

Election Administration and Voting Survey 2018

Frequently Asked Questions

1. How do I complete Section A3 thru A9?

Each voter registration system should have a report which can be generated to compile the required statistics. The date range for which the statistics must be reported begins on the close of registration for the 2016 general election (October 12, 2018) through the close of registration for the 2018 general elections (October 9, 2018). Contact your voter registration vendor if assistance is required.

In addition, an Excel Spreadsheet has been provided to help the board report the necessary totals. Each board should be careful to not double report registrations in more than one category.

2. In previous years, the board needed to provide more information to the EAC. Will this be all the information the board needs to provide?

Yes. The other information has been provided by each board using the Absentee and Provisional Supplemental Reports provided for the board's official certification of the November 6, 2018 General Election. Additional information was also reported by each board prior to the election.

3. Where do we list forms received from another county as the voter now resides in our county?

It should be listed as a new registration under A3b.

4. In what category should voter registration forms dropped off in person to the board of elections, but not provided by a group sponsoring a voter registration drive, be included?

These voter registration forms should be listed under "Individual voters registering in person at the election's office" (A4b, A5b, A6b, and A7b).

5. Where should we list voter registration forms received from the Dept. of Job and Family Services, Dept. of Health's Women, Infant & Children Program (WIC) and Dept. of Mental Health?

These forms should be listed under A4e, A5e, A6e and A7e.

6. Do we report forms received from Dept. of Developmental Disabilities, Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities and state-assisted college or university that provide assistance to disabled students under A4f, A5f, A6f and A7f?

Yes.

7. In what category should voter registration forms provided from a public high school and vocational school, public library, or office of a county treasurer be included?

These voter registration should be listed under "Other agencies designated by the state not mandated by NVRA" (A4h, A5h, A6h, and A7h).

8. There are other voter registration forms that do not fit into a category. Where should they be reported?

All voter registration forms should fit into one of the existing categories. For assistance in making this determination, please contact Pat Wolfe or Matthew Tlachac.

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9. For Section A8, what confirmation notices should be included?

Only confirmation notices mailed under the General Voter Records Maintenance Program including confirmation notices mailed to individuals as part of the NCOA or Supplemental programs.

10. What voting equipment should be reported in section F?

Only equipment utilized in the 2018 General Election should be reported.