voter's name _____ Date of birth _____ Daytime telephone number _____

North Dakota ID type used: (check one)

- ☐ Driver's license ☐ Non-driver's ID ☐ Long-term care certificate (include with application) ☐ Tribal ID
☐ Passport (only for voters living outside the United States) or military ID** ☐ Applicant without ID*

ID number (required only if driver's license, non-driver's ID, tribal ID, passport, or military ID is selected above)

Residential address _____ City _____ State _____ ZIP code _____

Ballot delivery address (if different from residential address) _____ City _____ State _____ ZIP code _____

I do solemnly affirm that I have resided or will reside in the precinct where my residential voting address is located for at least 30 days next preceding the election and will be a qualified elector of the precinct.

Signature (required) _____

Date _____

Applicant Unable to Sign:

If the applicant is unable to sign the applicant's name, the applicant shall mark ☐ or use the applicant's signature stamp on the application in the presence of a disinterested individual. The disinterested individual shall print the name of the individual marking the "X" or using the signature stamp below the "X" or signature and shall sign the disinterested individual's own name following the printed name together with the notation, "witness to the mark."



Voter's Mark

Printed name of person making mark or voter's signature stamp

Signature of "witness to the mark."

*Applicant Without ID:

If the applicant does not possess or cannot secure an approved form of identification due to a disability with which the individual lives and which prevents the individual from traveling to obtain another qualified elector of the state may attest that the applicant is a qualified elector of that precinct by signing below and providing his or her approved North Dakota identification number. **NOTE:** A qualified elector may not attest the qualifications of more than four applications in an election.

Printed name of attester _____ Driver's / non-driver's / tribal ID number _____

Signature of attester _____ Date _____ Daytime telephone number _____

**Active Military and Overseas Voter:

Check **ONE** (if applicable):

- ☐ Citizen living outside of the United States
☐ Uniformed service or family member living away from the voter's residence, yet **within** the United States
☐ Uniformed service or family member living away from the voter's residence, yet **outside** the United States

If one of the check boxes above applies to you, please indicate your preferred ballot delivery method:

- ☐ Mail ☐ Email (provide email address) _____ ☐ Fax (provide fax number) _____

Mail or submit to the auditor of your county of residence or appropriate election officer

(The signature on this affidavit will be compared to the signature on the affidavit on the envelope in which the absentee ballot must be placed.)

Applications for absentee/mail ballots were mailed from the office of the County Auditor on September 14, 2026. Individuals not receiving an application may obtain one from the office of the County Auditor or at the following website: vote.nd.gov.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand at Medora, North Dakota, this 14th day of September, 2026.

Marcia Kessel

Billings County Auditor/Treasurer

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