

Military and Overseas Voters

The Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act (UOCAVA) created special provisions for absent uniformed services and overseas citizens to vote by mail in primary, general, and special elections for federal offices; and to allow these individuals to use a federal write-in absentee ballot (FWAB) in the general election for federal offices.

Who are UOCAVA Voters?

- Members of the United States Uniformed Services and the merchant marines and their family members
- United States citizens residing outside of the United States

Registering to Vote

All military and overseas voters must be registered to vote in order to obtain a ballot. UOCAVA voters can register by completing a Federal Post Card Application (FPCA). The completed FPCA must then be received by or postmarked to the Clerk’s Office no later than 30 days prior to an election to be added to the voter rolls.

Primary Election: July 14, 2016
General Election: October 10, 2016

Requesting Mail Ballot

Current registered voters may request for an absentee ballot by completing a Federal Post Card Application (FPCA). The FPCA must be returned to their Clerk’s Office no later than seven (7) days prior to an election.

Primary Election: August 6, 2016
General Election: November 1, 2016

Voted ballots must be received by the Clerk’s Office by the close of polls on election day.

Primary Election: August 13, 2016
General Election: November 8, 2016

Federal Voting Assistance Program

The Federal Voting Assistance Program (FVAP) is a voting assistance program for service members and their families and overseas citizens.

Federal Voting Assistance Program
Phone: 800-438-VOTE (8683)
Email: vote@fvap.gov
Website: www.fvap.gov

Hawaii Unit Voting Assistance Officers

UOCAVA voters may contact a Voting Assistance Officers for additional information.

<u>Branch of Service</u>	<u>Officer</u>	<u>Contact Number</u>
Air Force Hickam AFB	Ms. Agnes Borbely	(808) 473-4686
Army Schofield Barracks and Fort Shafter	Mr. Manuel Tagavilla	(808) 655-5546
Coast Guard	Ms. Kellie Dean	(808) 842-2013
Marine Corps Kaneohe Marine Corps Base	Ms. Deanna Nieves	(808) 257-8866
Navy JB Pearl Harbor Hickam	LCDR Lena E. Whitehead	(808) 473-4717 (808) 335-4732
PMRF Barking Sands	Mr. Woldekidan Tegegne	

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