

# Early Voting

Voters do not have to wait until election day to vote. Any registered voter may request a mail ballot or cast their vote at an early walk-in location within their county.

## Vote by Mail

To request a permanent mail ballot, complete the *Wikwiki Voter Registration & Permanent Absentee Application* or submit the request online at [www.elections.hawaii.gov](http://www.elections.hawaii.gov).

Permanent mail voter status is terminated if any one of the following occurs:

- Voter fails to return a voted ballot by 6:00 p.m., close of polls in both the primary and general election.
- Voter dies, loses their voting rights, registers to vote in another jurisdiction, or is otherwise disqualified from voting.
- Voter's ballot, notification card, or any other election mail is returned as undeliverable for any reason.
- Voter requests in writing that their permanent status be terminated.

To request a mail ballot for a specific election or election cycle, complete the *Wikwiki Absentee Application*.

Both applications are available on the Office of Elections' website, and any of the following locations:

- Office of Elections
- Clerk's Offices
- State Libraries
- U.S. Post Offices
- State Agencies
- Satellite City Halls

## Mail Ballot Request Deadlines

Requests for a mail ballot must be received by your Clerk's Office seven (7) days before the election.

Primary Election: August 4, 2018  
General Election: October 30, 2018

## Special Circumstances

A request for an absentee ballot after the deadline can only be granted in special case situations determined by the county clerk (e.g. a voter is hospitalized shortly before election day and is not able to make it to their polling place to vote). Please contact your county clerk, if you believe you have a special case situation.

## Voted Ballots

Voted ballots must be received by your Clerk's Office no later than the close of polls on election day.

## Vote Early In-Person

Voters may also walk-in to any early walk-in location in their county to cast their vote before election day. Early walk-in dates are as follows:

Primary Election: July 30 – August 9, 2018  
General Election: October 23 – November 3, 2018

For information on times and locations contact your Clerk's Office.

County of Hawaii  
25 Aupuni Street  
Room 1502  
Hilo, Hawaii 96720  
Phone: (808) 961-8277

County of Maui  
200 South High Street  
Room 708  
Wailuku, Hawaii 96793  
Phone: (808) 270-7749

County of Kauai  
4386 Rice Street  
Room 101  
Lihue, Hawaii 96766  
Phone: (808) 241-4800

City & County of Honolulu  
530 South King Street  
Room 100  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813  
Phone: (808) 768-3800

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Office of Elections  
802 Lehua Avenue  
Pearl City, Hawaii 96782  
Phone: (808) 453-VOTE (8683)  
Neighbor Island Toll Free: 1-800-442-VOTE (8683)  
TTY: (808) 453-6150

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