

ANNUAL REPORT 2001

JEFFERSON COUNTY BOARD OF



ELECTIONS

GENERAL

January finds us cleaning the many files that have been ignored throughout the election period. This is similar to "spring cleaning", a job that is dreaded but when finished makes life easier for the rest of the year. We not only had to "clean" the files but we had many computer problems to overcome after the disaster of the many computer crashes of 2000 (including election day 2000). The deputy commissioners went to Syracuse to the Election Commissioners' Seminar in January and the commissioners and deputies went to Saratoga Springs for the NYS BOE Seminar in May.. It is so helpful when we go to these seminars. We not only get to see the friends we have made over the years, but we also have the opportunity to talk to them about situations they have been through and survived. This always helps us get through any problems we have to encounter.

REPAIRING PROBLEMS FROM 2000

A special committee was set up with elections, administration, legislators, and information services to try to come up with an answer of why we had so many problems with our computers in 2000, and what we could do to make sure it didn't happen again. Many things were discussed at the first meeting. I.S. felt the problem was within the NTS software. Our office didn't agree with this as we had used the software for a long period of time and we never had these problems. Again I.S. didn't agree but we felt the problem experienced on election night with our reporting was the same problem we had throughout the year. The computers would freeze up, they would be rebooted, and everything would be all right until there was increased usage on them, and then they would crash losing everything. The computers used on election night did not use the NTS software, it was a program designed by I.S.. Our office felt the problem had to do with the wiring because it seemed as though every time the computers gave us a problem someone was working within the electrical hubs. It was finally agreed that I.S. would send a questionnaire to each of the I.S. departments of the other counties that used the NTS software and Elections would send the same questionnaire to the Election departments of those counties that used the NTS software. Many other problems were discussed at this meeting- ie: Inspectors calling in on election night (or not), not having telephones within the polling place, training of election night workers and new software from NTS on election night to name a few. Questionnaires were sent out and information was gathered. We also agreed to have an NTS showing of election night/petition software to a group represented by administration, legislators, I.S., representation from our Senator and Assemblyman office, and our office. At our next election committee meeting everything was brought in and the problem solving began. It was found from the questionnaires that some counties were having problems and others weren't so there was nothing that could prove it was the software. The county decided to put in the fiber optic wiring for the computers, upgrade our computers, and purchase a server for the elections office only. This was agreeable to our office. I.S. also worked on an election night program that would satisfy everyone and not cost us large amounts of money. This would give us the opportunity to wait until budget time to put forth any software our office would be comfortable with. Everything went forth and we received new computers and upgraded those that were bought in 2000. The fiber optic wiring went forward.

We actually quit having problems right after the 2000 election. It was never told to us why this happened and when asked we were never given an answer. Rumors in the building from other offices (and many were having the same problems we were having) was the

connection to the main server wasn't set up correctly. We will probably never know. We really didn't care as long as our computers were working correctly and they were. We had another meeting when I.S. finished with their election night setup so they could show us the finished product and make any changes deemed necessary. They did an excellent job and there were only a couple of items we recommended. When this was complete, we had a meeting with elected officials, party members, and news media and again ran through the setup for them. Everyone was happy and fingers were crossed that nothing would go wrong.

In the meantime our computers were connected to our server. We found the computers to be a little slower but were told the reason was we were using the old wiring instead of the fiber optic wiring. The fiber optic wiring was put in on each floor to go directly from the floor to the main server. We were no longer on the main server, therefore we had to be connected by the older wiring (so much for our fight to get fiber optic wiring). It wasn't that bad and things were running very smoothly. The deputies had to have two computers in their offices; one for elections and one for the internet and county software (for payroll and ordering). The county computer was connected to the main server and ours was connected to the election server. This was only to be done for a short term so we would make sure it wasn't the election software causing the many problems.

Election night 2001 was a success. The computers worked very well throughout the year. Election night reporting was input in the I.S. room and went directly to the many computers that were installed on the second floor (including a big screen for anyone that didn't have a PC to look at). Every so often results were sent to the internet so anyone at home (or political functions) could keep abreast of the numbers throughout the evening. It was a great showing of departments working together to reach a goal that would satisfy the voters, candidates, media, and everyone in between.

In December it was decided to connect our server to the main server so we could have all of the software needed for our office on one computer. This was done at the end of December and there were some problems but they seem to be resolved.

OUTREACH PROGRAM

At the beginning of the year the registration clerks send out registration forms to several different agencies. Every post office within the county receive 25-50 forms. Whenever a person calls our office for a registration form we always tell them we can mail them one or they can pick one up at the post office. Because so many people opt to pick one up at the post office, the post offices have been very good about keeping us informed if they need more forms. Forms are also sent to the town clerks, village clerks, libraries, banks, and real estate offices. We also go to the schools in the county to register anyone who will be 18 years of age by election day. We have three schools in the county who prefer doing the registration themselves, so we make sure they have registration forms and instructions. We work with Jefferson County Community College when they do their registration drive. We have also started to go to the Nursing Homes to register patients and to help them fill out an absentee application when necessary. We then go back with the ballots so we can help anyone who might need it. We try very hard to saturate the county with registration forms. We also work very closely with the news media to make sure the public is educated on cut-off dates, election dates and anything else that will help make voters out of our general public.

BUDGET TIME

Budget time - it comes at such a convenient time for the election boards - August and

September. What else would we have to do at this time?! Our office poured over the many problems of the past year and tried to find ways to rectify these problems. We decided that the election night software we had been looking at would not be necessary. We felt I.S. did a great job and this was all we needed at this time. We truly needed two things - more file storage for our registration cards or the full document imaging. We talked to SBOE and the recommendation was the full document imaging. This would cover so many things and would prepare us for the many changes yet to come. It would also take care of our file storage problem because with full document imaging we would not have to keep the hard copy for as long. Our decision was made. We felt very confident because we had been told continually throughout the previous year that we would have whatever we needed (within reason) to make our election board the best in the state. We only had to wait and go through the budget process. Many of our counterparts throughout the state are going to full document imaging or are all ready there. This system not only shortens the paper trail but provides instant access to each voter and their complete record and it gives a high degree of security. We proceeded to ask for this in our budget and tried to keep all other expenses to a minimum. It didn't work. We were turned down for both the full document imaging and the Lektriever. We were told a grant was being done and possibly we would get the Lektriever through the grant. This didn't happen either as the person doing the grant only asked for one Lektriever and the county treasurer received it. This office will be given shelving for storage. This shelving has doors that can be locked which is a plus. We asked if we could have some ballot drawers set up within the shelving which was going to cost less than \$500.00 but this was also denied. Our ballots are now kept in a file system that is not secure, but each town and village has their own drawer. Last year we had 32 different ballots - each separate ballot was put in a labeled drawer. When a voter requests an absentee ballot our personnel just needs to open the labeled drawer for the correct ballot. During the confusion of the election period it is just one thing we don't have to worry about. The only down part is the cabinet does not lock so the ballots are accessible to anyone. It's our understanding that when we requested this, administration asked the county records manager if he thought it would be necessary. He told them it was not necessary because we only used these drawers for a short period of time. What this person does not understand is the ballots are the elections and if put in the wrong hands, elections can be overturned illegally. We have yet to figure out how someone who has nothing to do with the elections or the office (other than storing some of our paperwork) knows more about the importance of equipment needed by this office than we do. We feel if administration feels the need to question what we say, they should call the NYS Board of Elections to get their answers.

SEPTEMBER 11, 2001

The day the world stood still. It started as just another Primary Election. It was going to be a very busy one as we had a county wide Conservative election for County Clerk and several town primaries. Everyone arrived in the office in the morning and with nothing much to do until 11:30 when the poll workers would start we pretty much sat around and chatted. The first call came from Cindy's husband that an airplane had hit one of the Twin Towers in NYC. We all felt it was an accident. When the second call came in and we realized this wasn't an accident we all had different feelings. In their own words, the following is what each of us went through during this horrible time:

SANDRA COREY, DEPUTY COMMISSIONER:

I came into the office early that day so I could make sure everything was in order.

Everyone started filtering in about 8:30 am and there was very little to do so we all sat around talking - hoping the day and evening would go smoothly.

Cindy's husband called Cindy and told her an airplane had flown into the World Trade Center Tower in NYC. I remember thinking - what a horrible accident. When he called the second time and said another airplane hit the other tower, it was like someone knocked the wind out of me. I immediately called my husband to let him know what was happening. My next concern was our oldest son who is in the Air Force and stationed at McGuire AFB in New Jersey. I knew if we were at war, he would be the first to volunteer to do whatever needed doing. My youngest daughter called just after I talked to my husband. We talked and we cried and we calmed each other down - she to go back to her class (she teaches school) and myself to get back to an election. My oldest daughter was in Pennsylvania on business and she finally called me to say she was heading home. All of my children called except our oldest son.

The day is a blur. We had the radio on and I remember pacing the office, answering telephones, and wondering what was going to happen. When word came that the election was canceled I was relieved in one sense, but also somewhat apprehensive because I felt we were giving in to the enemy, whomever they were.

We called the town clerks and the polling places to tell them they were to shut down and how they were to go about it. Everything went so smoothly anyone would think we had rehearsed it. Our inspectors and our town clerks both did a wonderful job and we were very proud of all of them. The town clerks brought all of the supplies into the office and at 5:00 we all went home. I finally received a telephone call from my oldest son that evening. He couldn't say anything other than he was at the base and he and his wife were ok.

I think that day I went through every emotion in the book as I'm sure everyone did. My son ended up going to the Afghanistan region October 5, and we were very fortunate because he came home 97 days later healthy and happy to be home.

I still don't understand why this happened or why it happens in any country, but I pray every day that it will end, and this world will learn to live and let live.

CINDY CORBETT, DEPUTY COMMISSIONER

The day started off like a usual primary day. The office was ready for a busy day, but hopefully an uneventful one.

My husband dropped me off at the County building at about 8:30 am. Soon after getting settled in my office and exchanging morning greetings with the staff my phone rang, much to my surprise, it was my husband telling me that an airplane had crashed into one of the World Trade Center towers. He wasn't sure of all the details, he had just turned on the television. I relayed the news to the staff, while staying on the phone. Larry continued to give me details that the press was reporting, no one was quite sure as to what had happened. Suddenly my husband gasped and said oh my God, a second plane has crashed into the other tower. It was evident at this time that it was not an accident...were we under attack? I relayed the news to the staff and at that point someone turned on the radio. Larry was very upset and ended our phone conversation promising to call back if the details became clear or if anything more developed. It wasn't long before he called again saying that a plane had crashed into the pentagon.

My feelings were running through me that morning, but I guess the strongest was to get my family together. I wanted to go home and at least make contact with each of my children and my granddaughter. Much of the day was spent talking and listening to news reports and just waiting to get home to family.

The polls had opened at 12 noon and we awaited a call from the SBOE, letting us know if the primary would continue or be cancelled. There was no policy and procedure in place if the polls were shut down in an emergency, so when the call came in from the SBOE to close the polls we just started calling town clerks and polling sites instructing them to lock the machines and bring the supplies back to our office. Everything went very smoothly.

Before the afternoon was over I had received calls from all of my children. They were very upset and confused. Things like this just don't happen in this country, was the overall reaction.

Larry and I spent most of the evening watching the television reports. It was very hard to turn it off, it was causing my husband a lot of anxiety, and he was experiencing some chest pain. Late that evening we took a trip to the hospital emergency room so he could be checked over, thank goodness it did not develop into anything serious.

It will be a day that I will never forget.

KAREN PARKER, REGISTRATION CLERK

I hope and pray this disaster never happens again.

One of our bosses, Cindy Corbett's husband called and told her that one of the Twin Towers had an airplane fly into it. At first I thought it was a horrible accident. Within a few minutes he called again and said the other tower had the same thing happen. At that time I knew something terribly wrong was being inflicted upon New York City.

My first thought was of my niece Signy. She works in downtown Manhattan. I immediately called my sister and her husband in California and woke them up as there is a 3 hour time difference. I told them to turn on their television and try to make sure that their daughter was ok. My sister was terribly shaken by this news as is understandable. Thank God Signy was able to get out of her building and was able to walk to her apartment. She was also able to help keep her public radio station going as they took some of their equipment with them to her apartment along with some of her co-workers.

My niece was able to handle this tragedy very well, but not everyone was as fortunate as she was. I have a cousin that lives in New Jersey whose daughter works in Manhattan and was having a business breakfast at the time of this disaster. She has had to undergo therapy as it was terribly upsetting to her. I have been told that she is responding to therapy very nicely and has moved back into her own apartment.

My job is with the election board, but I must say that the canceling of the primary were of very little importance to me in view of the other events going on in our state.

As I said at the beginning, I hope and pray this horrible disaster never happens again.

BABETTE HALL, REGISTRATION CLERK

We were ready for the Primary Election, all seemed to be normal and even a little quiet, which is good for any election.

It was approximately 9:30 a.m. when Cindy came from her office and told us that her husband had just told her that a plane had hit one of the World Trade Center towers. At first I figured it was a small plane and pilot error. Those thoughts changed after I found out the size of the plane. It crossed my mind that the pilot or someone was suicidal. I couldn't believe that someone would do something like that.

It seemed only a few minutes later, and we received information about another plane flying into the second tower. After the second plane hit we knew terrorists were acting out against the United States.

I wondered if it was over or if we were going to be attacked more. And then the third plane hit the Pentagon.

It seemed as though this was happening every thirty minutes or so. I wondered if this was to go on all day. I began to feel very uneasy about what was happening, but more from not knowing what else may happen.

I kept myself busy with my work between talking with everyone in the office. It was my way to stay calm and to be able to cope with it all.

It's not that I felt unsafe at work, but I didn't feel safe either. There was discussion about the bombing of the county building in Oklahoma and our building having a bomb scare a few years ago.

I did want to be with my family. If we're to be attacked and 'this is it', I want to be in my home with my loved ones.

I found out in the days after that many others felt the same way.

PRIMARY ELECTION SEPTEMBER 25, 2001

We had a very quiet day. Voter turnout was low. We tried a new program from the Informational Services for election night reporting and it went extremely well. We had computers (4) on the second floor for the news media along with a large screen for all others to watch. We were reporting on the internet also. We were very pleased and other than a few minor changes, we were ready for a busy election day.

ELECTION DAY, 2001

This is an "off" year election. We only had a Supreme Court Justice race with five positions open, County Clerk race, 15 legislative districts, 22 townships (there was eight to ten positions in each township), 7 villages (three to five positions in each village, and one city race (two positions to fill). We had 207 individual petitions (Designating and Independent), and 8 caucuses.

Our office was a little apprehensive on election day after what happened to us on our last general election. We had nothing to fear as the computers kept working and the phones rang very little throughout the day. The telephone calls we did receive were not large problems. This was probably one of our quietest election days.

Election night came and we had more computers for the media and candidates to use. The majority of our districts called in by 9:30 pm. We had only one district that didn't call until very late, and that was because they had no telephone in the polling place. (This has been discussed with the town clerk and there will be a telephone for them next election.) The results were also on the internet and everyone was happy about that. Thanks to our custodians, election inspectors, election night workers, I.S. department and our staff (both full time and part time) in the BOE, we had an enjoyable election day and night. (See enclosed letter from our local news media)

THE END

Another year passed and this office again did an excellent job. We had three election days, a tragic primary, a regular primary, and a general election. The staff in this office showed their strength on September 11 when they set their personal feelings aside and did what had to be done to keep another election above reproach. We might have been crying on the inside, but only common sense and professionalism showed through when it was needed.

Dear Sandy,

We couldn't get over how smoothly things went on election night this year. Congratulations to Jim, Andy and Jim staff. The website information was quick and accurate.... making our lives as reporters so much easier! Thank Jim for everything Jim did



to ensure things would run smoothly.

Sincerely,
Anne
7 news



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FINANCIAL SUMMARY

BUDGET

TOTAL BUDGET FOR 2001	\$ 218,096.00
AMOUNT 2001 BUDGET INCREASE OR (DECREASE) FROM LAST YEAR'S BUDGET	\$ 5,408.00 +
AMOUNT APPROPRIATED FOR 2001	
SALARIES	\$ 118,753.00
PRINTING	\$ 33,000.00
SUPPLIES	\$ 3,500.00
TRAINING	\$ 3,000.00

STAFF SUMMARY
COMMISSIONERS

DEMOCRATIC COMMISSIONER SALARY	\$ 2,500.00
REPUBLICAN COMMISSIONER SALARY	\$ 2,500.00
2 OR 4 YEAR TERM	2
FULL OR PART TIME	Part-Time

DEPUTY COMMISSIONERS

DEMOCRATIC DEPUTY SALARY	\$ 31,698.00
REPUBLICAN DEPUTY SALARY	\$ 31,698.00
FULL OR PART TIME	Full-Time

EMPLOYEES (EXCLUDE COMMISSIONERS & DEPUTIES)

NUMBER OF FULL TIME BOARD EMPLOYEES	2
NUMBER OF PART TIME BOARD EMPLOYEES	2
NUMBER OF TEMPORARY OR SEASONAL BOARD EMPLOYEES	2

INSPECTOR INFORMATION SUMMARY

TRAINING AND SALARY

NUMBER OF INSPECTORS APPOINTED	344
NUMBER OF INSPECTORS ATTENDING CLASS	312
NUMBER OF INSPECTORS WHO TOOK EXAM	312
NUMBER OF INSPECTORS WHO FAILED EXAM	0
NUMBER OF ALTERNATE INSPECTORS APPOINTED AND TRAINED	56
NUMBER OF CLASSES GIVEN	6
CLASS SIZE	40 - 70
AVERAGE LENGTH OF CLASS SESSION	2½ - 3 Hours
INSPECTOR SALARY RANGE (IF YOU HAVE A COUNTY-WIDE SALARY ENTER THAT AMOUNT IN BOTH THE LOW AND HIGH BOX)	LOW HIGH \$ [MIN] \$ [8.00]
RATE OF PAY FOR INSPECTORS ATTENDING TRAINING SESSION	\$ 3 Hours Pay
NUMBER OF PEOPLE WHO CHECK MAIL REG OR CALLED BECAUSE OF MAIL CHECK CARD ASKING TO BE PUT ON LIST AS INSPECTOR	40

POLLING SITE SUMMARY

NUMBER OF POLLING SITES IN COUNTY	65
NUMBER OF POLLING SITES ACCESSIBLE TO HANDICAPPED	65
NUMBER OF ELECTION DISTRICTS IN COUNTY	86

VOTING EQUIPMENT SUMMARY

NUMBER OF VOTING MACHINES	100
WHO OWNS VOTING MACHINES	County-Towns-City
WHO MAINTAINS VOTING MACHINES	County-Towns-City
NUMBER OF VOTING MACHINES ACCESSIBLE TO HANDICAPPED	14

ELECTION RESULTS

ELECTION NIGHT QUICK RETURNS DONE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMPUTER <input type="checkbox"/> MANUALLY
RECANVASSED AND CERTIFIED RESULTS DONE	<input type="checkbox"/> COMPUTER <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MANUALLY

PETITIONS

DESIGNATING PETITIONS

NUMBER RECEIVED	181
NUMBER CHALLENGED	2
NUMBER OF SPECS FILED	1
NUMBER INVALIDATED BY BOARD	1
NUMBER OF COURT CASES	0
NUMBER OF CASES UPHOLDING BOARD POSITION	0
NUMBER OF CASES REVERSING BOARD POSITION	0

INDEPENDENT PETITIONS

NUMBER RECEIVED	26
NUMBER CHALLENGED	0
NUMBER OF SPECS FILED	0
NUMBER INVALIDATED BY BOARD	0
NUMBER OF COURT CASES	0
NUMBER OF CASES UPHOLDING BOARD POSITION	0
NUMBER OF CASES REVERSING BOARD POSITION	0

CAUCUS CERTIFICATES

NUMBER RECEIVED	8
NUMBER CHALLENGED	0
NUMBER OF SPECS FILED	0
NUMBER INVALIDATED BY BOARD	0
NUMBER OF COURT CASES	0
NUMBER OF CASES UPHOLDING BOARD POSITION	0
NUMBER OF CASES REVERSING BOARD POSITION	0

CAMPAIGN FINANCE SUMMARY

NUMBER OF COUNTY COMMITTEE FILERS	4
NUMBER OF CANDIDATE FILERS	98
NUMBER OF PAC FILERS	7
TOTAL NUMBER OF FILINGS RECEIVED	161
NUMBER OF FIVE DAY LETTERS SENT	0
NUMBER OF CURRENT DELINQUENT FILINGS	0
NUMBER REFERRED TO COUNTY ATTORNEY OR DA	0

ABSENTEE AND AFFIDAVIT BALLOT SUMMARY

SEPTEMBER PRIMARY ABSENTEES

NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS RECEIVED	409
NUMBER OF BALLOTS MAILED	409
NUMBER OF BALLOTS RETURNED	293
NUMBER INVALIDATED (NOT SIGNED, DATED AFTER ELECTION, ETC.)	24
NUMBER OF VOTERS WHO VOTED IN PERSON AFTER VOTING ABSENTEE	16

SEPTEMBER PRIMARY AFFIDAVITS

NUMBER OF AFFIDAVITS RECEIVED	43
NUMBER OF AFFIDAVITS COUNTED FOR TRANSFERS/MOVERS	28
NUMBER OF AFFIDAVITS COUNTED FOR OTHER REASONS	6

REASONS FOR REJECTION

TOTAL PRIMARY AFFIDAVITS REJECTED	9
NUMBER NOT SIGNED	2
NUMBER NOT IN DISTRICT	1
NUMBER FILLED OUT INCORRECTLY	1
NOT PROPERLY ENROLLED	5
MISCELLANEOUS	0

SEPTEMBER PRIMARY COURT ORDERS

TOTAL COURT ORDERS PROCESSED	1
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GENERAL ABSENTEES

NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS RECEIVED	1315
NUMBER OF BALLOTS MAILED	1311
NUMBER OF BALLOTS RETURNED	1028
NUMBER INVALIDATED (NOT SIGNED, DATED AFTER ELECTION, ETC.)	57
NUMBER OF VOTERS WHO VOTED IN PERSON AFTER VOTING ABSENTEE	12

GENERAL AFFIDAVITS

NUMBER OF AFFIDAVITS RECEIVED	80
NUMBER OF AFFIDAVITS COUNTED FOR TRANSFERS/MOVERS	63
NUMBER OF AFFIDAVITS COUNTED FOR OTHER REASONS	6

REASONS FOR REJECTION

TOTAL GENERAL AFFIDAVITS REJECTED	11
NUMBER NOT SIGNED	3
NUMBER NOT IN DISTRICT	0
NUMBER FILLED OUT INCORRECTLY	4
MISCELLANEOUS	4

GENERAL COURT ORDERS

TOTAL COURT ORDERS PROCESSED	9
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NURSING HOMES ABSENTEE BALLOT PROGRAM

WE PERSONALLY VISIT NURSING HOMES TO DISTRIBUTE ABSENTEE BALLOTS	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
NUMBER OF HOMES VISITED FOR SEPTEMBER PRIMARY	2
NUMBER OF HOMES VISITED FOR GENERAL	0
NUMBER OF BALLOTS PROCESSED - PRIMARY AND GENERAL TOGETHER	22

REGISTRATION AND ENROLLMENT SUMMARY

REGISTRATION

TOTAL NUMBER OF CENTRAL (IN OFFICE) REGISTRATION FORMS PROCESSED	215
TOTAL NUMBER OF MAIL FORMS PROCESSED	30,361

FORMS DISTRIBUTION

TOTAL NUMBER OF MAIL FORMS USED	10,500
NUMBER OF FORMS ISSUED TO GROUPS	3,500
NUMBER OF FORMS USED IN YOUR OWN OUTREACH PROGRAMS (BANKS, POST OFFICES, TOWN/CITY HALLS, ETC)	1,800
NUMBER OF FORMS PROCESSED FROM TAX PACKETS	63

REGISTRATION SUMMARY FROM ALL SOURCES

NUMBER OF NEW REGISTRANTS PROCESSED IN 2001	2,911
NUMBER OF MOVERS WITHIN YOUR COUNTY PROCESSED IN 2001	6,345
TOTAL NUMBER OF ENROLLMENT CHANGES	896
TOTAL NUMBER OF NAME CHANGES	475
TOTAL NUMBER OF DUPLICATES	1,246
TOTAL NUMBER OF OTHERS	18,303

CONFIRMATION NOTICES

TOTAL NUMBER OF CONFIRMATION NOTICES SENT IN 2001	466
NUMBER OF PERSONS REREGISTERED AS A RESULT OF YOUR CONFIRMATION NOTICE	?

CANCELLATIONS

TOTAL NUMBER OF REGISTRATIONS CANCELLED	1,612
NUMBER OF CANCEL NOTICES SENT TO OTHER COUNTIES	?
NUMBER OF CANCEL NOTICES SENT TO SBOE FOR OTHER STATES	?
NUMBER OF PERSONS CANCELLED BY RETURNING POSTAGE - PAID CARD IN CONFIRMATION NOTICE	?

GENERAL INFORMATION

NUMBER OF MILITARY VOTERS ON FILE IN YOUR COUNTY	81
NUMBER OF PERM/DISABLED VOTERS ON FILE IN YOUR COUNTY	503
NUMBER OF SPECIAL FEDERAL VOTERS ON FILE IN YOUR COUNTY	2
TOTAL NUMBER OF INACTIVE VOTERS ON FILE AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2001	9,100
DO YOU HAVE A FAX MACHINE IN YOUR OFFICE?	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
DO YOU RUN ANY VILLAGE ELECTIONS?	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
DO YOU HAVE A WEB SITE (IF SO, PLEASE PROVIDE WEB PAGE ADDRESS BELOW)	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>

We have a link on the County Web Site:
www.sunyjefferson.edu

2001 Affidavit Ballot Review

COUNTY Jefferson

DATE 1/31/2002

To answer the following questions, please use data from the General Election held on November 6, 2001:

Number of Affidavit ballots processed by your Board 80

Number of Affidavit ballots determined to be valid 69

Of those valid affidavits, how many were:

In-county movers 63

Miscellaneous poll book errors 2

Re-activation of an inactive voter 4

Other 0

If you have "others", what might those other reasons be for ruling the affidavit valid? _____

Number of Affidavit ballots determined to be invalid 11

Of those invalid ballots, how many were:

Not completed properly by the voter 7

Not completed properly by the inspectors 0

Were not registered at all in your county 4

Other 0

If you have "others", what might those other reasons be for ruling the affidavit invalid? _____

Any comments or thoughts you would like to share concerning affidavit ballots?

2001 Military Absentee Ballot Review

COUNTY Jefferson

DATE 1/31/2002

To answer the following questions, please use data from the General Election held on November 6, 2001:

Number of Military ballots mailed out by your Board 81

Number of voted Military ballots received by your Board 48

Of those voted ballots, how many were not counted because they

failed to contain a postmark of any sort	<u>4</u>
were not signed	<u>0</u>
received too late	<u>7</u>
other reasons which prohibited counting	<u>0</u>

What were those other reasons? _____

Did you have to utilize the military voter faxing provision, which was enabled for this year's extenuating circumstances?

YES X NO _____

If YES, how did it work out for you? We attempted to fax ballot, but were not successful.

Any thoughts or comments you would like to share on the topic of Military voters and/or their ballots? The postmark seem to be a big problem, or should I say lack of postmarks.

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County Wide Election Affiliation Statistics

Report Criteria: **Voter Status of A - Active**
Voters Registered
Election GE01

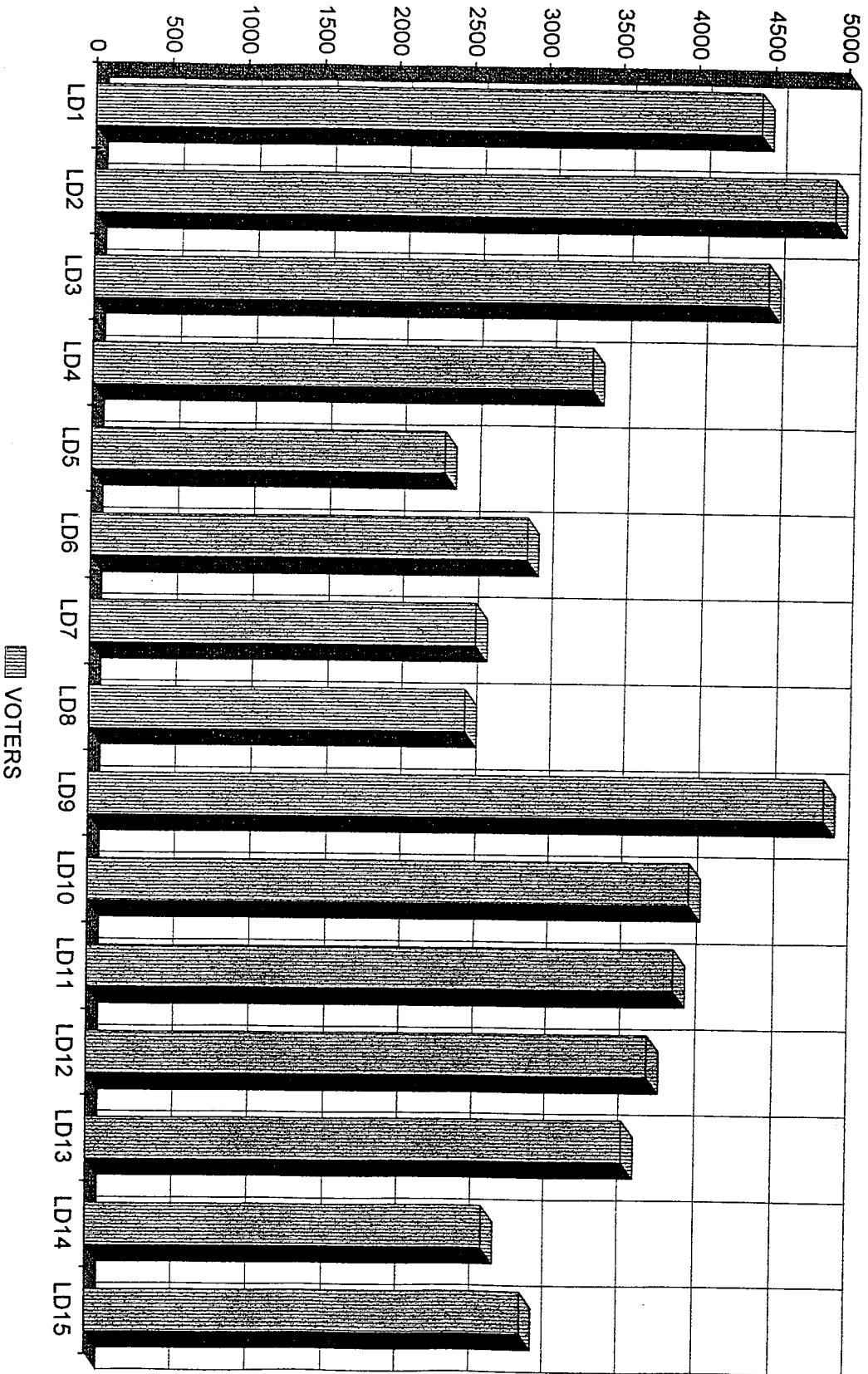
	REP	DE	IND	CON	LIB	Other	Non Aff	Enrolled	Registered
Voters	25,071	15,445	1,597	788	505	380	9,461	43,786	53,247
Voted	11,054	5,799	293	269	97	62	1,768	17,574	19,342
Turnout	44%	37%	18%	34%	19%	16%	18%	40%	36%
	47%	29%	2%	1%	0%	0%	17%		
	57%	29%	1%	1%	0%	0%	9%		

CONCORDIA COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS
Voter Demographics (Age/Sex) by County Wide
 Voter Status of A - Active

Party	Sex	0 - 18	19	20	21	22 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 - 74	75 - over	No DOB	Totals
Republican	Women	61	96	153	127	394	1,679	2,463	2,276	1,593	1,221	1,501	983	12,547
	Men	50	118	129	152	481	1,901	2,606	2,415	1,730	1,189	985	768	12,524
	Total	111	214	282	279	875	3,580	5,069	4,691	3,323	2,410	2,486	1,751	25,071
Democrat	Women	64	93	103	107	417	1,326	1,728	1,760	1,059	758	943	653	9,011
	Men	34	75	91	88	267	948	1,196	1,427	842	557	497	412	6,434
	Total	98	168	194	195	684	2,274	2,924	3,187	1,901	1,315	1,440	1,065	15,445
Independence Party	Women	14	12	37	30	96	196	209	107	53	27	20	2	803
	Men	7	25	26	22	73	206	195	144	51	29	16	0	794
	Total	21	37	63	52	169	402	404	251	104	56	36	2	1,597
Conservative	Women	1	4	9	4	17	53	85	90	40	17	11	7	338
	Men	1	4	2	3	25	81	115	100	59	33	14	13	450
	Total	2	8	11	7	42	134	200	190	99	50	25	20	788
Liberal	Women	2	5	8	6	24	66	76	66	15	9	4	5	286
	Men	1	1	3	3	23	43	37	60	24	7	7	10	219
	Total	3	6	11	9	47	109	113	126	39	16	11	15	505
Right to Life	Women	1	1	3	5	17	39	28	28	13	11	3	1	150
	Men	0	1	0	1	5	15	19	16	9	2	4	0	72
	Total	1	2	3	6	22	54	47	44	22	13	7	1	222
Green	Women	4	1	3	2	9	10	5	6	2	0	0	0	42
	Men	4	8	7	7	6	6	3	8	4	0	1	0	54
	Total	8	9	10	9	15	16	8	14	6	0	1	0	96
Working Families	Women	0	1	2	1	4	18	6	3	0	0	0	0	35
	Men	0	0	1	1	2	5	9	8	1	0	0	0	27
	Total	0	1	3	2	6	23	15	11	1	0	0	0	62
No Party	Women	55	147	159	79	203	396	251	152	66	35	22	2	1,567
	Men	37	105	137	78	165	333	223	128	66	34	16	2	1,324
	Total	92	252	296	157	368	729	474	280	132	69	38	4	2,891
Blank	Women	6	14	13	84	295	774	765	702	315	168	154	35	3,325
	Men	14	12	15	73	274	702	732	743	357	164	114	45	3,245
	Total	20	26	28	157	569	1,476	1,497	1,445	672	332	268	80	6,570

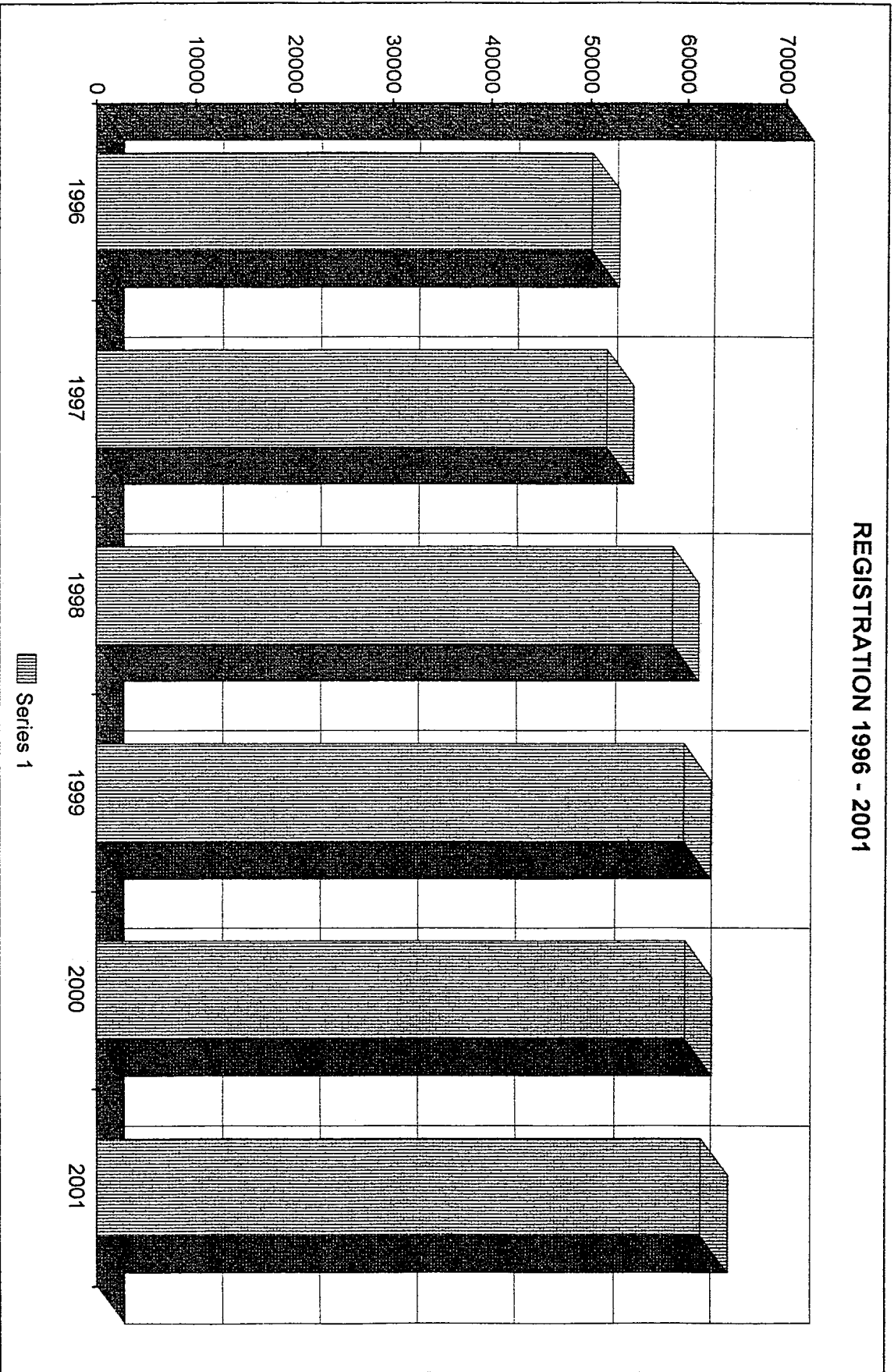
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	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men			
	208	148	374	349	490	411	445	428	1,476	1,321	4,557	4,240	5,616	5,135	5,190	5,049	3,156	3,143	2,246	2,015	2,658	1,654	1,688	1,250	28,104
Total	356	356	723	723	901	901	873	873	2,797	2,797	8,797	8,797	10,751	10,751	10,239	10,239	6,299	6,299	4,261	4,261	4,312	4,312	2,938	2,938	53,247

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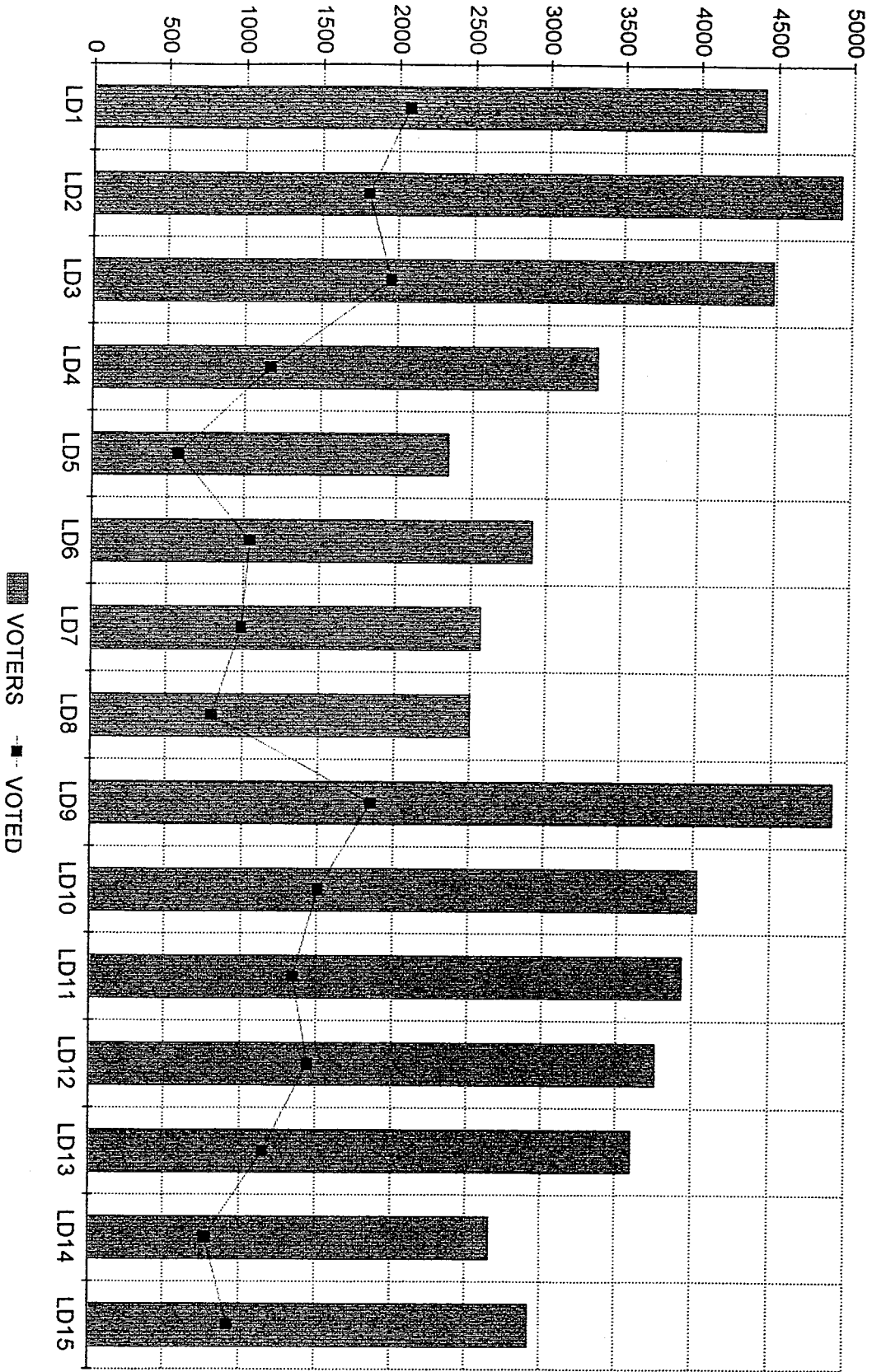


Jefferson County Board Of Elections
Voter Statistics by County Legislative Districts

Voter Status of A - Active

<u>Name</u>	<u>Total</u>
County Legislative District #001	4,418
County Legislative District #002	4,922
County Legislative District #003	4,480
County Legislative District #004	3,331
County Legislative District #005	2,343
County Legislative District #006	2,904
County Legislative District #007	2,565
County Legislative District #008	2,500
County Legislative District #009	4,903
County Legislative District #010	4,024
County legislative District #011	3,926
County Legislative District #012	3,758
County Legislative District #013	3,601
County Legislative District #014	2,654
County Legislative District #015	2,918
Total	<u>53,247</u>

VOTER TURNOUT 2001



WISCONSIN COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS
 Election Affiliation Statistics by County Legislative Districts

Report Criteria: REP _____ DE _____ IND _____ CON _____ LIB _____ Other _____ Non Aff _____ Enrolled _____ Registered _____
 Voter Status of A - Active
 Voters Registered
 Election GE01

County Legislative District #001

	Voters	2,034	46%	1,362	30%	95	2%	68	1%	34	0%	30	0%	795	17%	3,623	4,418
Voted	1,074	51%	688	33%	25	1%	22	1%	8	0%	9	0%	241	11%	1,826	2,067	
Turnout		52%		50%		26%		32%		23%		30%		30%		50%	46%

County Legislative District #002

	Voters	2,453	49%	1,362	27%	135	2%	74	1%	43	0%	29	0%	826	16%	4,096	4,922
Voted	1,044	57%	519	28%	23	1%	32	1%	7	0%	6	0%	170	9%	1,631	1,801	
Turnout		42%		38%		17%		43%		16%		20%		20%		39%	36%

County Legislative District #003

	Voters	2,237	49%	1,220	27%	125	2%	57	1%	34	0%	41	0%	766	17%	3,714	4,480
Voted	1,168	59%	543	27%	24	1%	16	0%	8	0%	14	0%	178	9%	1,773	1,951	
Turnout		52%		44%		19%		28%		23%		34%		23%		47%	43%

County Legislative District #004

	Voters	1,571	47%	861	25%	109	3%	50	1%	56	1%	16	0%	668	20%	2,663	3,331
Voted	678	58%	327	28%	14	1%	18	1%	19	1%	2	0%	106	9%	1,058	1,164	
Turnout		43%		37%		12%		36%		33%		12%		15%		39%	34%

County Legislative District #005

	Voters	1,110	47%	611	26%	70	2%	30	1%	15	0%	9	0%	498	21%	1,845	2,343
Voted	335	58%	153	26%	3	0%	13	2%	1	0%	0	0%	64	11%	505	569	
Turnout		30%		25%		4%		43%		6%		0%		12%		27%	24%

Election Affiliation Statistics by County Legislative Districts

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County Legislative District #006

	Voters	1,156	39%	1,079	37%	88	3%	41	1%	37	1%	24	0%	479	16%	2,425	2,904
Voted	447	43%	471	45%	26	2%	10	0%	4	0%	7	0%	72	6%	965	1,037	
Turnout	38%		43%		29%		24%		10%		29%		15%		39%	35%	

County Legislative District #007

	Voters	1,092	42%	788	30%	90	3%	32	1%	24	0%	28	1%	511	19%	2,054	2,565
Voted	541	54%	316	32%	15	1%	11	1%	5	0%	4	0%	94	9%	892	986	
Turnout	49%		40%		16%		34%		20%		14%		18%		43%	38%	

County Legislative District #008

	Voters	1,110	44%	723	28%	79	3%	27	1%	31	1%	14	0%	516	20%	1,984	2,500
Voted	489	61%	219	27%	13	1%	11	1%	3	0%	0	0%	60	7%	735	795	
Turnout	44%		30%		16%		40%		9%		0%		11%		37%	31%	

County Legislative District #009

	Voters	2,595	52%	1,220	24%	133	2%	65	1%	36	0%	26	0%	828	16%	4,075	4,903
Voted	1,161	62%	441	23%	38	2%	18	0%	9	0%	4	0%	173	9%	1,671	1,844	
Turnout	44%		36%		28%		27%		25%		15%		20%		41%	37%	

County Legislative District #010

	Voters	2,126	52%	1,004	24%	108	2%	71	1%	25	0%	20	0%	670	16%	3,354	4,024
Voted	939	62%	374	24%	21	1%	22	1%	8	0%	1	0%	137	9%	1,365	1,502	
Turnout	44%		37%		19%		30%		32%		5%		20%		40%	37%	

County Legislative District #011

	Voters	2,043	52%	1,042	26%	102	2%	68	1%	32	0%	21	0%	618	15%	3,308	3,926
Voted	850	63%	366	27%	6	0%	23	1%	4	0%	1	0%	90	6%	1,250	1,340	
Turnout	41%		35%		5%		33%		12%		4%		14%		37%	34%	

Election Affiliation Statistics by County Legislative Districts

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County Legislative District #012

	Voters	1,826	48%	1,103	29%	106	2%	43	1%	28	0%	29	0%	623	16%	3,135	3,758
Voted	878	60%	389	26%	21	1%	18	1%	5	0%	4	0%	129	8%	1,315	1,444	
Turnout	48%		35%		19%		41%		17%		13%		20%		41%	38%	

County Legislative District #013

	Voters	1,559	43%	1,144	31%	112	3%	64	1%	47	1%	31	0%	644	17%	2,957	3,601
Voted	641	55%	361	31%	14	1%	25	2%	8	0%	1	0%	97	8%	1,050	1,147	
Turnout	41%		31%		12%		39%		17%		3%		15%		35%	31%	

County Legislative District #014

	Voters	1,044	39%	873	32%	108	4%	48	1%	30	1%	25	0%	526	19%	2,128	2,654
Voted	383	49%	271	35%	17	2%	10	1%	4	0%	5	0%	83	10%	690	773	
Turnout	36%		31%		15%		20%		13%		20%		15%		32%	29%	

County Legislative District #015

	Voters	1,115	38%	1,053	36%	137	4%	50	1%	33	1%	37	1%	493	16%	2,425	2,918
Voted	426	46%	361	39%	33	3%	20	2%	4	0%	4	0%	74	8%	848	922	
Turnout	38%		34%		24%		40%		12%		10%		15%		34%	31%	

County Totals

	Voters	25,071	47%	15,445	29%	1,597	2%	788	1%	505	0%	380	0%	9,461	17%	43,786	53,247
Voted	11,054	57%	5,799	29%	293	1%	269	1%	97	0%	62	0%	1,768	9%	17,574	19,342	
Turnout	44%		37%		18%		34%		19%		16%		18%		40%	36%	

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