

## SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS AND FORM FOR VOTE-BY-MAIL BALLOT CURE AFFIDAVIT

(BASED UPON FEDERAL COURT ORDER, NOVEMBER 2018)

This affidavit is for a voter who returns a vote-by-mail ballot whose signature does not match the voter's signature on file.

### A. Instructions – Read carefully before completing the affidavit. Failure to follow these instructions may cause your ballot not to count.

1. In order to ensure that your vote-by-mail ballot will be counted, your affidavit should be completed and returned as soon as possible so that it can reach the supervisor of elections of the county in which your precinct is located **no later than 5 p.m. on November 17, 2018**. You must:

- Complete and sign the affidavit below - sign on the line above "(Voter's Signature)"
- Make a copy of one of the following forms of identification (ID):

**Tier 1 identification** - Current and valid ID that includes your name and photograph: Florida driver license; Florida identification card issued by the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; United States passport; debit or credit card; military, student, retirement center, neighborhood association, or public assistance ID; veteran health ID card issued by U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs; Florida license to carry a concealed weapon or firearm; or employee ID card issued by any branch, department, agency, or entity of the Federal Government, the state, a county, or a municipality.

**OR if you do not have one of the above forms of ID, use one of these instead:**

**Tier 2 identification** - ID that shows your name and current residence address: current utility bill; bank statement; government check; paycheck; or government document (excluding voter ID card).

- Return the completed affidavit and the copy of your ID to your county supervisor of elections by one of the following means:
  - Deliver in person or by someone else;
  - Mail (insert the completed affidavit and copy of the ID into a mailing envelope and address to the supervisor; be sure there is sufficient postage and the supervisor's address is correct); or
  - Fax or email (attach the completed affidavit and copy of the ID).

Address, fax numbers, and email addresses for each Supervisor of Elections can be found here:

<https://dos.elections.myflorida.com/supervisors/>

### B. Form

#### Vote-by-Mail Ballot Cure Affidavit

I, \_\_\_\_\_, am a qualified voter in this election and registered  
(print voter's name)

voter of \_\_\_\_\_ County, Florida. I do solemnly swear or affirm that I requested and  
(print county name)

returned the vote-by-mail ballot and that I have not and will not vote more than one ballot in this election. **I affirm under penalty of perjury that I did not receive actual notice of the signature defect until after 5 p.m. on Thursday, November 1, 2018.** I understand that if I commit or attempt any fraud in connection with voting, vote a fraudulent ballot, or vote more than once in an election, I may be convicted of a felony of the third degree and fined up to \$5,000 and imprisoned for up to 5 years. I understand that my failure to sign this affidavit means that my vote-by-mail ballot will be invalidated.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Voter's Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Voter's Address)