

H.B. 390

ABSENTEE BALLOT AMENDMENTS

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

AMENDMENT 1

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Representative **Jim Bird** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Page 1, Lines 13 through 17:*

- 13 ▶ requires that applications for absentee ballots be applied for :
- no later than the Monday before election day for a county of the first or second class; or
 - no later than the Friday
- 14 before the election date { ~~, regardless of whether the absentee ballot will be voted by~~
- 15 ~~mail or in person~~ } for all other counties ;
- 16 ▶ requires that in-person absentee ballots be cast :
- no later than the Monday before election day for a county of the first or second class;
 - or
 - no later than the Friday before the
- 17 election date for all other counties ; and

2. *Page 2, Line 57 through Page 3, Line 59:*

- 57 (3) (a) [(†)] Except as provided in [~~Subsections (3)(a)(ii) and (iii), the voters~~]
- 58 Subsection (3)(b), a voter who wishes to vote by absentee ballot shall file the application for an
- 59 absentee ballot with the appropriate election officer :
- = (i) no later than the Monday before election day for a county of the first or second class; or
 - (ii) no later than the Friday before election day for all other counties .

3. *Page 4, Lines 96 through 99:*

- 96 (2) An absentee ballot is not valid unless [~~it is~~]:
- 97 (a) [~~received~~] in the case of an absentee ballot that is voted in person, it is applied for
- 98 and cast in person at the office of the appropriate election officer [~~before the closing of polls~~
- 99 on] (i) no later than the Monday before election day for a county of the first or second class; or
- (ii) no later than the Friday before election day for all other counties ; or