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VOTER REGISTRATION FIGURES FOR PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE ELECTION

Pima County Recorder, F. Ann Rodriguez stated that the flurry of voters registering to vote for the Presidential Preference Election was a huge success. "I was extremely concerned that voters were preoccupied with the holiday season and would miss the deadline to register to vote for this Election. The Recorder's Office kicked off a campaign on December 26th advising all registered voters of the fast approaching deadline."

Ms. Rodriguez wishes to extend her appreciation to all the local media for helping her get out the message that voters registered as Independent and No Party Designated who wanted to vote in the Presidential Preference Election would have to re-register to vote for the political party affiliation of the presidential candidate that they wish to support.

Pima County now has 183,971 registered Democrats, and 151,143 registered Republicans who are qualified to vote in the Presidential Preference Election on February 5, 2008. For more information on voter registration figures and other data, log onto the Recorder's web site at www.recorder.pima.gov.

Ms. Rodriguez has provided a data report of the voter registration changes and/or additions processed by the Recorder's office between December 1, 2007 and January 7, 2008. See attached report.

**2008 PPE Party Designation Changes and New Registrations
Dec 1, 2007 and Jan 7, 2008**

New Voter Registrations between 12/01/2007 and 01/07/2008:					
Democrat	2,241				
Republican	1,776				
	4,017				
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Voter Party Registration Changes between 12/01/2007 and 01/07/2008:					
Dem. to Rep.	415				
Other to Rep.	2,575				
Total to Rep.	2,990				
Rep. to Dem.	420				
Other to Dem.	4,116				
Total to Dem.	4,536				
		7,526			
		Total Rep:	4,766		
		Total Dem:	6,777		
			11,543		