

MOTOR VOTER NEWS



Washington
Secretary of State
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Mail-In Voter Registration Forms Sent Out

In the next few weeks, each Licensing Office will be receiving some mail-in voter registration forms and a display/holder box. These are for use in your waiting areas, so that visitors who do not have transactions at the counter can still obtain voter registration forms if they need them. If you would like registration forms in languages other than English, please contact Dave or Teresa, or forms are available for download using the information in the "Resources" box below.



Elections Update

The Washington State Primary will take place on August 21st, 2007. The following five counties will not hold a primary because they have no local candidates up for election or issues to be decided: Asotin; Ferry; Garfield; San Juan; and Wahkiakum.

The 2007 General Election will take place on November 6th. Although there are no statewide candidates running for office, there will be four proposed constitutional amendments, an initiative, and a referendum on the ballot. All of these measures will be described in voters' pamphlets, and information about the initiative and the referendum can be viewed at: www.secstate.wa.gov/elections/initiatives/referenda_2007.aspx.

Voters have until Saturday, October 6th to change their names or addresses for the General Election in November. People who are registering in Washington for the first time have until October 6th to register by mail, or October 22nd to do so in person at their respective county auditor's offices.

July '07 Results

Department of Licensing agents from 61 offices around the state submitted 6,386 voter registration forms and 1,822 electronic address change requests in the four weeks prior to July 29th. That was a 34% increase over the month before!

Of those 61 offices, 25 deserve special mention for submitting every one of their voter registration forms for the month of July on time (delivered the week after they were created). Great Job!

Office	# of Forms
85 th St-Seattle	390
Union St-Seattle	380
Bothell	340
Federal Way	255
Auburn	228
Kelso	145
Smokey Point	129
Port Angeles	101
Shelton	89
Yakima	89
Kennewick	80
Pullman	73
White Salmon	60
Poulsbo	57
Clarkston	51
Port Townsend	47
Moses Lake	33
Oak Harbor	25
Goldendale	16
Sunnyside	9
Omak	5
Davenport	3
Forks	3
Othello	3
Oroville	2

Resources

For Voter Registration information and downloadable forms (including foreign language forms) visit:

www.secstate.wa.gov/elections/register.aspx ,

or contact:

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