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10/21/2020 Early Voting Return Data Update

Early Voting began on October 7, 2020 for the 2020 General Election. The Recorder's Office has had many media inquiries regarding the number of ballots mailed, number of ballots returned and number of ballots turned over to the Department of Elections for tabulation. Included in this release are two reports. The reports contain a <u>snapshot in time</u> of Early Ballot Requests and Early Ballot Returns. The dates and times these reports are generated are at the bottom of the report.

BALLOT SENT ACTIVITY REPORT

The Ballot Sent Activity Report breaks down, by party, the number of early ballot requests that have been generated in our system. This number includes mailed ballots and ballots issued at our Early Voting Sites. The report breaks out 1st, 2nd, and 3rd ballot requests from voters. There are many reasons voters request a second ballot such as: Change of address issues, temporarily away issues, spoiled (sometimes the dog, sometimes coffee) and voting at an Early Voting Site location. ONLY THE FIRST BALLOT RETURNED IS PROCESSED TO BE COUNTED.

BALLOT TURNOVER ACTIVITY REPORT

The Ballot Turnover Activity Report breaks down, by party, the number of voted early ballots that have been scanned, signature verified, and turned over to the Department of Elections for tabulation.

Note that voters are able to register for various parties but there are only four official political parties recognized in the State of Arizona and Pima County per A.R.S 16-801. Current recognized parties include: DEM-Democratic, GRN-Green, LBT-Libertarian, and REP-Republican.

Please check the Pima County Recorder's Webpage at www.recorder.pima.gov under Election Information and Ballot Turnover Receipts for more information and to see daily turnover receipt totals. The turnover receipts do not reflect the total amount of ballots in the Recorder's possession, rather the number of ballots turned over to the Department of Elections. The Recorder's Office is processing and signature verifying thousands of ballots received daily.



277-2020 GENERAL ELECTION

Ballots Sent Activity

Jursidiction: Entire Election Date Range: Entire Election

Election	Request#	Party	Total
2020 GENERAL ELECTION	Request #1:	CON	4
		CST	2
		DEM	226,575
		GRN	785
		IND	1,003
	,	LBT	3,623
		LIB	7
	. 4	LRU	1
	27 EN 21	MOD	1
		NAP	2
	•	NEN	1
		ОТН	129,051
		PND	4,730
		REP	140,669
		RVL	1
		SOC	1
		TEA	1
		R#1:	506,457
	Request #2:	CON	2
		DEM	5,175
		GRN	18
		IND	44
		LBT	99
		ОТН	2,567
		PND	242
		REP	2,744
		TEA	1
		R#2:	10,892
	Request #3:	DEM	69
		LBT	3
		ОТН	19
		PND	1
		REP	26
		R#3:	118

Election Total: 517,467

277-2020 GENERAL ELECTION

Ballot Turnover Activity Jursidiction: Entire Election

Date Range: Entire Election

Election	Party	Total
2020 GENERAL ELECTION	CON	1
	DEM	103,108
	GRN	238
	IND	317
	LBT	887
	LIB	1
	LRU	1
	 MOD	1
	ОТН	37,292
	PND	1,178
	REP	47,617
	soc	1
	TEA	1

Total 190,643