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### Cost and Participation - Statewide Elections

Year	Election	Total Voters	Ballots Cast	Turnout %	Election Cost	Cost Per Voter	Cost Per Ballot	Type of Election
2016	November 8, 2016	2,563,526	2,036,372	79.44%	\$4,893,335.54	\$1.91	\$2.40	VBM
	May 17, 2016	2,288,242	1,219,906	53.31%	\$3,904,904.52	\$1.71	\$3.20	VBM
2014	November 4, 2014	2,178,358	1,531,659	70.31%	\$3,638,319.09	\$1.67	\$2.38	VBM
	May 20, 2014	2,116,430	753,279	35.59%	\$2,855,663.85	\$1.35	\$3.79	VBM
2012	January 31, 2012*	415,927	211,082	50.75%	\$335,798.64	\$0.81	\$1.59	VBM
	May 15, 2012	2,027,153	783,698	38.66%	\$3,006,688.25	\$1.48	\$3.84	VBM
	November 6, 2012	2,200,189	1,807,578	82.16%	\$4,129,355.82	\$1.88	\$2.28	VBM
2010	January 26, 2010*	2,064,775	1,282,224	62.10%	\$2,164,596.28	\$1.05	\$1.69	VBM
	May 18, 2010	2,051,153	839,509	40.93%	\$3,054,216.11	\$1.49	\$3.64	VBM
	November 2, 2010	2,063,588	1,475,720	71.51%	\$3,448,732.87	\$1.67	\$2.34	VBM
2008	May 20, 2008	2,014,349	1,189,987	59.08%	\$3,709,373.50	\$1.84	\$3.12	VBM
	November 4, 2008	2,154,435	1,845,126	85.64%	\$4,772,692.10	\$2.22	\$2.59	VBM
2007	November 6, 2007*	1,941,493	1,161,795	59.84%	\$1,967,603.37	\$1.01	\$1.69	VBM
2006	May 16, 2006	1,985,142	758,213	38.19%	\$2,876,696.20	\$1.45	\$3.79	VBM
	November 7, 2006	1,987,454	1,400,745	70.48%	\$3,433,309.97	\$1.73	\$2.45	VBM
2004	February 3, 2004*	1,862,464	1,173,455	63.01%	\$1,485,135.15	\$0.80	\$1.27	VBM
	May 18, 2004	1,860,042	864,823	46.49%	\$2,350,757.08	\$1.26	\$2.72	VBM
	November 2, 2004	2,139,646	1,840,605	86.02%	\$4,093,857.59	\$1.91	\$2.22	VBM
2003	January 28, 2003*	1,879,307	1,254,801	66.77%	\$1,299,935.14	\$0.69	\$1.04	VBM
	Spetember 16, 2003*	1,861,940	656,057	35.24%	\$1,177,094.02	\$0.63	\$1.79	VBM
2002	May 21, 2002	1,843,632	858,531	46.57%	\$2,840,267.37	\$1.54	\$3.31	VBM
	September 17, 2002*	1,857,818	817,532	44.00%	\$1,299,863.43	\$0.70	\$1.59	VBM
	November 5, 2002	1,875,295	1,293,750	68.99%	\$2,906,047.77	\$1.55	\$2.25	VBM
2001	March Special Election	1,915,314	443,095	23.13%	\$1,492,698.02	\$0.78	\$3.37	VBM
2000	May 16, 2000	1,815,854	927,330	51.07%	\$2,812,480.88	\$1.55	\$3.03	VBM
	November 7, 2000	1,953,423	1,559,168	79.82%	\$3,564,120.12	\$1.82	\$2.29	VBM
1999	November 2, 1999*	1,925,720	719,891	37.38%	\$1,252,440.26	\$0.65	\$1.74	VBM

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	November 3, 1998	1,965,778	1,158,163	58.92%	\$3,558,764.36	\$1.81	\$3.07	PP
1997	May 20, 1997*	1,895,975	793,141	41.83%	\$1,007,371.38	\$0.53	\$1.27	PP
	November 4, 1997*	1,896,479	1,127,108	59.43%	\$1,254,467.59	\$0.66	\$1.11	VBM
1996	January 30, 1996*	1,811,231	1,201,175	66.32%	\$1,064,867.99	\$0.59	\$0.89	VBM
	March 12, 1996*	1,651,781	897,977	54.00%	\$1,020,964.02	\$0.62	\$1.14	VBM
	May 21, 1996	1,851,499	698,990	37.75%	\$291,919.00	\$1.58	\$4.19	PP
	November 5, 1996	1,962,060	1,400,435	71.38%	\$3,383,219.89	\$1.72	\$2.42	PP
1994	May 17, 1994	1,730,651	661,895	38.25%	\$2,863,589.58	\$1.65	\$4.33	PP
	November 8, 1994	1,830,310	1,256,430	68.65%	\$3,387,625.20	\$1.85	\$2.70	PP
1995	May 16, 1995*	1,793,613	784,523	43.74%	\$989,213.09	\$0.55	\$1.26	VBM
	December 5, 1995*	1,422,337	823,829	57.92%	\$894,035.74	\$0.63	\$1.09	VBM
1993	June 29, 1993*	1,735,905	679,278	39.13%	\$880,742.56	\$0.51	\$1.30	VBM
	November 9, 1993*	1,724,658	968,010	56.13%	\$1,443,871.31	\$0.84	\$1.49	PP
1992	May 19, 1992	1,543,268	758,455	49.15%	\$2,792,485.94	\$1.81	\$3.68	PP
	November 3, 1992	1,730,085	1,458,087	84.28%	\$2,797,316.00	\$1.62	\$1.92	PP

VBM - Vote By Mail

PP- Polling Places

\*Special Election