

# A Report to the State Board of Elections

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Bud Ref	Fund	Dept	Approp	Description	Account	Budget	Expense	Encumbrance	Available Budget*	Percent Available
2023	100	700101	00150	Contractual Services	5510	451,343.34	451,343.34	0.00	0.00	0
2023	100	700101	00159	Energy	5520	9,475.00	8,093.00	1,382.00	0.00	0
2023	100	700101	00160	Supplies and Materials	5600	8,405.94	8,405.60	0.00	0.34	0
2023	100	700101	00413	Voting Mach	5010	1,519,197.20	1,443,256.00	75,941.20	0.00	0
2023	100	700101	08911	Primary and General Elections	5010	2,692,033.70	1,134,493.87	1,175,790.03	381,749.80	14.18
2023	100	700101	08922	Equipment	5010	1,713,500.00	1,692,240.94	0.00	21,259.06	1.24
2023	100	700101	08939	Contingency	5010	915,627.81	906,377.63	0.00	9,250.18	1.01
2024	100	700101	00137	Personnel Costs	5100	4,053,600.00	3,276,482.70	0.00	777,117.30	19.17
2024	100	700101	00140	Travel	5400	100.00	97.00	0.00	3.00	3
2024	100	700101	00150	Contractual Services	5510	469,000.00	436,884.74	11,326.97	20,788.29	4.43
2024	100	700101	00159	Energy	5520	10,100.00	1,243.07	5,731.93	3,125.00	30.94
2024	100	700101	00160	Supplies and Materials	5600	9,400.00	2,765.58	5,301.43	1,332.99	14.18
2024	100	700101	00176	Technology	5010	20,000.00	10,122.15	9,102.99	774.86	3.87
2024	100	700101	00413	Voting Mach	5010	1,617,000.00	967,628.78	648,396.28	974.94	0.06
2024	100	700101	00414	Voter Purg	5010	15,000.00	15,000.00	0.00	0.00	0
2024	100	700101	08911	Primary and General Elections	5010	639,000.00	368,881.72	75,049.62	195,068.66	30.53
2024	100	700101	08916	Technology	5010	108,000.00	92,725.00	15,275.00	0.00	0
						14,250,782.99	10,816,041.12	2,023,297.45	1,411,444.42	

NEW CASTLE

Bud Ref	Fund	Dept	Approp	Description	Account	Budget	Expense	Encumbrance	Available Budget*	Percent Available
2023	100	700201	00150	Contractual Services	5510	497,447.88	497,039.20	407.68	1.00	0
2023	100	700201	00412	School Elections	5010	429,250.00	383,223.01	27,140.78	18,886.21	4.4
2023	100	700201	08911	Primary and General Elections	5010	1,658,872.15	1,655,684.76	3,187.39	0.00	0
2024	100	700201	00140	Travel	5400	1,000.00	206.86	0.00	793.14	79.31
2024	100	700201	00150	Contractual Services	5510	503,300.00	499,951.79	1,505.68	1,842.53	0.37
2024	100	700201	00159	Energy	5520	53,100.00	40,594.80	7,630.26	4,874.94	9.18
2024	100	700201	00160	Supplies and Materials	5600	7,700.00	4,172.38	0.00	3,527.62	45.81
2024	100	700201	00412	School Elections	5010	177,000.00	173,099.96	3,896.00	4.04	0
2024	100	700201	08911	Primary and General Elections	5010	993,500.00	466,168.48	49,835.80	477,495.72	48.06
						4,321,170.03	3,720,141.24	93,603.59	507,425.20	

KENT

Bud Ref	Fund	Dept	Approp	Description	Account	Budget	Expense	Encumbrance	Available Budget*	Percent Available
2023	100	700301	00150	Contractual Services	5510	328,890.22	319,028.14	9,862.08	0.00	0
2023	100	700301	00159	Energy	5520	33,900.00	33,900.00	0.00	0.00	0
2023	100	700301	00160	Supplies and Materials	5600	1,919.62	1,751.56	168.06	0.00	0
2023	100	700301	00412	School Elections	5010	37,800.00	37,424.54	0.00	375.46	0.99
2023	100	700301	08911	Primary and General Elections	5010	791,233.46	770,101.58	21,131.88	0.00	0
2024	100	700301	00150	Contractual Services	5510	531,600.00	518,316.33	9,284.22	3,999.45	0.75
2024	100	700301	00159	Energy	5520	38,100.00	27,904.37	7,937.19	2,258.44	5.93
2024	100	700301	00160	Supplies and Materials	5600	3,500.00	2,581.24	0.00	918.76	26.25
2024	100	700301	00412	School Elections	5010	37,800.00	25,324.75	0.00	12,475.25	33
2024	100	700301	08911	Primary and General Elections	5010	751,600.00	127,761.50	30,115.19	593,723.31	78.99
						2,556,343.30	1,864,094.01	78,498.62	613,750.67	

SUSSEX

Bud Ref	Fund	Dept	Approp	Description	Account	Budget	Expense	Encumbrance	Available Budget*	Percent Available
2023	100	700401	150	Contractual Services	5510	414,836.32	414,836.32	0.00	0.00	0
2023	100	700401	412	School Elections	5010	52,600.00	52,600.00	0.00	0.00	0
2023	100	700401	8911	Primary and General Elections	5010	756,232.88	756,232.88	0.00	0.00	0
2024	100	700401	140	Travel	5400	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
2024	100	700401	150	Contractual Services	5510	426,300.00	425,054.87	1,245.13	0.00	0
2024	100	700401	159	Energy	5520	24,100.00	23,838.85	261.15	0.00	0
2024	100	700401	160	Supplies and Materials	5600	12,700.00	9,882.92	0.00	2,817.08	22.18
2024	100	700401	170	Capital Outlay	5710	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
2024	100	700401	412	School Elections	5010	52,600.00	36,699.04	0.00	15,900.96	30.23
2024	100	700401	8911	Primary and General Elections	5010	356,700.00	328,315.79	9,810.69	18,573.52	5.21
						2,096,069.20	2,047,460.67	11,316.97	37,291.56	

## Monthly Statewide Voter Registration Totals 2024

Date	Number of Registered Voters
<b>JAN 1, 2024</b>	<b>768,978</b>
<b>FEB 1, 2024</b>	<b>770,363</b>
<b>MAR 1, 2024</b>	<b>772,284</b>
<b>APR 1, 2024</b>	<b>773,555</b>
<b>MAY 1, 2024</b>	<b>774,636</b>
<b>JUN 1, 2024</b>	<b>775,973</b>
<b>JUL 1, 2024</b>	
<b>AUG 1, 2024</b>	
<b>SEP 1, 2024</b>	
<b>OCT 1, 2024</b>	
<b>NOV 1, 2024</b>	
<b>DEC 1, 2024</b>	

**Statewide Elections**

ENTITY	DATE	TYPE OF ELECTION
Primary Election	Tuesday, September 10, 2024	State
General Election	Tuesday, November 5, 2024	State

**New Castle County**

ENTITY	DATE	TYPE OF ELECTION
Delaware City Special Election	Tuesday, June 11, 2024	Municipal

**Kent County**

ENTITY	DATE	TYPE OF ELECTION
Bowers	Saturday, August 3, 2024	Municipal

**Sussex County**

ENTITY	DATE	TYPE OF ELECTION
Fenwick Island	Saturday, August 3, 2024	Municipal
Rehoboth Beach	Saturday, August 10, 2024	Municipal
Henlopen Acres	Saturday, August 31, 2024	Municipal
Bethany Beach	Saturday, September 7, 2024	Municipal
Dewey Beach	Saturday, September 21, 2024	Municipal
Delmar	Monday, October 7, 2024	Municipal

Upcoming Deadlines

Candidate Filing Deadline: July 9, 2024, Noon

Candidate Withdrawal Deadline: July 12, 2024, 4:30 p.m.

State Primary Voter Registration Deadline: August 17, 2024, 11:59 p.m.

State Primary UOCAVA Voter Registration Deadline: August 26, 2024

- **Polling Place Accessibility (ongoing/update)**
  - Continued work on polling place signage/access/parking plans
  - Election Officer Training Videos: Including updated UVC video
  - Voting Equipment/Absentee Voting Accessibility Demonstrations & Process Improvement Collaborations
    - National Federation of the Blind-Sussex County Chapter (date TBD)
    - The Freedom Center for Independent Living (6/11/2024)
    - Delaware Deaf Senior Citizens (8/12/2024)

## Public School Elections

- **School Referenda Elections:**
  - Cape Henlopen School Dist. Referendum (2nd Attempt): 5/21/2024
    - Additional polling places added
    - Reconfiguration of Cape Henlopen High School polling place
    - Referendum failed/district may propose an additional referendum, after 3/26/2025
  - Smyrna School District Referendum (2nd Attempt): 6/6/2024
    - Referendum Passed
  - For all Referenda & Public School Elections: Department works closely with USPS Election Mail regional representatives to ensure all ballots received by return deadline are returned to DoE by close of polls.

## Early Voting and Permanent Absentee Voting

- On February 23, 2024, Delaware Superior Court Judge Mark Conner ruled that Delaware's permanent absentee voting and early voting statutes violate the Delaware Constitution.
- State is appealing Superior Court decision to Delaware Supreme Court.
- State filed a Motion to expedite decision and motion was granted.
- Oral arguments were held before the Delaware Supreme Court on June 5, 2024
- Supreme Court will issue a decision prior to June 30, 2024, providing the Department plenty of time prior to the State Primary and General Election to know what is the constitutional course of action.

- FY 2025 Budget Planning Timeline
  - Continued follow-up from hearing with OMB/Budget Analyst
  - FY 2025 Budget "Markup" process underway
    - Working with the Joint Finance Committee and Controller General's Office regarding ongoing needs (see \* info below) regarding cost savings realized by cancellation of Presidential Primary
    - JFC Budget Markup meetings held weeks of 5/27 and 6/3
- Governors FY2025 Recommended Budget Includes:
  - Funding for additional voting equipment for Sussex County (additional/relocated polling places)
  - Funding for new box trucks for each county office.
  - Funding for creation of parts inventory for equipment repairs
  - Partial funding for voting machine backup battery replacement\*
  - Partial funding for DTI security services\*
  - Funding discussions underway for NCC Warehouse/Training Center Expansion

\*costs sharing with federal grant funds (Help America Vote Act funds)

- Monthly meetings with budget analyst
  - Review of current budget status/needs
  - Transfer of funds to Department to cover costs of unbudgeted school elections [referenda in 6 school districts (9 referenda, 3 second attempts)]\*\*
  - Regular collaboration/planning for future fiscal year budget (short-term and long-term)
  - Review of research/information requests related to JFC budgeted markup
  - Review/discuss fiscal requirements of proposed/pending legislation and incorporate into budget planning process

\*\*Per Delaware Code, school districts may have no more than two referenda elections in any 12-month period.

- Approval by State Clearinghouse of Federal funds grant
  - Effective Absentee Systems for Elections (EASE) from the Federal Voting Assistance Program (FVAP)
    - Security and Voter Convenience Enhancements to electronic ballot delivery and return system for voters covered by the FVAP-administered Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act (UOCAVA)

- New Castle County: Filled Election & Voter Registration Supervisor Position
- Kent County: Filled Voting Machine Technician Position
- Sussex County: Filled Administrative Specialist Position
- Voting Machine Technician Positions
  - New and existing staff participating in certified training program with ES&S (voting equipment vendor), scheduled for June 11, 2024.
- Campaign Finance Team
  - Fiscal Advisor continues orientation with training now extended to Voter Registration system
- Full-Time Deputy Attorney General (DAG) Position
  - Position posted at DE Department of Justice (DE DOJ)
  - Search process for new DAG position currently underway
  - Current DAG will continue to serve through the 2024 elections

## Election Officer (Poll Worker) Staffing of Polling Places Stipend Increases

Position Title	2022 Stipend	*New* 2024 Stipend
Inspector	\$235	\$400
Judge	\$195	\$325
Clerk	\$190	\$300

## Standardization Efforts

- Standardization of Procedures/Documents/Materials:
  - Election Officer Training (Largely Complete)
    - Development of Election Officer Training Videos:
      - Elections Team Member leading/coordinating effort
      - Producing full range of training videos covering all aspects of election officer training and related, specialized topics (e.g. Universal Voting Console use)



# Municipal Elections/Organized Voter Registration (OVR) <sup>7</sup>

- **Municipal Elections Support:**
  - Town of Kenton and Town of Smyrna: Working with municipality regarding challenges encountered with municipal elections and resolution of these issues
  - Numerous municipal elections scheduled over next several months
  - Department providing support while balancing not providing legal advice to municipalities/liaisons with municipal solicitors as needed
    - Primary responsibility for administration of municipal elections under the authority of the municipal Board of Elections
- **OVR program:**
  - OVR trainings scheduled for the 2024 calendar year
  - OVR program activity continues to increase
  - Related responsibility: providing training for municipal staff and Board of Elections members regarding municipal election administration

## Community Relations/Public Information

- **Outreach Events:**
  - Outreach to Voters with Disabilities
    - The Freedom Center for Independent Living (NCC, 6/11/2024)
    - Delaware Deaf Senior Citizens (Sussex, 8/12/2024)
    - National Federation of the Blind-Sussex County Chapter (date TBD)
  - Delaware State Fair Exhibitor, July 18-27, 2024
  - Delaware Mock Elections – coordinating with UD's Biden School of Public Policy & Public Administration, the Delaware Civics Education Coalition, Department of Technology & Information, and voter education & outreach groups to provide Delaware students in Grades 4 – 12 experience of voting in a mock election in October.
- **Advertising:**
  - Bay to Bay/Daily/Delaware State News online edition ads
  - Delaware LIVE online & newsletter ads & social media – DelawareLIVE, TownSquareLive & MilfordLIVE
  - Comcast/Xfinity Stream Public Service Announcement Video Ads
  - State-contracted vendor (marketing/media) on additional social media, newspaper, radio and billboard advertisements statewide
    - Collaboration regarding enhanced Voter Information Mailer: to be mailed late July/early August 2024
- Consistent social media postings of all events (e.g., Election Dates, Candidate Filings/Nominations & Campaign Finance Trainings) and deadlines (candidate filings, campaign finance reporting deadlines and voter registration deadlines).

- Continuing regular/scheduled meetings with Campaign Finance Reporting System (CFRS) support vendor
  - Evaluating administrative roles best handled by Department users vs. Administrative support by vendor
    - Deployed capability to update committee names/titles independent of vendor support
- Continued review of user entry fields in CFRS
  - Initiating work with CFRS vendor on this effort
- Filing Deadline for 2023 Annual Reports was January 22, 2024
  - 52 unfiled reports in February down to 35 unfiled reports by June.
  - Campaign Finance staff continue to work with committees with outstanding reports to offer technical assistance and advice.
- Upcoming campaign finance training sessions for candidates and treasurers:
  - July 15, 2024 at 6:00 p.m., Kent County DOE Office
  - July 16, 2024 at 6:00 p.m., New Castle County DOE Warehouse & Training Ctr
  - July 17, 2024 at 6:00 p.m., Sussex County DOE Warehouse, Georgetown

## Technology Updates

- Replacement/Upgrade of Desktop PCs (All Offices)
  - Deployment largely complete and units are in place
- Migration to next generation of Cisco phone system (Statewide migration)
  - Remains pending—to be launched early summer prior to peak election season
- Continuing review and streamlining of office phone system call queues (daily and Election Days)
- Reformatting election/ballot building area (SEC Office):
  - Security plans for area reviewed by federal Department of Homeland Security (DHS)
  - Secured access/video surveillance
  - Large screens/monitors available for detailed ballot design review
  - Will be a "phone/device-free" area

## Website/Social Media

- Continued updates to site and a comprehensive bi-weekly review of all pages of site assessing site accessibility
  - Department reports its progress on accessibility on its website at: <https://elections.delaware.gov/accessibility/websiteaccessibility.shtml>.
- Continued review of accessibility of entire site using analysis tool
  - Latest update shows continued steady improvement via review
  - Site average "health score" of 99+/100
  - Most individual pages 100/100, with lower-performing pages primarily displaying legacy format election results
    - Continued work on "legacy" items on site such as PDF of election results
    - Currently prioritizing PDFs to be enhanced based on frequency of use (using website analytical tools)
  - IT Team will continue to review and maximize accessibility
    - Scan scheduled for 5/14 postponed due to School Board Elections
    - Scans resumed on 5/28 and continued improvement made
- School Referenda and School Board Elections webpages
  - Updated following each recent school election
  - Adoption of uniform reporting format statewide for school board and school referenda elections
- Continued refinement of automated website update tools linked to candidate filing
  - Added additional functionality to expand or collapse candidate filing information (e.g. contact information provided)
- Collaborating to enhance GIS Election Lookup Tool <https://gis.elections.delaware.gov/> for ease of use and one-stop shop for election/voting/voting location information
- Polling Places for State Primary and General Election will be posted to the website within a few days (Excel/CSV and PDF format by County) on the Department's Voting Locations webpage <https://elections.delaware.gov/elections/votinglocations.shtml>

Bill Number	Purpose	Status	Comments/Notes
HB 43	Permits “No Party” voters to vote in State Primaries	House Administration Committee	No action
HB 93	Requires municipalities to utilize State voter registration system	House Administration Committee	Motion to release from committee failed
HB 96 w/HA 1	Permits 16- and 17-year olds to vote in school board elections	House Administration Committee	Tabled in committee
HS 1 for HB 121	Authorizes artificial entities, LLCs, Partnerships & Trusts to vote in Seaford Municipal Elections	Passed House/In Senate Executive Committee	This bill affirms a municipal charter change.
HB 189	Prohibits corporations and artificial entities from voting in municipal elections	Released from House Administration Committee	No action
HB 215	Consolidates Presidential and State Primary Elections on Presidential Primary Date (Effective for Primary Elections held after 10/1/2024)	Passed House/ Defeated in Senate	No action
HB 291 W/HA 1 (stricken) & HA 2	DoE establishes a phone number and online form for reporting suspected violations and protects the identity of those reporting suspected violations. Permits committees that unintentionally accept prohibited contribution to return it or to pay funds to State Treasurer. Mandates that a committee intentionally accepting prohibited contributions must return it to the donor.	Released from House Administration Committee	HA 1 required donor employer/job title listing in campaign finance reports but made info not public; requires return to donor of unlawful contribution/ HA 2 eliminated requirement for donor employer/job title listing
HB 292	DoE reviews all campaign finance reports. Creates new categories of "Submitted But Not Reviewed" and "Reviewed and Final". DoE works with candidate to rectify violations discovered to resolve and to file an amended report including revised reporting.	Released from House Administration Committee	
HB 396	Updates the charter of the Town of Delmar, including changes to nominations and elections for municipal office.	House Administration Committee	
HB 400	Moves the date of the State Primary to the 4 <sup>th</sup> Tuesday in April, which is the date of the Presidential Primary in Presidential Election years. Effective for primaries held after December 31, 2025. Reduces period during which party changes are not permitted to 60 days prior to the primary election.	House Administration Committee	

Bill Number	Purpose	Status	Comments/ Notes
HS 1 for HB 293	DoE must ensure locations housing polling places are accessible. Provides for emergency provisions if no accessible polling locations are available. Substitute bill clarifies that emergency situations are during states of emergency and natural disasters. Provides options for impacted voters to vote at alternate polling place and by alternate means. Provides a means to file an administrative complaint if accessibility requirements are not met.	Passed House; Released from Senate Elections & Government Affairs Committee	Next step: Senate consideration
HS 1 for HB316	Bans Deep Fakes relating to Elections within 90 days of an election. Substitute bill amends the original by adding disclosure statements for audio-only media, and adds mobile apps, websites, and streaming platforms as covered media channels. It also adds provisions to ensure compliance to federal laws.	Passed House/in Senate Elections & Government Affairs Committee	
HB344	Seeks to randomize ballot name order moving away from current ballot design currently provided for in Code.	House Administration Committee	Introduced
SB 3 w/HA 2	Amends State Constitution to remove reasons for absentee voting; HA 2 adds language that "no excuse" needed to vote via absentee ballot; adds language to confirm permanent absentee status; adds language affirming 10 days of early voting prior to Primary/General/Special Elections	Passed Senate/ Released from House Administration Committee	HA 1 stricken; HA 2 added to bill
SB 26	Amends State Constitution to lower voting age to 18. Codifies at State level the 26th Amendment to U.S. Constitution.	Passed Senate/ Tabled in House Administration Committee	No action
SB53	Amends charter of Town of Selbyville related to elections. Creates district representation and updates residency requirements for elected officials.	Senate Elections & Government Affairs Committee	Introduced
SB 180	Amends State Constitution to change qualifications for voting. Updates antiquated language & residency requirements. Lowers voting age. Prohibits General Assembly from removing right to vote as a penalty. Eliminates disqualifying felonies. Limits disqualifying period for those convicted of a felony only to time in custody/incarcerated.	Released from Senate Judiciary Committee	
SB241 w SA1	Extended the candidate withdrawal deadline for presidential primary elections and permitted cancellation of an election if only one active candidate remains in a race. Legislation expires 12/31/2024.		Introduced, Passed & Signed 3/19/2024

## Department Facilities

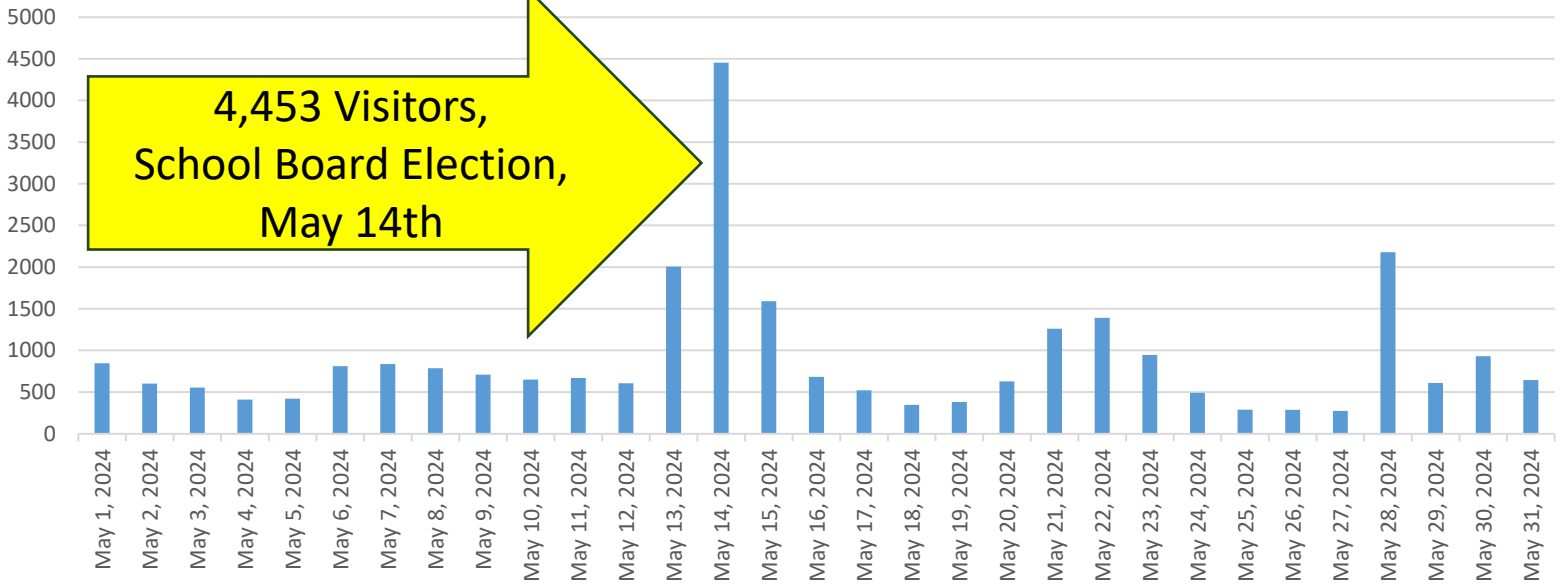
- All Facilities:
  - Reviewing results of physical security assessments of all facilities with federal partners (DHS/CISA)
  - Determining enhancements/recommendations that are feasible
- State Election Commissioner's Office
  - Reformatting of conference room to ballot building area/reformatted meeting room underway.
- Kent County Office/Warehouse
  - Replacing natural gas regulator for backup generator
  - Warehouse floor lining: "parking spaces" for voting machines
  - Repairs to some badge access hardware
- New Castle County
  - Carvel Building Office
    - No updates at this time
  - Warehouse
    - No updates at this time
- Sussex County
  - Georgetown warehouse
    - Upgrade to ensure accessibility of access ramp at entrance
  - Seaford Warehouse
    - No updates at this time

## Conferences/Meetings Attending

- Election Center (EC) Committees:
  - Postal Committee:
    - Recent meeting at Election Center Joint Election Officials Liaison Committee (JEOLC) Meeting
    - Next meeting at the Election Center National Conference: August 2024 (Detroit, MI/virtual option)
  - Program Development and Awards Committee
    - Provide input on program planning conferences/workshops and professional development and enrichment
    - Virtual meeting format (ongoing basis)
- USPS Mailers Technical Advisory Committee (MTAC) [USPS Industry Stakeholder Committee]
  - Spring MTAC Meeting: Participated virtually
    - Election Center representative to MTAC
    - Member of Workgroup on Informed Delivery

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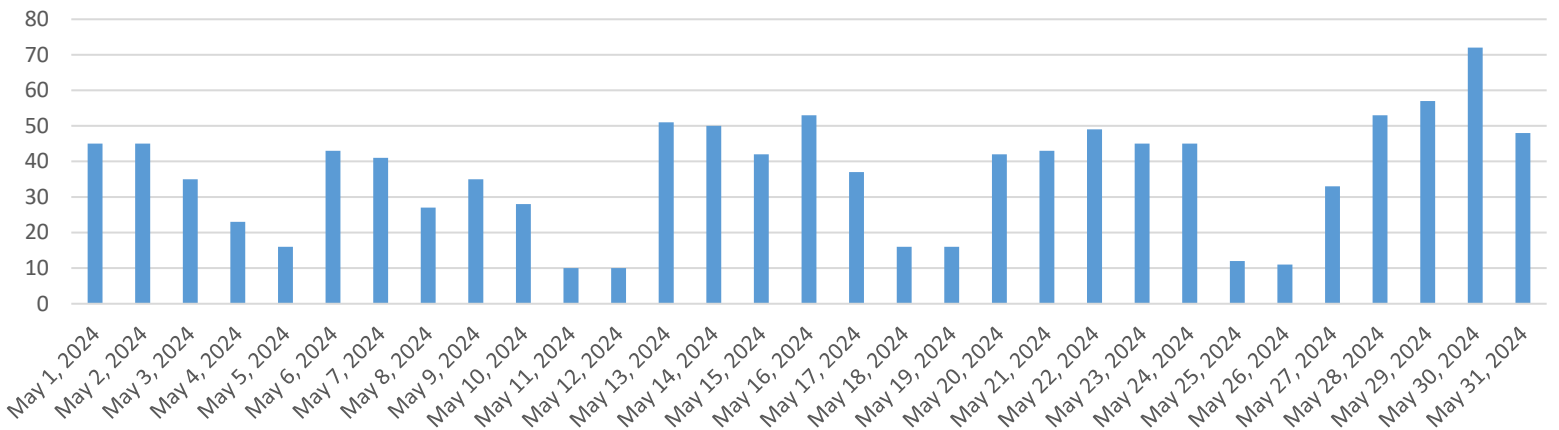
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May 1, 2024 - May 31, 2024



Daily total number of visitors (4,453 individuals) peaked on May 14, 2024. A total of 27,790 visitors used the Department’s main website in May 2024.

# <https://cfrs.elections.delaware.gov>

Visitors to CFRS per Day  
May 1, 2024 - May 31, 2024



1,133 visitors visited the Campaign Finance Reporting System in May 2024.

## Voter Registration Transactions – New & Updated Records January 1, 2024 – December 31, 2024

Month	New voters	Updated names	Changed party	New addresses	Pre-Registrations	Total
January	3,689	1,126	5,859	5,300	725	16,699
February	4,290	1,130	3,148	5,661	811	15,040
March	4,074	1,076	7,437*	5,503	850	18,940
April	4,669	1,211	6,339	6,505	1,076	19,800
May	4,435	1,522	4,784	9,504	1,099	21,344
June						
July						
August						
September						
October						
November						
December						
<b>2024 Total</b>	<b>21,157</b>	<b>6,065</b>	<b>27,567</b>	<b>32,473</b>	<b>4,561</b>	<b>91,823</b>

\* An update was made to party affiliation counts during March and April 2024 pertaining to NO PARTY - AVR and OTHER party affiliations and the system reported these edits as voter registration party change update transactions.

Voter Registration Transactions						
Annual Totals						
Year	New voters	Updated names	Changed party	New addresses	Pre-Registrations	Total
<b>2023</b>	<b>35,860</b>	<b>13,795</b>	<b>21,829</b>	<b>70,816</b>	<b>5,909</b>	<b>148,209</b>



# Voter Removals

## Voter Registration Transactions – Removals January 1, 2024 – December 31, 2024

Month	Deceased*	Moved from State	Address verification	Request by voter	Not a citizen*	AVR Declination	Felon	NVRA**	Total
January	936	1,971	13	17	0	72	144	0	3,153
February	907	769	32	15	0	131	155	0	2,009
March	487	2,001	1	12	1	75	171	0	2,748
April	1,177	886	17	3	1	143	163	0	2,390
May	1,204	1,932	40	19	0	107	172	0	3,474
June									
July									
August									
September									
October									
November									
December									
<b>2024 Total</b>	<b>4,711</b>	<b>7,559</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>528</b>	<b>805</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13,774</b>

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### Annual Totals

Year	Deceased*	Moved from State	Address verification	Request by voter	Not a citizen*	AVR Declination	Felon	NVRA**	Total
<b>2023</b>	<b>12,322</b>	<b>19,921</b>	<b>1,015</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>684</b>	<b>1,604</b>	<b>11,391</b>	<b>47,059</b>

\*Deceased, Address Verification, Non-citizen, and Felon records have already been removed. The Board must approve removal of the Moved from State and Request by Voter (Voluntary).

\*\* The NVRA process is run in the year following each General Election to remove those inactive voters with whom the Department has not had any contact for the period covering the past 2 General Elections.



## 2023 Annual Report Tardy and Non-Filers as of June 6, 2024

COMMITTEE TYPE	COMMITTEE NAME	REPORT	FILING PERIOD END	FILING DUE DATE
Candidate Committee	Ajavon for New Castle Council President	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Anthony Alexander-Jones for City Council	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Arisa White Campaign 2020	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Ashley Murray For Cape	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Committee to elect Christopher Dalton	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Committee For Justin Brant	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Committee to Elect Alton Irvin	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Committee to Elect Calvin Brown	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Committee to elect Joseph D DiPasquale	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Committee To Elect Keith James	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	FRIENDS FOR KAREN D. FLOWERS	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Friends for Paulette Rappa	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Friends for Tripp Keister	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Friends for Vashun Turner	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Friends of Billy Edwards	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Friends of Darrynn Harris	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Friends of Ernest Trippi Congo	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Friends Of LaVaughn McCutchen	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Friends of Lillian Oliver	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024



## 2023 Annual Report Tardy and Non-Filers as of June 6, 2024

COMMITTEE TYPE	COMMITTEE NAME	REPORT	FILING PERIOD END	FILING DUE DATE
Candidate Committee	Friends of Rebecca Cotto	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Friends of Vashun Turner	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Friends to Elect Trippi Congo	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Glass for Commissioner	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Hollins '18	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	John Machurek for Delaware	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	LaMar Gunn for Recorder of Deeds	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Machurek for Sheriff	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Supporters of Ronnell Page	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	The Hollins Campaign	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Candidate Committee	Vote Sims 2020 Campaign	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Political Action Committee	Black Caucus PAC	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Political Action Committee	Citizens for a Better Wilmington	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Political Action Committee	Genesis Healthcare Corporation State PAC AKA:Genesis Health Ventures	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Political Action Committee	State PAC	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Political Action Committee	We Are Sussex	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024
Political Committee	35 Democratic RD	2023 Annual	12/31/2023	1/22/2024

**30 Candidate Committees**

**4 Political Action Committees**

**1 Political Committees**

**35 Total Committees**



## Department of Elections New Castle County Office

**Report to the Board  
June 10, 2024**

Tracey Dixon, County Director

David W. Gilefski, Deputy County Director

- Currently working on Election Officers for the Primary and General Elections
- Election and Voter Registration Supervisor position filled
- Boys State @ Goldey-Beacom College on 6/10
- Delaware City Election on 6/11
- 4 Technicians will attend ES&S Certification on 6/11



## Department of Elections Kent County Office

**Report to the Board  
June 10, 2024**

Doris J. Reed-Young, County Director

Ralph Artigliere, Deputy County Director

### ***Major items closed since the last Board meeting:***

- Town of Kenton – second municipal election completed successfully May 20<sup>th</sup>.
- Town of Smyrna – second municipal election completed successfully June 4<sup>th</sup>.
- Smyrna School District – second referendum completed successfully June 6<sup>th</sup>.
- Polling Location Power Outage Test – simulated a mock power outage at a random polling place using multiple generators on May 23<sup>rd</sup>.

### ***Major items in progress or scheduled before the next Board meeting:***

- ES&S Machine Tech Certification – June 11-12 the Kent facility will be used for the statewide Machine Tech certification training.
- ES&S Pollbook Upgrade – June 11-12 Kent's inventory of pollbooks will be upgraded along with the Connect web portal software.
- Girls State – Kent is in the process of preparing for this outreach election being held on June 18<sup>th</sup>.
- Security Devices – We are in the process of adding two additional iPhones and a panic button.



## Department of Elections Sussex County Office

**Report to the Board  
June 10, 2024**

Kenneth A. McDowell, County Director

Tracey L. Wilkerson, Deputy County Director

- Sussex County has mailed out paperwork for poll workers to select their training dates for the Primary. We expect to receive those back in the next couple of weeks.
- Currently, making alterations/improvements to the training manuals to make them easy to understand for the poll workers. This is an ongoing process as we constantly try to improve the quality of our training materials.
- We are going through our machines to see if there is any maintenance that needs to be done prior to Primary.
- We have machine tech training and certification taking place this month.
- We are continuing the day-to-day operations of filing candidates and maintaining the voter rolls.
- Cape Henlopen School Referendum:
  - Had 8,786 voters. The additional two location and added machines greatly helped. There were more voters than the prior referendum in March, but there was much less congestion.
  - Referendum failed again, and they will be unable to hold another one until one year after the first referendum, on March 26<sup>th</sup> at the earliest.
  - The referendum was certified with no discrepancies and audited with all results matching the number of activation cards.
  - We have mailed out payments to the workers and extra polling places.



## Department of Elections Sussex County Office

## Report to the Board June 10, 2024 (Continued)

Kenneth A. McDowell, County Director

Tracey L. Wilkerson, Deputy County Director

- **Upcoming Elections/Voter Outreach Events/Machine Demonstrations**
  - We have a Sussex County Blackwater Village Referendum for the Town of Dagsboro is taking place on June 6. It will be held at the Grace United Millsboro Church from 5 to 8 PM.
  - We are working with CLASI to provide a machine demo on August 12 at the Millville Community Center. This was requested to provide an opportunity for the attendees of the Sussex County League of Women Voter's & Disabilities Law Program event to vote and ask questions.
  - The Millsboro election was canceled that was scheduled for June 8.
  - The Slaughter Beach election was canceled for July 6.
  - The next round of municipals are scheduled for August.
- **Facility Updates**
  - We are in the process of locking down the funding for the Security Door in the Main Office in Georgetown. We are getting closer but haven't finalized the contract.
  - The accessible door for Georgetown WH is due to be installed, but a date has not been finalized with Facility Management.