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 SOUTHFIELD, MI
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OFFICIAL ELECTION MATERIAL

(First Name)	(Middle Name)	(Last Name)
(Address Number)	(Street)	
(City)	(State)	(Zip Code)
(Phone#)	(Email)	(FAX#)

BOTH ELECTIONS **APPLICATION FOR ABSENT VOTER'S BALLOT** **DO NOT DETACH**
 PRIMARY ELECTION DATE: SEPT. 15, 2009 GENERAL ELECTION DATE: NOV. 3, 2009

As a duly qualified and registered elector in the CITY OF SOUTHFIELD, County of OAKLAND, State of Michigan, I hereby make application for an official ballot, to be voted by me at the election(s) indicated above.

Check reason why you are requesting a ballot

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| <p>CHECK
PRIMARY
ELECTION
REASON</p> | <input type="checkbox"/>
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<input type="checkbox"/> | <p>CHECK
GENERAL
ELECTION
REASON</p> | <input type="checkbox"/> I am 60 years of age or older.
<input type="checkbox"/> I am physically unable to attend the polls without assistance of another.
<input type="checkbox"/> I am an appointed precinct worker in a precinct other than the precinct where I reside.
<input type="checkbox"/> I expect to be absent from the community in which I am registered for the entire time the polls are open on election day.
<input type="checkbox"/> I cannot attend the polls because of the tenets of my religion.
<input type="checkbox"/> I cannot attend the polls because I am confined to jail awaiting arraignment or trial. |
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	PRIMARY	GENERAL
Filed		
Mailed		
Ballot #		
Returned		
Pct. #		
Clerk		

BIRTH YEAR	WARNING: A PERSON WHO MAKES A FALSE STATEMENT IN THIS DECLARATION IS GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR.	SIGN HERE	Signature of Absent Voter X _____ Date _____
			I Declare the foregoing statement to be true.

NOTE: Michigan law requires that A.V. Ballots be sent to your registered address unless you are hospitalized, institutionalized, or at an address outside of your community. Complete the following ONLY if you want your ballot sent to an address outside of your community or to a hospital or other institution.

COMPLETE ONLY IF YOU WANT YOUR BALLOT SENT TO AN ADDRESS OTHER THAN YOUR REGISTERED ADDRESS			
PLEASE PRINT DATE LEAVING FOR TEMP. ADDRESS	SEND PRIMARY ELECTION BALLOT TO:	PLEASE PRINT DATE LEAVING FOR TEMP. ADDRESS	SEND GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT TO:
	(NUMBER) (STREET)		(NUMBER) (STREET)
	(CITY) (STATE) (ZIP)		(CITY) (STATE) (ZIP)

DO NOT DETACH - RETURN ENTIRE FORM

Phone No. _____

SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR INSTRUCTIONS



▲ TAPE IN THIS AREA ONLY ▲
DO NOT STAPLE



First
Class
Postage
Required

FOLD OVER SO THAT THIS SIDE SHOWS, THEN TAPE AREA SHOWN

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▲ FOLD HERE ▲ **DO NOT DETACH**

INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLICANTS FOR ABSENT VOTER BALLOTS

▲ FOLD HERE ▲ **DO NOT DETACH**

Step 1. After completely filling out the application, sign and date the application in the place designated. Your signature must appear on the application or you will not receive an absent voter ballot. **Step 2.** Deliver the application by 1 of the following methods: **(a)** Fold this application so the clerk's name and address appears and seal in the area shown or place this application in an envelope addressed to the appropriate clerk and place the necessary postage upon the return envelope and deposit either the folded card or the envelope in the United States mail or with another postal service, express mail service, parcel post service, or common carrier. **(b)** Deliver the application personally to the office of the clerk, or to an authorized assistant of the clerk. **(c)** In either (a) or (b), a member of the immediate family of the voter including a father-in-law, mother-in-law, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, grandparent, or grandchild or a person residing in the voter's household may mail or deliver the application to the clerk for the applicant. **(d)** In the event an applicant cannot return the application in any of the above methods, the applicant may select any registered elector to return the application. **THE PERSON RETURNING THE APPLICATION MUST SIGN THE CERTIFICATE BELOW.**

CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORIZED REGISTERED ELECTOR RETURNING ABSENT VOTER BALLOT APPLICATION

ONLY FILL THIS OUT IF ASSISTING A VOTER

I Certify that my name is _____

my address is _____ and my date of birth is ____/____/____;

that I am delivering the absent voter ballot application of _____ at his or her request; that I did not solicit or request to return the application; that I have not made any markings on the application; that I have not altered the application in any way; that I have not influenced the applicant; and that I am aware that a false statement in this certificate is a violation of Michigan election law.

X _____
Signature Date

WARNING: A person making a false statement in this absent ballot application is guilty of a misdemeanor. It is a violation of Michigan election law for a person other than those listed in the above instructions to return, offer to return, agree to return or solicit to return your absent voter ballot application to the clerk. An assistant authorized by the clerk who receives absent voter ballot applications at a location other than the office of the clerk must have credentials signed by the clerk. Ask to see his or her credentials before entrusting your application with a person claiming to have the clerk's authorization to return your application.