



2009 VOTER REGISTRATION REPORT
March 15, 2010

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This report contains 5 tables.

- 2009 Voter Registration Transactions
- New Voters: 2000 through 2009
- Changes of Address: 2000 through 2009
- Total Transactions: 2000 through 2009
- Removal Programs: 2000 through 2009

The data in this report is consistent with data from 2001, the year after a Presidential election when a sitting President was not a candidate.

- Note the large number of party changes in 2009. The Department believes that this is because the e-Signature project gives DMV clients more privacy when indicating their political party preference.
- The voter removal program had the most removals since 2003 through the various Department programs. The 2005 removals included over 20,000 voters removed as a result of a State Election Commissioner program.
- The e-Signature project has streamlined the processing of voter registration applications to the point that the Department voluntarily gave up two full-time positions.

We hope that this report is useful. Please contact either of us at 302-577-3464 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



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2009 TRANSACTIONS

	New Voters	Change Address	Change Name	Change Party	Duplicate	Void	Decline to Register	TOTAL
Dept. of Elections	155	175	69	266	23	34	0	722
Div. of Motor Vehicles	11,008	16,711	3,112	3,101	23,514	3,668	11,464	72,578
Dept. of Health & Social Svcs.	47	31	4	14	8	1	0	105
Dept. of Labor	121	45	2	31	31	4	2	236
Other Agencies (State & Federal)	164	4	2	6	3	1		180
Volunteer Persons & Groups	24	1		3	4	3		35
Federal Post Card Application (Military & Overseas Civilians)	0	2		1				3
Federal Mail Application	171	18	12	58	18	1		278
Online Registration System	124	71	26	261	23	7		512
Fail Safe	1				3	1		5
Address Verification	0	340	1					341
Provisional Voters	0							0
Unknown	0						2	2
TOTAL	11,815	17,398	3,228	3,741	23,627	3,720	11,468	74,997

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NEW REGISTRATIONS

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2,009
Dept. of Elections	5,185	413	1,117	485	5,157	297	702	415	3,306	155
Div. of Motor Vehicles	12,488	11,624	10,896	10,928	13,502	12,464	11,692	11,938	12,561	11,008
Dept. of Health & Social Svcs.	204	96	164	165	243	142	86	104	241	47
Dept. of Labor	110	64	197	121	80	124	228	162	247	121
Other Agencies (State & Federal)	203	120	81	120	620	130	65	154	227	164
Volunteer Persons & Groups	848	8	463	186	2,385	29	78	84	1,093	24
Federal Post Card Application (Military & Overseas Civilians)	123	0	12	7	298	2	14	10	149	0
Federal Mail Application	2,087	75	309	385	9,498	180	1,025	401	4,999	171
On-line Registration System	0	0	0	0	0	0	682	411	5,127	124
Fail Safe	264	4	116	1	325	1	78	3	398	1
Address Verification	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Provisional Voters	0	0	0	0	170	0	9	0	316	0
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	21,512	12,404	13,355	12,399	32,278	13,369	14,659	13,682	28,664	11,815

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CHANGES OF ADDRESS

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Dept. of Elections	4,810	558	1,704	685	2,709	394	1,246	608	2,301	175
Div. of Motor Vehicles	18,799	18,804	22,255	20,833	22,852	21,143	22,586	21,315	18,767	16,711
Dept. of Health & Social Svcs.	133	46	97	93	96	65	45	60	126	31
Dept. of Labor	38	29	76	24	21	44	68	49	94	45
Other Agencies (State & Federal)	43	13	9	7	126	3	9	1	15	4
Volunteer Persons & Groups	373	2	176	19	811	6	40	10	334	1
Federal Post Card Application (Military & Overseas Civilians)	42	0	5	1	84	1	230	55	164	2
Federal Mail Application	504	6	68	70	2,055	184	446	53	866	18
On-line Registration System	0	0	0	0	0	0	241	111	1,243	71
Fail Safe	4,333	37	1,283	0	2,677	0	1,354	23	2,978	
Address Verification	492	1,225	146	2,402	2,001	265	506	1,172	1,138	340
Provisional Voter	0	0	0	0	14	0	2	0	49	
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
TOTAL	29,567	20,720	25,819	24,134	33,446	22,105	26,773	23,457	28,075	17,398

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TOTAL TRANSACTIONS

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New Voters	21,512	12,404	13,355	12,399	32,278	13,369	14,659	13,682	28,664	11,815
Change of Address	29,567	20,720	25,819	24,134	33,446	22,105	26,773	23,457	28,075	17,398
Change of Name	3,697	2,942	3,193	2,686	4,325	3,045	3,164	2,481	3,126	3,228
Change of Party	4,672	776	1,524	786	6,645	762	2,265	1,398	9,884	3,741
Duplicate	11,952	14,137	18,437	11,283	33,860	32,831	33,065	31,269	19,354	23,627
Void	1,551	1,855	2,004	3,042	4,884	8,389	9,176	9,807	5,508	3,720
Decline to Register	10,191	11,034	10,423	8,049	10,291	13,529	18,172	11,411	3,727	11,468
TOTAL	83,142	63,868	74,755	62,379	125,729	94,030	107,274	93,505	98,338	74,997

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REMOVAL PROGRAMS

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Deceased	2,250	2,806	3,754	2,292	2,382	2,849	2,490	2,383	2,612	3,088
Obit & Written Req	0	0	0	0	0	0	152	175	318	99
Moved from State	1,571	1,304	1,364	970	1,572	1,067	1,590	921	1,938	886
Board Removal	13	6	8	20	21	36	30	24	11	13
DOE Verification	520	472	293	1,220	127	205	386	2,646	281	1,992
Department 2014h	866	0	1,216	3,485	0	1,686	0	2,877	0	4,566
COE Verification	79	2,947	69	3,770	2,249	1,046	614	16	0	0
COE 2014h	0	0	0	0	0	20,413	57	0	0	0
Not a Citizen	0	0	0	0	0	5	21	16	9	6
TOTAL	5,299	7,535	6,704	11,757	6,351	27,307	5,340	9,058	5,169	10,650