

August 5, 2014 Special Election Official Canvass Certification Data

FINAL RESULTS

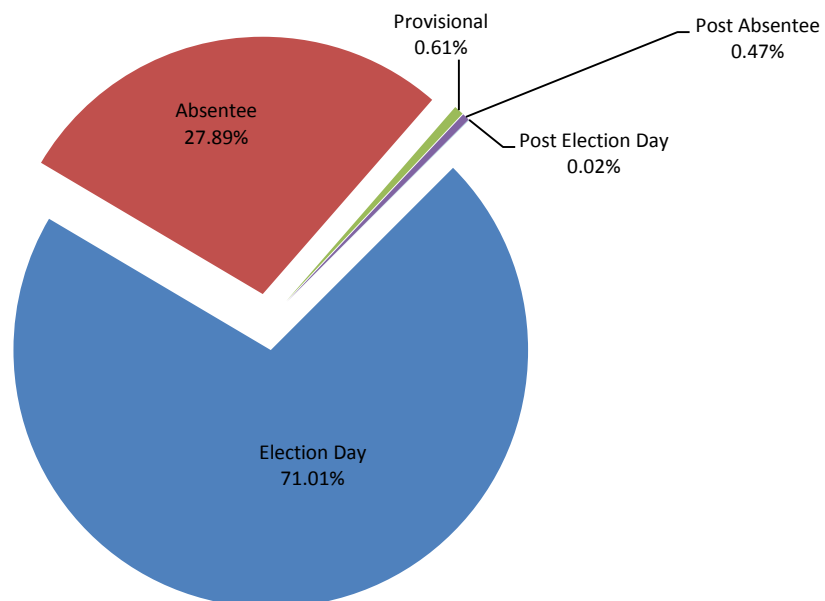
Official Election Results for the August 5, 2014 Special Election are attached in the Election Summary Report.

SUMMARY OF OFFICIAL CANVASS

There were a total of 6,403 ballots tabulated for the August 5, 2014 Special Election. Below is a breakdown of the ballots counted by category and a percentage of the total vote by category.

Category	Ballots Cast	% of Total Ballots Counted
<i>Election Day</i>	4,547	71.01%
<i>Absentee</i>	1,786	27.89%
<i>Provisional</i>	39	0.61%
<i>Post Absentee</i>	30	0.47%
<i>Post Election Day</i>	1	0.02%
Total	6,403	

% of Total Ballots Cast



ABSENTEE / VOTE BY MAIL

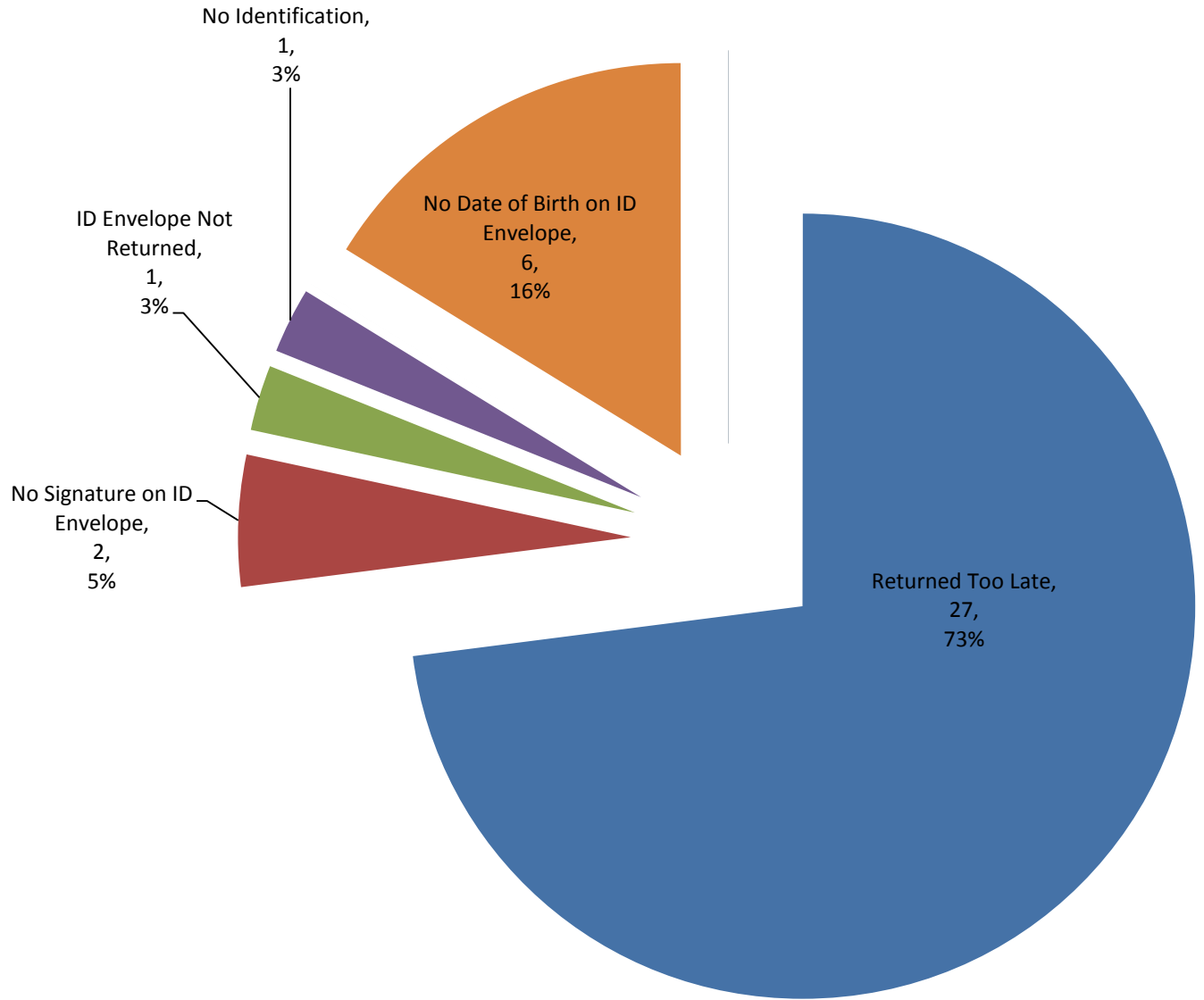
The Cuyahoga County Board of Elections received a total of 1,976 valid Absentee/Vote by Mail applications. Of those requests, 1,853 ballots were returned (93.78%). The Ballot Department tabulated 1,816 Absentee / Vote by Mail Ballots of the applications processed. There were 37 ballots challenged in this election resulting in a challenge rate of 2.00%*. Details of the challenges are below.

*The Absentee Ballot Challenge Rate is 0.55% when the Absentee Ballots postmarked after the deadline are excluded.

Absentee Challenge Category	Number of Challenged Ballots	% of Total Challenged Absentee
Returned After Deadline	27	72.97%
No Date of Birth on ID Envelope	6	16.22%
No Signature on ID Envelope	2	5.41%
ID Envelope Not Returned	1	2.70%
No Identification	1	2.70%
Total	37	

August 5, 2014	
Total Ballots Counted	6,403
Total Absentee Ballots Requested	1,976
Total Absentee Ballots Returned	1,853
Total Absentee Ballots Counted	1,816
Total Absentee Ballots Challenged	90
Absentee Challenges Corrected	53
Absentee Challenges Not Corrected	37
Absentee Ballots Returned Late	27
% Absentee Ballots Counted of All Ballots Counted	28.36%
% Returned of Absentee Ballots Requested	93.78%
% Absentee Ballots Counted of Absentee Ballots Returned	98.00%
% Remaining Challenges of Absentee Ballots Returned	2.00%
% Remaining Challenges (Excluding Late) of Absentee Ballots Returned	0.55%
% Corrected Challenges of All Challenges	58.89%
% Corrected Challenges (Excluding Late) of Absentee Ballots Returned	84.13%
% Late of Absentee Ballots Returned	1.46%
% Late of All Remaining Challenges	72.97%

Absentee Challenges



PROVISIONAL VOTING SUMMARY

A total of 45 Provisional Ballots were cast In-House and on Election Day. Of those ballots, 39 (86.67%) were valid and tabulated by the Ballot Department. There were 6 invalid Provisional Ballots resulting in a 13.33%* rejection rate for this election. Details of the rejections are below.

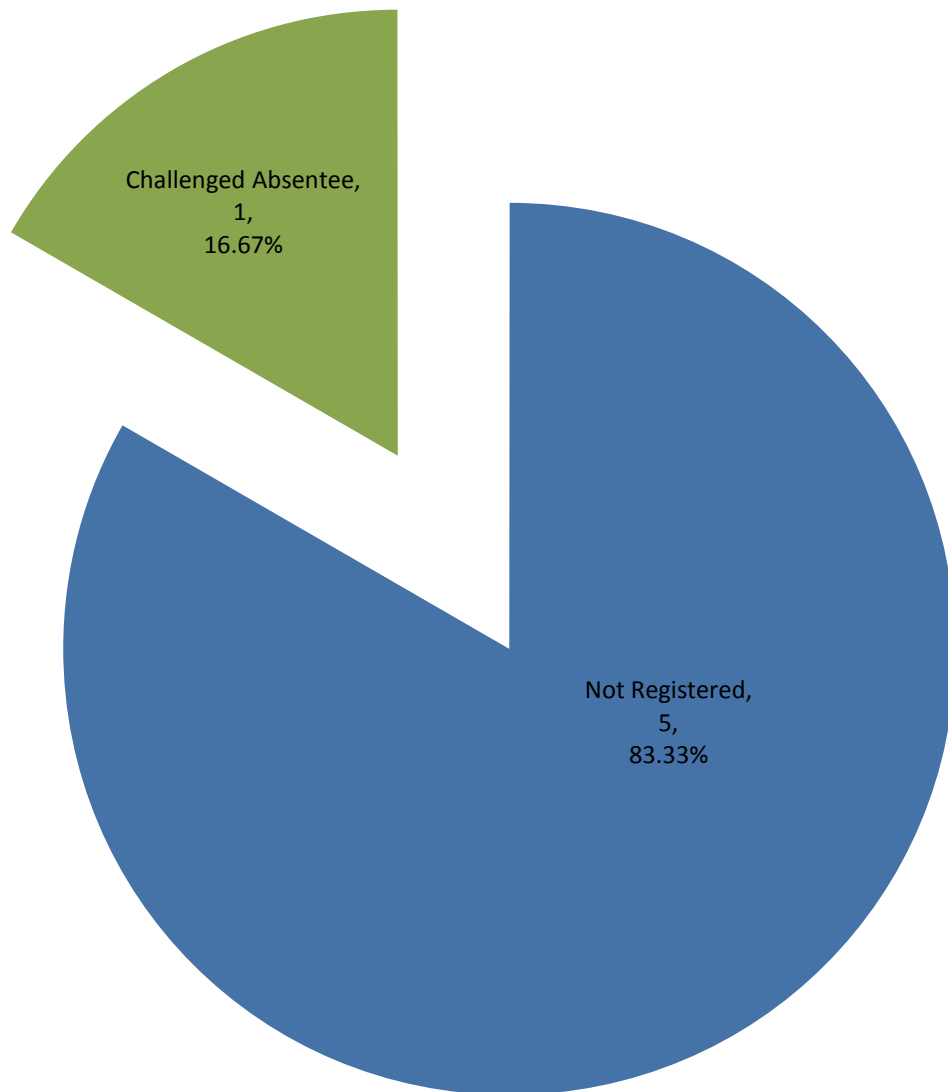
* The Provisional Ballot Rejection Rate is 0.00% when Provisional Voters who have already cast an Absentee Ballot and those who are not currently registered to vote are excluded.

Reason for Rejection	# Rejected	% of Total Provisional Rejections
<i>Not Registered</i>	5	83.33%
<i>Voted Absentee</i>	1	16.67%
Total	6	

* There was 1 wrong precinct/correct location provisional ballot cast that was remade on the correct precinct's ballot.

	August 5, 2014
Provisional Ballots - CAST	45
Provisional Ballots - VALID	39
Provisional Ballots - REJECTED	6
Rejected - Absentee Voters	1
Rejected - Not Including Absentee Voters	5
Rejected - Not Registered	5
Rejected - Not Including Not Registered	1
Rejected - Not Including Not Registered or Absentee Voters	0
Rejected - Wrong Location	0
% Valid of All Provisional Ballots Cast	86.67%
% Rejected of All Provisional Ballots Cast	13.33%
% Rejected Not Including Absentee Voters	11.11%
% Rejected Not Including Not Registered or Absentee Voters	0.00%
% Wrong Location of All Provisional Ballots Cast	0.00%

% of Total Rejected Provisionals



BALLOT REMAKES

During the election, 11 ballot pages were processed in accordance with the CCBOE Remake Policy (approved by the Board on May 17, 2013). Of those, 8 were processed during the Unofficial Canvass. The remaining 3 ballot pages were processed during the Official Canvass. The following is a breakdown by category:

Reason for Remake	Number of Remakes	% of Total Remakes
1 - Ballot folded, torn or mutilated.	6	54.55%
2 - Ballot contains indeterminate marks not made by the voter.	0	0.00%
3 - UOCAVA Ballot that cannot be accurately read by automatic tabulating equipment.	1	9.09%
4 - Ballot contains votes for ineligible contest(s).	0	0.00%
5 - Inadvertent mark made by the voter, resulting in the scanner detecting an over vote or an indeterminate mark.	0	0.00%
6 - Voter marked entire ballot contrary to the instruction listed at the beginning of the ballot.	2	18.18%
7 - Voter marked part of the ballot according to the ballot marking instructions contained on the ballot, and part of the ballot contrary to the instructions.	0	0.00%
8 - Over vote, voter marked the ballot more than the permissible number of times for a particular contest, and there is no indication of contrary intent.	2	18.18%
9 - Voter marked the ballot more than the permissible number of times for a particular contest, however, the voter also made an indication of contrary intent and the voter's choice can be determined.	0	0.00%
10- Voter filled in the oval next to a candidate for an office and also cast a write-in vote for a different candidate for the same office by filling in the oval of, and the writing in of, the name of a write-in candidate.	0	0.00%
11- Voter filled in the oval next to a candidate for an office and also cast a write-in vote for the same candidate for the same office by filling in the oval of, and the writing in of, the name of a write-in candidate.	0	0.00%

TOTAL REMAKES

11

Stage of Election	Number of Ballots Remade	% of Total Remakes
<i>Unofficial</i>	8	72.73%
<i>Official</i>	3	27.27%

Total

11

OVER VOTES

There were a total of 2 over votes recorded, resulting in a 0.03% over vote rate for the election.

VOTER HISTORY /BALLOT RECONCILIATION

Thirty-three (33) precincts were involved in this election. The number of signatures and/or stub numbers in the Poll Books match the number of Election Day Ballots Cast in 33 (100%) precincts.

Ballot Reconciliation is complete. All precincts for this election reconciled.

RECOUNTS

There are no automatic recounts this election.

The requested recount deadline is September 2nd at 4:30 PM.

AUDIT

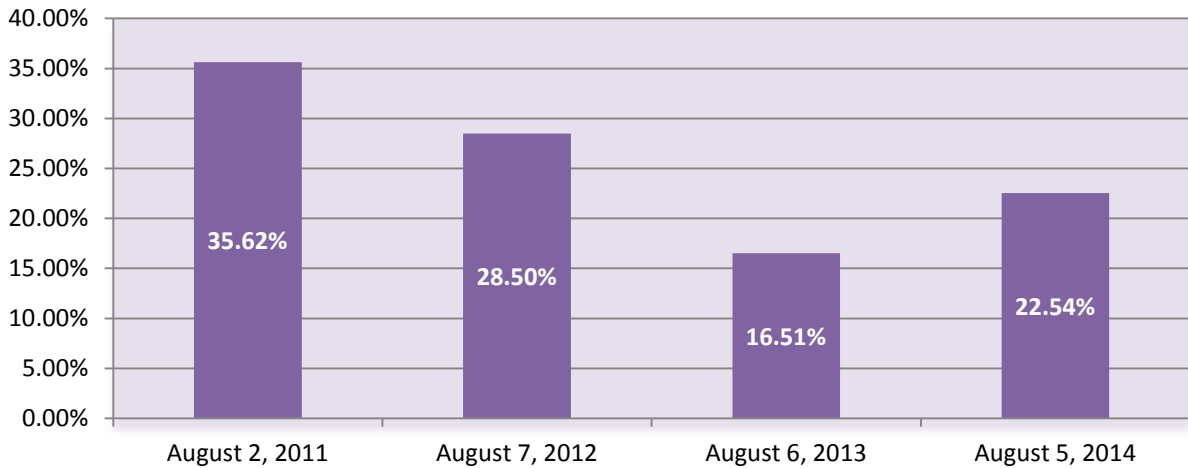
The post-election audit will begin on Thursday, September 4, 2014 at 9:30 AM. This audit will be conducted using the precinct batch based risk limiting audit method. The Board will randomly select the contest in which the audit will be conducted. If a requested recount is required, the recount will be performed instead of the audit.

HISTORICAL DATA FOR MUNICIPAL SPECIAL ELECTIONS

The following data sets and graphs include comparisons related to election information and voting method distributions (ballot categories).

	August 2, 2011	August 7, 2012	August 6, 2013	August 5, 2014
Precincts	75	46	8	33
Registered Voters	72,414	41,825	7,358	28,409
Ballot Cast - Counted	25,797	11,920	1,215	6,403
<i>Election Day</i>	7,331	9,652	800	4,547
<i>Absentee</i>	18,162	2,110	411	1,786
<i>Provisional</i>	253	147	3	39
<i>Post Absentee</i>	50	9	1	30
<i>Post Election Day</i>	1	2	0	1
Voter Turnout	35.62%	28.50%	16.51%	22.54%

Overall Voter Turnout

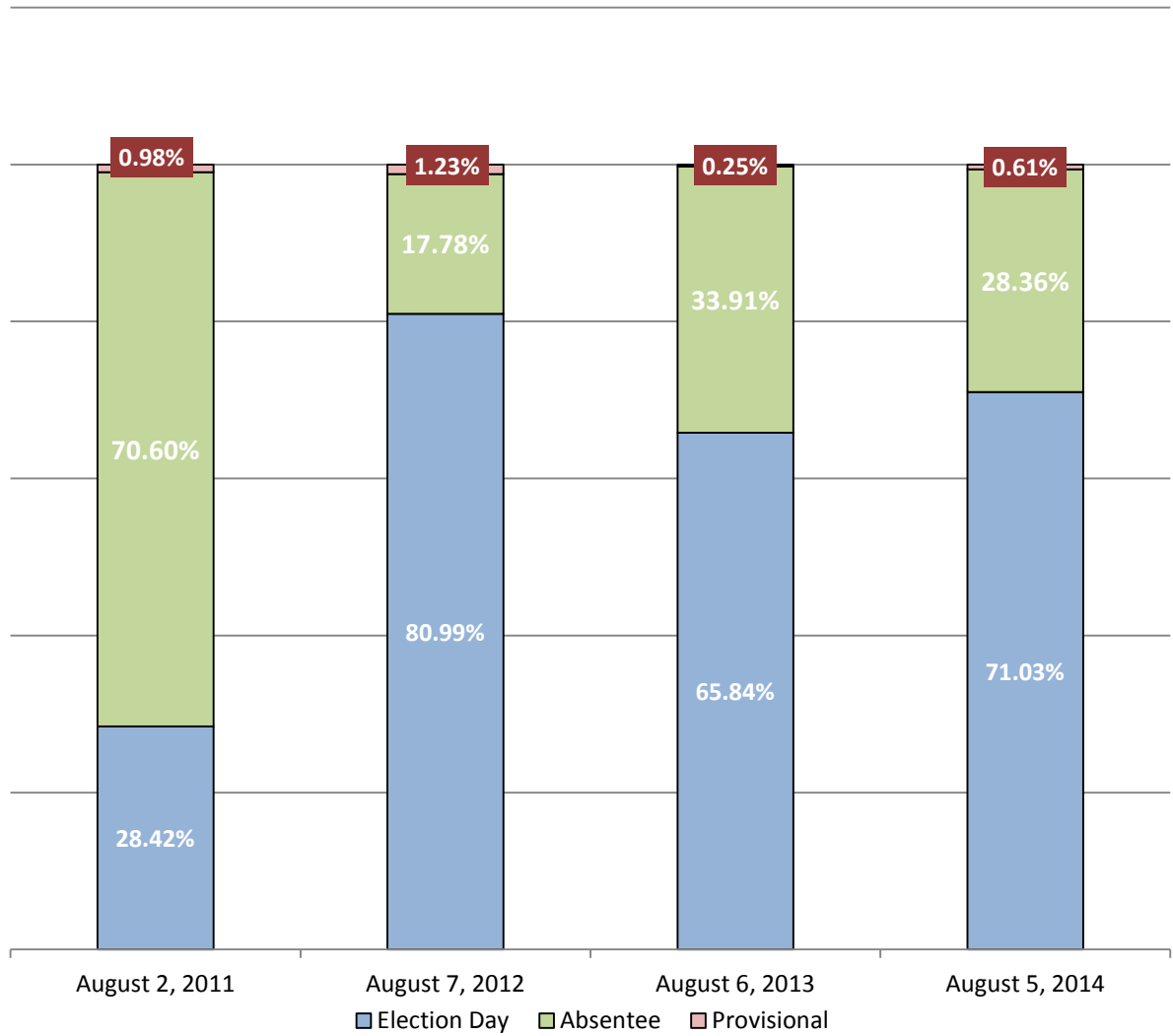




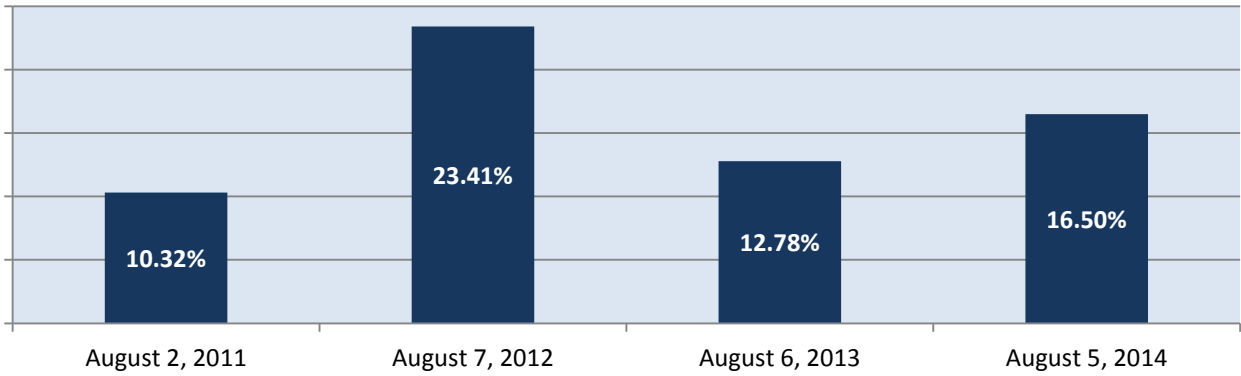
Ballots Cast by Category - % of Total Ballots Cast

	August 2, 2011	August 7, 2012	August 6, 2013	August 5, 2014
Election Day	28.42%	80.99%	65.84%	71.03%
Absentee	70.60%	17.78%	33.91%	28.36%
Provisional	0.98%	1.23%	0.25%	0.61%

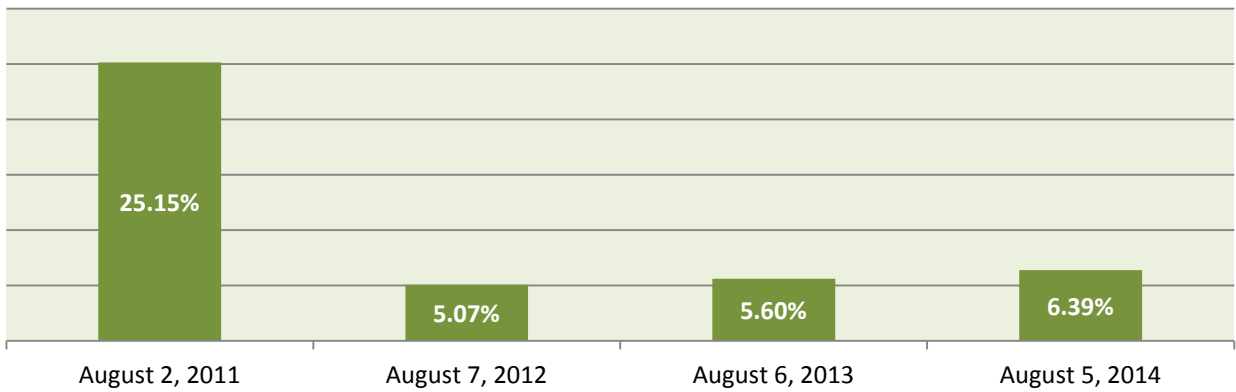
Voter Turnout by Category



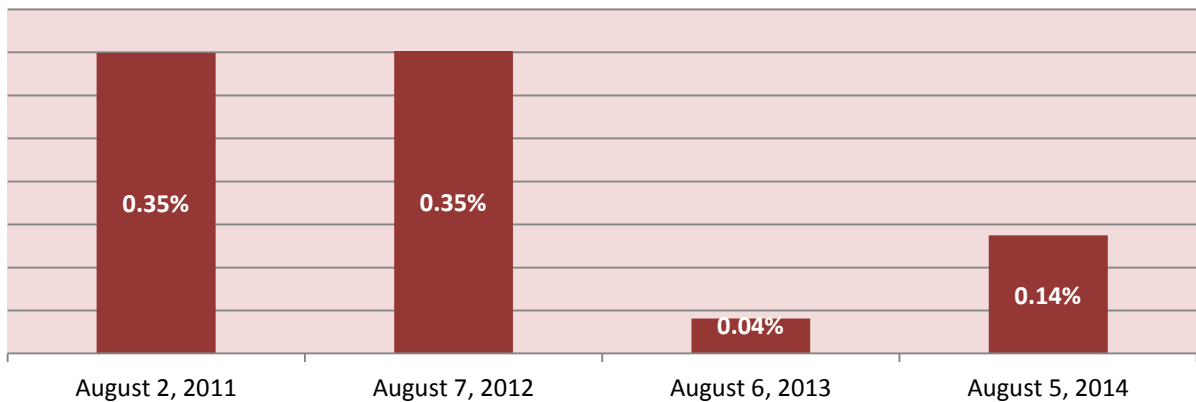
Election Day Voting Trend



Absentee Voting Trend



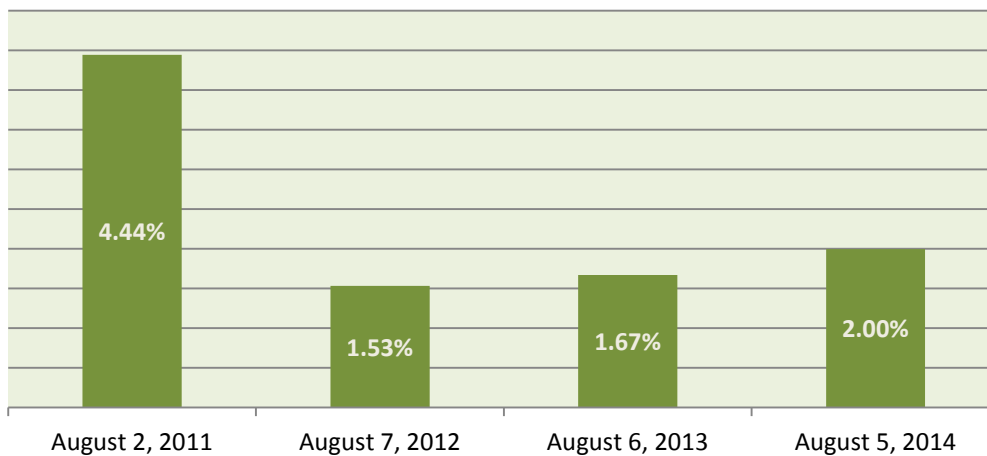
Provisional Voting Trend



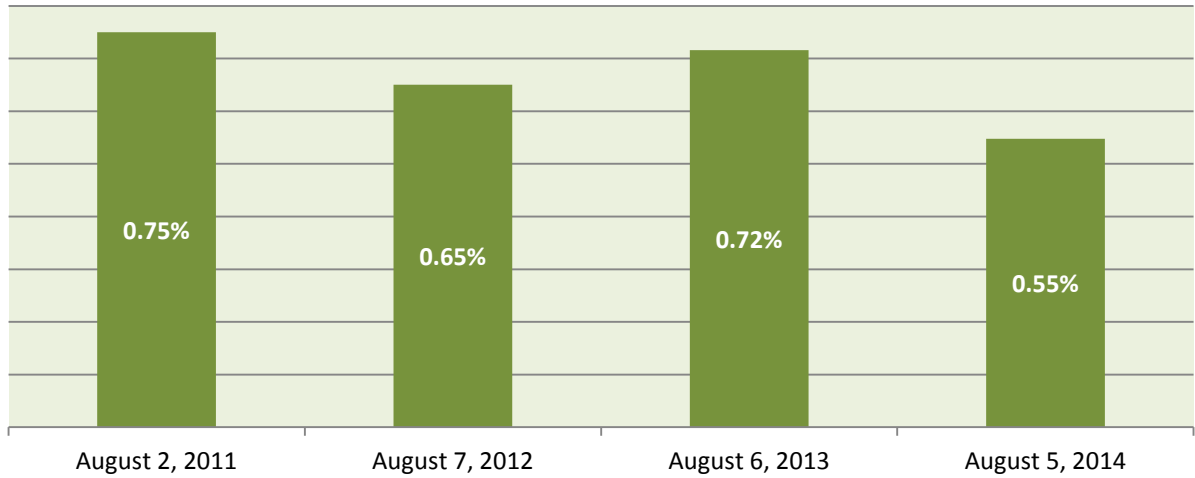
Absentee Data

	August 2011	August 2012	August 2013	August 2014
Total Ballots Counted	25,797	11,920	1,215	6,403
Total Absentee Ballots Requested	21,543	2,300	441	1,976
Total Absentee Ballots Returned	19,059	2,152	419	1,853
Total Absentee Ballots Counted	18,212	2,119	412	1,816
Total Absentee Ballots Challenged	921	41	10	90
Absentee Challenges Corrected	74	8	3	53
Absentee Challenges Not Corrected	847	33	7	37
Absentee Ballots Returned Late	704	19	4	27
% Absentee Ballots Counted of All Ballots Counted	70.60%	17.78%	33.91%	28.36%
% Returned of Absentee Ballots Requested	88.47%	93.57%	95.01%	93.78%
% Absentee Ballots Counted of Absentee Ballots Returned	95.56%	98.47%	98.33%	98.00%
% Remaining Challenges of Absentee Ballots Returned	4.44%	1.53%	1.67%	2.00%
% Remaining Challenges (Excluding Late) of Absentee Ballots Returned	0.75%	0.65%	0.72%	0.55%
% Corrected Challenges of All Challenges	8.03%	19.51%	30.00%	58.89%
% Corrected Challenges (Excluding Late) of Absentee Ballots Returned	34.10%	36.36%	50.00%	84.13%
% Late of Absentee Ballots Returned	3.69%	0.88%	0.95%	1.46%
% Late of All Remaining Challenges	83.12%	57.58%	57.14%	72.97%

Challenge Rate



Challenge Rate (Excluding Late)

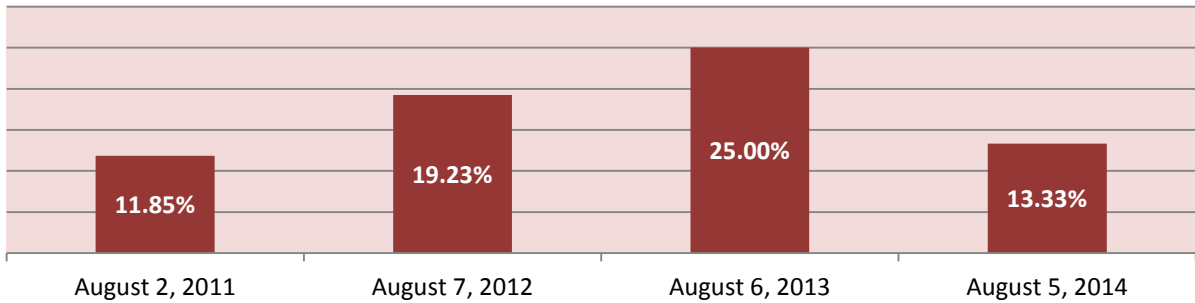


Provisional Data

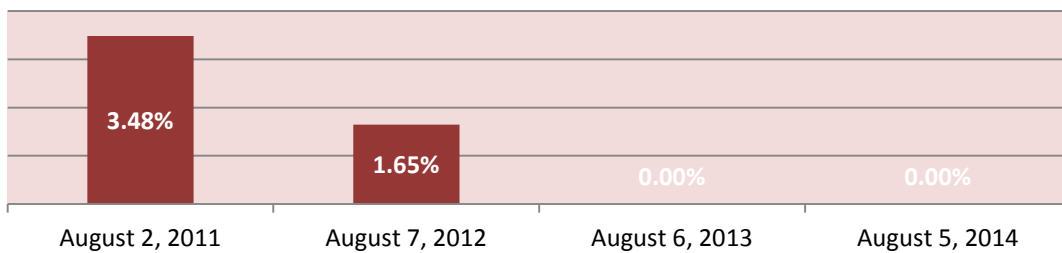
	August 2011	August 2012	August 2013	August 2014
Provisional Ballots - CAST	287	182	4	45
Provisional Ballots - VALID	253	147	3	39
Provisional Ballots - REJECTED	34	35	1	6
Rejected - Absentee Voters	10	4	0	1
Rejected - Not Including Absentee Voters	24	31	1	5
Rejected - Not Registered	14	28	1	5
Rejected - Not Including Not Registered	20	7	0	1
Rejected - Not Including Not Registered or Absentee Voters	10	3	0	0
Rejected – Location*	5	1	0	0
% Valid of All Provisional Ballots Cast	88.15%	80.77%	75.00%	86.67%
% Rejected of All Provisional Ballots Cast	11.85%	19.23%	25.00%	13.33%
% Rejected Not Including Absentee Voters	8.36%	17.03%	25.00%	11.11%
% Rejected Not Including Not Registered or Absentee Voters	3.48%	1.65%	0.00%	0.00%
% Wrong Precinct/Location of All Provisional Ballots Cast*	1.74%	0.55%	0.00%	0.00%

*2011 and 2012 numbers include Wrong Precinct/Correct Location Rejections

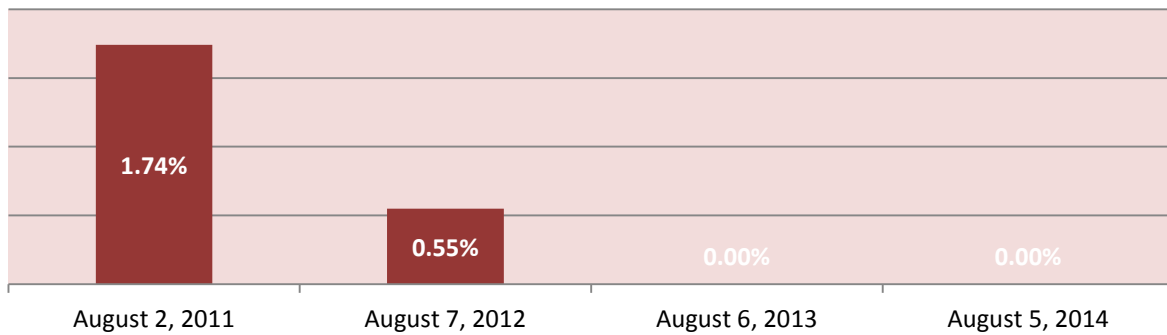
Rejection Rate



Rejection Rate (Excluding Not Registered and Absentee Voters)



Wrong Location Rejection Rate



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