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## VOTER REGISTRATION MAILING SENT BY VOTER PARTICIPATION CENTER

Several thousand Pima County Voters have received a mailing recently from an organization called the **Voter Participation Center (VPC)** informing Pima County Citizens that they are <u>not</u> currently registered to vote or that their voter registration is not current.

This mailing was <u>not</u> sent by the Pima County Recorder's Office, the Recorder was not contacted by this group and the Pima County Recorder's office did <u>not</u> provide any voter registration information or addresses to the Voter Participation Center for this mailing. The Pima County Recorder's Office is not involved in any manner with this mailing.

Pima County Recorder F. Ann Rodriguez stated "The Recorder's Office has been informed that the VPC group receives their initial list from commercial mail vendors, but the information does not accurately reflect the voter registration records in Pima County. We encourage citizen participation in all elections but we always caution voters from responding to requests for information from or providing information to groups or individuals that you do not know."

The Recorder's Office has no legal authority to regulate or control this type of mailing to the public.

If you received this mailing and you are a registered voter, you may contact the Voter Participation Center directly to remove yourself from their mailing list. Their phone number is (202) 659-9570.





March 21, 2016

According to our records, you reside in Pima County and are not currently registered to vote. If you have already registered at this address or are ineligible to vote, please disregard this notice. Otherwise, please fill out the enclosed form and mail it in the postage-paid envelope. You must provide a valid Arizona driver license number, identification card number, or a photocopy of a proof of citizenship document when registering.

According to the Pima County database, most eligible citizens are registered to vote. As part of our ongoing voter registration monitoring, we will be reviewing the county voter file in eight weeks to see if you have mailed your form. We would very much like to add you to the list of registered voters.

To check your current voter status or to register online, please visit: **www.arizona.vote** 

Thank you for your prompt attention to this important matter.

Sincerely,

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P.S. We have already filled in your name and address on the enclosed form. If either is incorrect, please cross it out and enter the correct information. Complete the form, sign, date, and mail it in the enclosed postage-paid envelope. You must provide a valid Arizona driver license number, identification card number, or a photocopy of a proof of citizenship document when registering. Thank you.

#### If you wish to be removed from our mailing list, email this code: AZ6A196112 to unsubscribe@voterparticipation.org.

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