



Absentee Ballot Voting For Hijri Year 1441 (2019-2020)

Background:

The absentee ballot is discussed in the MCA Constitution, Article XII, Section 11. Absentee ballots for unavoidable circumstances are available to registered MCA members eligible to vote and are unable to go to the MCA (polling place) on the Election Days:

- **Friday, September 20th from 7:45 PM to 10:00 PM.**
- **Saturday, September 21st from 11:00 AM to 7:00 PM.**
- **Sunday, September 22nd from 11:00 AM to 1:15 PM.**

Acceptable circumstances include:

- Traveling outside the area OR
- Sick and unable to vote in person OR
- Working as part of your regular working hours during all the available voting days/times listed above.

Procedure for requesting an absentee ballot:

1. Fill in the form on the last page in this document and deliver it to the election committee by hand or via email. **The deadline for receiving this form is September 12th, 10:00AM.**
2. If accepted, the election committee will **email** you a ballot.
3. Fill out your ballot.

Procedure for submitting an absentee ballot:

Option 1: By Hand

1. Place you filled out ballot in a sealed envelope
2. Arrange a time and place to meet the election committee. Bring your photo id with you.
3. Your ID will be checked against the voter roll and your ballot accepted.
4. Your ballot must reach us before **September 19th, 8:45 PM.**

Option 2: By Email

1. Send a scan or photo of you ballot along with a scan or photo of your id to ahmed@azein.com
2. Your ID will be checked against the voter roll and your ballot accepted.
3. Your ballot must reach us before **September 19th, 8:45 PM.**

Option 3: By Mail

1. Place you filled out ballot in a sealed envelope.
2. Place you ballot envelope + a copy of your ID into a 2nd envelope and send that to:
1073 Rock Ave, San Jose, CA 95131
3. Your letter must reach us before **September 19th, 8:45 PM.**



Absentee Ballot Request Form for 1441H (2019-2020)

Instruction to complete the absentee ballot:

1. Provide copy of a Photo ID (Driver's license, Green card, Passport etc)
2. Your Full Name, address, signature, date, and phone.
3. Fill in your request for an absentee ballot to convince Election Committee that you can't attend Elections at the MCA center.
4. If accepted, your ballot will be sent to the email address provided in this form.

TO: MCA Elections Committee:

I have read MCA Absentee ballot procedures and I agree to abide by it. I further agree to provide the required paperwork for obtaining an absentee ballot.

I am requesting an absentee ballot for the following reasons:

Name: _____

Membership ID: _____

Date: _____

Signature: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

For MCA Election Committee purposes only:

ACCEPTED _____ **REJECTED** _____ **DATE:** _____