

**INSTRUCTIONS TO ABSENTEE VOTERS**  
**July 13, 2010 Democratic Special Primary Election**

Your ballot materials include:

- Absentee Voter Instructions.
  - Official Ballot.
  - White Identification Envelope.
  - Return Envelope.
  - "I Voted Today" sticker
1. Study the CANDIDATES that appear on the ballot. If you find an error contact the Absentee Department IMMEDIATELY at 937-225-5666.
  2. Use any blue or black ink pen or dark pencil (NOT PROVIDED) to completely shade in the ovals next to the candidate/issue you wish to vote for. DO NOT USE RED INK.

<b>Favorite Ohio President</b> <small>Vote for One</small>	<b>Commissioners of Ohio Literature</b> <small>Vote for Two</small>	<b>Commissioner for The National Pastime</b> <small>Vote for One</small>
<input type="radio"/> Benjamin Harrison	<input type="radio"/> Toni Morrison	<input type="radio"/> Annie Oakley
<input type="radio"/> William McKinley	<input type="radio"/> James Thurber	<input type="radio"/> Kerleaw M. Landis
<input type="radio"/> William H. Taft	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Paul Laurence Dunbar	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Jack Nicklaus
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Ulysses S. Grant	<input type="radio"/> Hart Crane	<input type="radio"/> Cy Young
<input type="radio"/> Rutherford B. Hayes	<input type="radio"/> Zeno Grey	
<input type="radio"/> James A. Garfield	<input type="radio"/> William Dean Howells	<b>Mintaker of Music</b> <small>Vote for One</small>
<input type="radio"/> Write-In	<input type="radio"/> Write-In	<input type="radio"/> Rosemary Clooney
	<input type="radio"/> Write-In	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Doris Day
		<input type="radio"/> Dean Martin

3. COMPLETE and SIGN the IDENTIFICATION ENVELOPE, put the ballot inside the IDENTIFICATION ENVELOPE and seal.

**YOUR BALLOT WILL NOT BE COUNTED IF THE IDENTIFICATION ENVELOPE IS NOT COMPLETED, SIGNED AND RETURNED WITH THE BALLOT SEALED INSIDE THE ENVELOPE!**

4. The ballot must be RECEIVED by the Director of the Board no later than the close of the polls (7:30 p.m.) on Election Day, in order to be counted on Election Day. Ballots can be mailed or hand delivered by the voter or a member of their immediate family.

**Exception:** Ballots mailed from within country and postmarked by May 3, 2010 will be counted if received by the board up to 10 days after Election Day. Ballots mailed from outside the United States will be counted 25 days after Election Day if postmarked by Election Day.

**POSTAGE TO RETURN THE BALLOT IS .61 CENTS.**

***NOTE: IF YOU REQUEST AN ABSENTEE BALLOT AND THEN GO TO YOUR POLLING LOCATION TO VOTE, YOU WILL BE REQUIRED TO VOTE A PROVISIONAL BALLOT.***