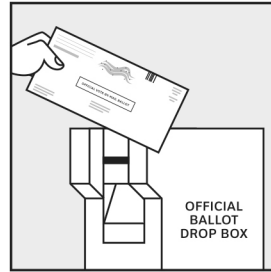
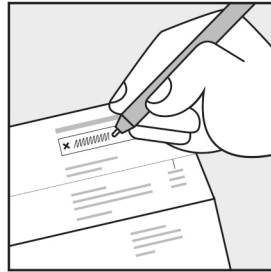
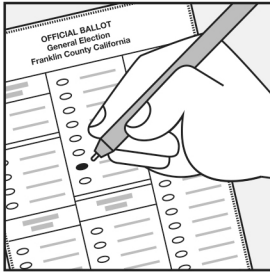




## How to vote by mail

### You can vote by mail before Election Day

To vote by mail, you have to request a ballot. Then you can mark the ballot and send it back or drop it off at any polling place. You can vote by mail for this election only, or for all future elections.






OR



### How to get your vote-by-mail ballot

You must request a vote-by-mail ballot by February 25.

You can:





-  Request a ballot at [www.votescount.com](http://www.votescount.com)
-  Use the application on the back of this guide, and mail it or FAX it to 831-454-2445
-  Call 831-454-2060

After you apply to vote by mail, you will receive your ballot within one week.

Overseas voters, military personnel and their dependents can get a vote-by-mail ballot by asking your commanding officer, or go to: [www.votescount.com](http://www.votescount.com)

### How to return your vote-by-mail ballot

Mark your ballot. Then follow the instructions on the official envelope to sign, date, and seal your ballot.

-  Drop it off at one of the 24/7 drop boxes located at:
  - 701 Ocean Street, Santa Cruz, in front of the county building
  - 212 Church Street, Santa Cruz, public parking lot
  - 1 Civic Center Drive, Scotts Valley City Hall parking lot
  - 420 Capitola Avenue, Capitola City Hall parking lot
  - 316 Rodriguez Street, Watsonville public parking lot 14
  - UC Santa Cruz - Quarry Plaza
  - Graham Hill & Mt. Hermon Rd., Felton Covered Bridge Park parking lot
  - Cabrillo College, parking lot R
  - Aptos Polo Grounds near the dog park
  - County Health Center, Freedom Blvd. in Watsonville
  - Check [www.votescount.com](http://www.votescount.com) for other locations
-  Hand deliver your ballot to the Santa Cruz County Clerk/Elections office or the Capitola, Santa Cruz, Scotts Valley or Watsonville City Clerk.
-  Drop off your ballot on Election Day at any polling place in the State of California.
-  Mail your ballot, so that it is postmarked by Election Day, March 3.