



2003 VOTER REGISTRATION REPORT

April 30, 2004

Department of Elections for New Castle County
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2003 Voter Registration Report

I. INTRODUCTION

This report provides information regarding Voter Registration within New Castle County for calendar year 2003.

II. VOTER REGISTRATION

A. This report consists of five tables that detail various aspects of the voter registration program in New Castle County.

1. The first table, *Voter Registration Transactions*, reports the total number of transactions by type and source for the year 2003.
2. The second table, *New Voter Registrations*, reports the total number of new registrations by source for the years 1994 through 2003.
3. The third table, *Change of Address Transactions*, reports the total number of changes of address by source for the years 1994 through 2003.
4. The fourth table, *Total Transactions*, reports the total number of voter registration transactions by type completed during the years 1994 through 2003.
5. The fifth table, *Voter Removal Programs*, reports the number of persons removed as registered voters by program during the years 1994 through 2003.

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2003 VOTER REGISTRATION TRANSACTIONS

	New Voters	Change Address	Change Name	Change Party	Duplicate	Void	Decline to Register	TOTAL
Dept. of Elections	485	685	130	470	124	50	0	1,944
Div. of Motor Vehicles	10,928	20,833	2,520	169	10,841	2,942	6,129	54,362
Dept. of Health & Social Svcs.	165	93	10	28	24	5	960	1,285
Dept. of Labor	121	24	3	22	27	3	723	923
Other Agencies (State & Federal)	120	7	1	27	2	4	0	161
Volunteer Persons & Groups	186	19	0	10	34	12	0	261
Federal Post Card Application (Military & Overseas Civilians)	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	8
Federal Mail Application	385	70	8	59	23	3	0	548
Fail Safe	1			1	144	6	0	152
Address Verification	1	2,402	14	0	64	17	0	2,498
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	237	237
TOTAL	12,399	24,134	2,686	786	11,283	3,042	8,049	62,379

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NEW REGISTRATIONS

	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Dept. of Elections	5,396	1,920	5,801	559	1,033	760	5,185	413	1,117	485
Div. of Motor Vehicles	17,660	19,331	19,140	17,646	17,343	14,569	12,488	11,624	10,896	10,928
Dept. of Health & Social Svcs.	1,262	1,016	907	532	450	149	204	96	164	165
Dept. of Labor	546	353	302	285	210	154	110	64	197	121
Other Agencies (State & Federal)	8	49	116	22	33	141	203	120	81	120
Volunteer Persons & Groups	0	97	2,320	34	244	146	848	8	463	186
Federal Post Card Application (Military & Overseas Civilians)	0	3	205	1	11	3	123	0	12	7
Federal Mail Application	0	11	1,593	60	85	183	2,087	75	309	385
Fail Safe	0	0	178	2	54	0	264	4	116	1
Address Verification	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Unknown	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	24,872	22,780	30,564	19,144	19,463	16,106	21,512	12,404	13,355	12,399

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CHANGES OF ADDRESS

	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Dept. of Elections	6,869	2,199	5,235	1,155	1,981	1,036	4,810	558	1,704	685
Div. of Motor Vehicles	4,788	7,643	8,410	11,396	15,938	19,940	18,799	18,804	22,255	20,833
Dept. of Health & Social Svcs.	171	253	254	223	258	84	133	46	97	93
Dept. of Labor	81	73	74	86	99	58	38	29	76	24
Other Agencies (State & Federal)	8	14	47	17	11	8	43	13	9	7
Volunteer Persons & Groups (Military & Overseas Civilians)	0	3	837	18	135	54	373	2	176	19
Federal Post Card Application	0	0	23	1	1	1	42	0	5	1
Federal Mail Application	0	0	185	12	25	35	504	6	68	70
Fail Safe	0	0	4,723	115	2,086	11	4,333	37	1,283	0
Address Verification	0	3	225	168	442	288	492	1,225	146	2,402
TOTAL	11,917	10,188	20,013	13,191	20,976	21,515	29,567	20,720	25,819	24,134

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TOTAL TRANSACTIONS

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Change of Address	11,917	10,188	20,013	13,191	20,976	21,515	29,567	20,720	25,819	24,134
Change of Name	2,352	2,363	3,844	2,499	2,862	2,812	3,697	2,942	3,193	2,686
Change of Party	1,407	1,332	3,878	693	1,617	1,453	4,672	776	1,524	786
Duplicate	2,365	4,034	6,587	3,120	6,008	13,884	11,952	14,137	18,437	11,283
VOID	1,050	2,833	2,329	2,207	3,170	2,564	1,551	1,855	2,004	3,042
Decline to Register	12,776	24,150	16,010	18,435	18,728	15,226	10,191	11,034	10,423	8,049
TOTAL	56,739	67,680	83,225	59,142	72,824	73,560	83,142	63,868	74,755	62,379

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REMOVAL PROGRAMS

	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Deceased	1,812	2,101	2,084	2,095	2,726	2,543	2,250	2,806	3,756	2,292
Moved from State	1,214	700	1,197	1,580	1,314	715	1,571	1,304	1,317	970
Board Removal	9	9	12	14	12	13	13	6	8	20
Address Verification	0	0	0	0	0	561	520	472	279	1,220
Department NVRA Program	0	0	0	0	0	0	866	0	1,216	3,485
Commissioner Verification	0	0	0	0	0	6,069	79	2,947	64	3,770
Commissioner NVRA Program	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1706 Removal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1702 Removal	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Failure to Vote	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	3,046	2,810	3,293	3,689	4,052	9,901	5,299	7,535	6,640	11,757