

Office of Elections

FY 2021 Adopted Budget Plan: Performance Measures

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Objective

To improve the voting experience by providing a sufficient number of voting machines for each precinct (a minimum of 1 digital ballot scanning machine and 2 accessible ballot marking devices) that provide a voter verifiable paper ballot and comply with legal mandates.

Performance Indicators

Indicator	Prior Year Actuals			Current Estimate	Future Estimate
	FY 2017 Actual	FY 2018 Actual	FY 2019 Estimate/Actual	FY 2020	FY 2021
Output					
Registered voters	747,675	760,257	735,000 / 745,261	765,000	765,000
Registered voters/precinct	3,077	3,129	3,025 / 3,067	3,148	3,148
Poll voters	432,111	331,187	404,588 / 404,588	430,000	430,000
Absentee voters	131,618	85,702	75,000 / 85,702	165,000	165,000
Precincts	243	243	243 / 243	243	243
Voting machines	1,008	990	992 / 992	988	988
Absentee satellites	10	10	10 / 10	11	11
Efficiency					
Cost of machines/precinct	\$1,295	\$1,270	\$1,273 / \$1,273	\$1,400	\$1,400
Service Quality					
Percent of polling places that are handicapped accessible	100.0%	100.0%	100.0% / 100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Percent of polling places that are in compliance (machines)	100.0%	100.0%	100.0% / 100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Percent of polling places that are in compliance (size)	100.0%	100.0%	100.0% / 100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Outcome					
Machines/precinct	4.15	3.00	3.00 / 3.00	3.00	4.20

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To increase the number of election officers in order to reduce voter lines at each polling place, with a countywide average of approximately 10 election officers per polling place based on the number of registered voters in the precinct and anticipated voter turnout.

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	FY 2017 Actual	FY 2018 Actual	FY 2019 Estimate/Actual	FY 2020	FY 2021
Output					
Election officers	3,639	2,485	2,486 / 2,486	2,800	2,800
Efficiency					
Cost of officers/precinct	\$2,621	\$1,790	\$1,791 / \$1,791	\$1,729	\$1,729
Cost per poll voter	\$2.45	\$2.45	\$2.02 / \$2.40	\$2.25	\$2.25
Service Quality					
Percent voter turnout	82.5%	69.8%	55.0% / 69.8%	55.0%	55.0%
Outcome					
Officers/precinct	14.98	10.23	10.00 / 10.20	10.00	14.82

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To maintain no less than 98 percent, the number of error-free data entry transactions initially completed for all voter registration documents processed, including all registrations, transfers and address/name changes.

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	FY 2017 Actual	FY 2018 Actual	FY 2019 Estimate/Actual	FY 2020	FY 2021
Output					
Registrations, transfers and address/name changes processed	207,475	204,000	280,000 / 306,510	310,000	310,000
Efficiency					
Cost per registration, transfer or address/name change processed	\$5.35	\$5.40	\$5.40 / \$5.35	\$5.40	\$5.40
Service Quality					
Error rate	1.9%	2.0%	2.0% / 1.8%	2.0%	2.0%
Outcome					
Percent of registrations, transfers and address/name changes completed without error	98.1%	98.0%	98.0% / 98.2%	98.0%	98.0%