

ROTTERDAM-MOHONASEN CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

2072 Curry Road
Schenectady, New York 12303

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETION OF ABSENTEE BALLOT

Enclosed you will find:

- a) An **Application for Absentee Ballot Pursuant to Section 2018-b of the Education Law.**
- b) An **Official Ballot for May 18, 2010.**
- c) An **Oath Envelope.**

How to Vote:

1. Complete "Application for Absentee Ballot" and **SIGN.**
2. Follow instructions on "Official Ballot" on "How to Vote."
3. Insert "Application for Absentee Ballot" and "Official Ballot" in Oath Envelope provided.
4. **Seal Oath Envelope and sign and date the Statement of Absentee Voter on back of envelope.**

Note: The signed "Application for Absentee Ballot" must be returned with the "Official Ballot" and the Oath Envelope must also be signed for the vote on the Ballot to be counted.

5. Return the Oath Envelope to the:

District Clerk, Board of Education
Rotterdam-Mohonasen Central School District
2072 Curry Road
Schenectady, New York 12303

Note: The Oath Envelope must reach the Office of the Clerk of the School District not later than 5:00 P.M. on the day of the vote, MAY 18, 2010.

If you have questions concerning the completion of this package, please call the Office of the Clerk at (518) 356-8210 for instructions.

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2072 Curry road
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OFFICIAL BALLOT

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMITTING AN ABSENTEE BALLOT

FOR: MAY 18, 2010

ABSENTEE VOTER'S BALLOT

How to vote:

1. Mark in pen having blue or black ink or with a pencil having black lead.
2. To vote on Propositions, fill in the oval next to the choice you are selecting setting forth such Proposition.
3. Any other mark or any erasure made on this ballot is unlawful.

How to return envelope:

1. Insert completed "**Application for Absentee Ballot**" in the envelope entitled "ELECTION MATERIAL PLEASE EXPEDITE".
2. After ballot is marked, fold and insert in the envelope entitled "ELECTION MATERIAL PLEASE EXPEDITE", and seal.
3. Complete the front of the envelope, turn over, read the "Statement of Absentee Voter", and sign and date the envelope in the spaces indicated.
4. Insert sealed envelope in envelope marked District Clerk with school district address, and seal. This envelope may be hand-delivered to the District Office, at 2072 Curry Road, Schenectady, NY, or postage may be affixed and envelope may be mailed. All absentee ballots must be received in the office of the District Clerk, Rotterdam-Mohonasen Central School District, 2072 Curry Road, Schenectady, NY 12303, not later than 5:00 P.M. on the date of the vote, Tuesday, May 18, 2010.

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Application for Absentee Ballot
Pursuant to Section 2018-b of the Education Law

Name: _____

Address: _____
(number and street)

Town	State	Zip
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I, _____, am or will be, on the day of the school district election, a qualified voter of the Rotterdam-Mohonasen Central School District, am over 18 years of age, a citizen of the United States and have or will have resided in the district for 30 days preceding the date of election.

Date of election or vote absentee for which ballot is requested _____.

I will be unable to appear to vote in person on the day of the school district election for which the absentee ballot is requested because I am, or will be on such day **(check one)**:

_____ a patient in a hospital, or unable to appear personally at the polling place on such day because of illness or physical disability:

_____ because of my duties, occupation, business or studies, I will be required to be outside the county or city of residence on such day; (provide brief description of such duties, occupation, business or studies. Where such duties, occupation, business or studies are not of such a nature as ordinarily to require such absence, please state the special circumstances or account of which absence is required):

_____ because I will be on vacation outside the county or city of residence on such day (please state the dates upon which you expect to begin and end such vacation, the place or places where you expect to be on such vacation, the name and address of your employer, if any, and if self-employed, a statement to that effect)

_____ because I will be absent from my voting residence because I am or will be detained in jail awaiting action by a grand jury, awaiting trial or confined in prison after conviction for an offense other than a felony. (Please state whether you are detained awaiting action of the grand jury or are confined after conviction for an offense other than a felony.)

_____ because I will be accompanying my spouse/child/parent who is or would be, if he/she were a qualified voter, entitled to apply for the right to vote by absentee ballot. (Please state name, address, and relationship of person referred to in this paragraph.)

I hereby declare that the foregoing is a true statement to the best of my knowledge and belief, and I understand that if I make any false statement in the foregoing statement of application for absentee ballot, I shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Date: _____

Signature of Voter _____

Please return to:

**District Clerk, Board of Education
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