

# This is an important message from Your Union: Don't Be Absent from the Changes in Absentee Ballots .



- Prior to 2010, a request for an absentee ballot would result in the voter receiving an absentee ballot through the next **two** regularly scheduled general elections.
- Due to the 2010 amendment, a request for an absentee ballot now will result in the voter receiving an absentee ballot only through the **next** regularly scheduled general election.
- Therefore, if a voter requested an absentee ballot prior to the 2010 general election, he or she would only receive an absentee ballot for elections up to the November 2010 general election.

Voters must now submit another absentee ballot request **immediately after a general election** to ensure that they will receive an absentee ballot for all local and state elections in odd-numbered years and to ensure that they will receive an absentee ballot for the next general election in 2012.

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