How to submit your application:
Once your application is completed, you may return it to your local county board of elections. If you’re unsure of where to mail your application, please visit www.vote.pa.gov/County for more information.

Deadline alert:
The deadline to apply for a civilian absentee ballot is 5:00PM on the Tuesday before the election. Please note your application must be received in the county board of election’s office by that time. Postmarks do not count.

The deadline to return your completed ballot is 8:00PM on election day. Please note your completed ballot must be received by the county board of election’s by that time. Postmarks do not count.

Necessary identification:
In order to apply for an absentee ballot, you must supply your PA Driver’s License or PennDOT issued photo ID card number in the Identification section. If you do not have a PA Driver’s License or PennDOT issued photo ID card, you must supply the last four (4) digits of your Social Security number.

If you do not have a valid form of either of these types of identification, please check the box titled “I do not have a PA driver’s license or a PennDOT ID card or a Social Security number” in the Identification section. If you choose this option, you must enclose a photocopy of an acceptable ID.

Please visit www.vote.pa.gov/MailBallot for more information, call 1-877-868-3772, or contact your county board of elections.

What is an annual absentee ballot request?
If you have a permanent illness or a permanent disability you may be added to the annual absentee request list. Once your physician signs the certification of permanent disability and your request is approved, you will automatically receive ballots for the remainder of the year, and you will receive an application to renew your request for absentee ballots each year.

If you update your voter registration due to relocation out of county after you submit an annual absentee ballot request, please ensure your annual status is transferred when updating your address.

Assistance in voting:
If you require assistance with completing your ballot due to a disability, you must also complete a Statement ofAbsentee Elector Requiring Assistance form. Please visit www.vote.pa.gov for more information.

WARNING: If you receive an absentee ballot and return your voted ballot by the deadline, you may not vote at your polling place on election day. If you are unable to return your voted absentee ballot by the deadline, you may only vote a provisional ballot at your polling place on election day, unless you surrender your absentee ballot and the return envelope containing the Voter’s Declaration to the judge of elections to be voided to vote by regular ballot.

Questions?
Call your County Election Office or call 1-877-868-3772.
For more information about voting, visit our website: www.vote.pa.gov
Información en español: Si le interesa obtener este formulario en español, llame al 1-877-868-3772.