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From the League of Women Voters:

To request an Absentee Ballot by mail, you must first submit an Absentee Ballot Application to the Office of Elections. After processing of the application, the ballot will be mailed to you. You must complete an Absentee Ballot Application and mail it to the Office of Elections, 12000 Government Center Parkway, Suite 323, Fairfax, VA 22035 or fax it to (703) 324-3725. Absentee ballot applications are available at county government centers and libraries. You may choose to use the new fillable form at http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/eb/ABapp_Aug07_fillable.pdf. This form allows you to complete your absentee ballot application form online. Once you have entered the required information into the form, you must then PRINT the form, SIGN the form and then RETURN the form either by mail to the address listed above, or by fax at the number listed above. The deadline to apply for an Absentee Ballot by mail is February 5 at 5 p.m. All mailed Absentee Ballots must be received at the Office of the Electoral Board by 7 p.m. on Tuesday, February 12, 2008, to be counted. **A postmarked date does not apply.** If you have any questions, please call the Fairfax County Office of Elections at 703-222-0776.

In-person absentee voting is available at the Fairfax County Government Center, 12000 Government Center Parkway, Suite 323 in Fairfax, from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday through Friday until February 8, and on Saturday, February 9, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. In-person absentee voting is not available at the Electoral Board's satellite locations for the Presidential Primary, but will be offered for the General Election in the fall.

I'm sending this to alert you advising that the lines will be long on the 12th (they have been long in other states) and again in November. The polls in Virginia are open from 6 am to 7 pm. Remember to bring an ID if you come to the polls on the 12th.

AARP Driver Safety Program Sully Senior Center in Centreville

On March 25 and 28, 2008 (Tuesday and Friday) from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Sully Senior Center will offer the AARP Driver Safety Program at the center, 5690 Sully Road in Centreville. This class is the nation's first and largest classroom driver refresher course specially designed for motorists who are 50 and better. It is intended to help older drivers improve their skills while teaching them to avoid accidents and traffic violations. Participants will receive a certificate upon completion of this course that entitles them to a discount with most auto insurance providers. The two-day class is \$10. You must attend both days to complete the course. Contact your insurance company for information as to the discount offered. For more information, call 703-322-4475, TTY 711 or email lynne.lott@fairfaxcounty.gov. Space is limited to 25 participants.



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