**Statewide Registered Voters File**

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# Introduction

Pursuant to House Bill 245 of the 145th General Assembly: Files and lists provided to members of the General Assembly and State agencies or county or local governments pursuant to subsection (f) of this section shall include voter names, addresses, political party affiliation, voting history, telephone numbers, legislative district information, and dates of birth. Files and lists provided to major and minor political parties pursuant to subsections (a)through (d) of this section and to candidates for elective office pursuant to subsection (e) of this section shall be limited to voter names, addresses, political party affiliations, voting history, legislative district information, telephone numbers, and years of birth. Files and lists provided to the public shall be limited to voter names, addresses, political party affiliations, voting history, legislative district information, and years of birth.

File Format: Excel 2007

Disclaimer: The Delaware Department of Elections does not guarantee that the data requested will be compatible with all software programs. The applicant will utilize his/her own software to import this data to his/her database. Technical support and special data formats are not provided.

# File Specifications

Filename: de\_voter\_reg.txt

Delimiter: | (vertical bar or pipe character)

Text Qualifier: *None*

Fields/Columns: *See below*

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | Name | Type | Description |
| 1 | UNIQUE-ID | A9 | Voter ID |
| 2 | LAST-NAME | A25 | Last Name |
| 3 | FIRST-NAME | A15 | First Name |
| 4 | MID-INIT | A1 | Middle Initial |
| 5 | SUFFIX | A3 | Jr., Sr., III, etc. |
| 6 | DATE-OF-BIRTH | A8 | Date of Birth or Year of Birth+ |
| 7 | PHONE | A10 | Area Code\* & Phone Number+ |
| 8 | HOME-NO | A15 | House Number |
| 9 | HOME-APT | A8 | Apartment Number |
| 10 | HOME-STREET | A25 | Street Name |
| 11 | HOME-DEV | A22 | Name of Development |
| 12 | HOME-CITY | A15 | City Name |
| 13 | HOME-ZIPCODE | A9 | Residence Zip Code |
| 14 | COUNTY | A1 | County¥ |
| 15 | ED | A2 | Election District |
| 16 | RD | A2 | Representative District |
| 17 | SD | A2 | Senate District |
| 18 | CNLEVY | A2 | County Council / Levy Court District |
| 19 | WILM | A2 | Wilmington City Districts 1 thru 8 |
| 20 | CODE-HOME-CITY | A3 | Municipal District |
| 21 | SCH-DIST | A2 | School District¥ |
| 22 | PARTY | A1 | Party¥ |
| 23 | DATE-REG | A8 | Date of Registration |
| 24 | PP-HIST-1 | A4 | Voting History for last 2 Presidential Primary Elections |
| 25 | PP-HIST-2 | A4 | Format: 4 Digit Year |
| 26 | PR-HIST-1 | A4 | Voting History for last 3 Primary Elections |
| 27 | PR-HIST-2 | A4 | Format: 4 Digit Year |
| 28 | PR-HIST-3 | A4 |  |
| 29 | GEN-HIST-1 | A4 | Voting History for last 5 General Elections - 4 Digit Year |
| 30 | GEN-HIST-2 | A4 |  |
| 31 | GEN-HIST-3 | A4 |  |
| 32 | GEN-HIST-4 | A4 |  |
| 33 | GEN-HIST-5 | A4 |  |
| 34 | SP-HIST-1 | A6 | Voting History for last 3 Special Elections. |
| 35 | SP-HIST-2 | A6 | Format: 2-digit year, 2-character race code¥, 2-digit district |
| 36 | SP-HIST-3 | A6 |  |
| 37 | SCHL-HIST-1 | A6 | Voting History for last 5 School Board Elections. |
| 38 | SCHL-HIST-2 | A6 | Format: 2-digit year, 2-character type, 2-character district¥ |
| 39 | SCHL-HIST-3 | A6 |  |
| 40 | SCHL-HIST-4 | A6 |  |
| 41 | SCHL-HIST-5 | A6 |  |
| 42 | REF-HIST-1 | A6 | Voting History for last 5 School Referendums |
| 43 | REF-HIST-2 | A6 | Format: 2-digit year, 2-character referendum sequence, |
| 44 | REF-HIST-3 | A6 | 2-character district¥ |
| 45 | REF-HIST-4 | A6 |  |
| 46 | REF-HIST-5 | A6 |  |
| 47 | MAIL-NO | A15 | Mailing Address Home No |
| 48 | MAIL-APT | A8 | Mailing Address Apt No |
| 49 | MAIL-STR | A25 | Mailing Address Street No |
| 50 | MAIL-CITY | A15 | Mailing Address City |
| 51 | MAIL-STATE | A2 | Mailing Address State |
| 52 | MAIL-ZIP | A9 | Mailing Address Zip Code |
| 53 | DATE-LAST-CHG | A8 | Date Last Registration Change |
| 54 | CODE-CHANGE | A2 | Code Last Change Voter¥ |
| 55 | STATUS | A1 | Status of Voter¥ |

*\* Phone numbers starting with 000 means the area code is not on file.*

***+*** *Subject to House Bill 245 of the 145th General Assembly.*

*¥ Refer to Code Reference section of this documentation for additional information.*

# Code Reference

## Counties

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| County | Description |
| N | New Castle |
| K | Kent |
| S | Sussex |

## Party Affiliation

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Party Code | Legal Name | Abbreviated Name | 2016 Ballot Status |
| A | AMERICAN | AMERICAN |  |
| B | AMERICAN DELTA | AMER DELTA |  |
| D | DEMOCRATIC PARTY | DEMOCRATIC | YES |
| E | LIBERAL | LIBERAL |  |
| G | NON PARTISAN | N PARTISAN |  |
| H | GREEN PARTY | GREEN | YES |
| I | UNAFFILIATED | UNAFFILIAT |  |
| J | WORKING FAMILIES PARTY | WFP |  |
| L | LIBERTARIAN PARTY | LIBERTARIN | YES |
| M | REFORM PARTY | REFORM |  |
| O | OTHERS/ALL OTHER PARTIES | OTHERS |  |
| Q | CONSTITUTION PARTY | CONSTITUTN |  |
| R | REPUBLICAN PARTY | REPUBLICAN | YES |
| T | CONSERVATIVE | CONSERVATI |  |
| V | NATURAL LAW PARTY | NATURAL LW |  |
| W | INDEPENDENT PARTY OF DEL | IND OF DEL | YES |
| Y | THE BLUE ENIGMA PARTY | BLUE ENIGM |  |
| Z | SOCIALIST WORKERS PARTY | SOC WORKER |  |

## School Districts

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| School District | District Name | County |
| AP | Appoquinimink | New Castle |
| BR | Brandywine | New Castle |
| CS | Christina | New Castle |
| CO | Colonial | New Castle |
| RC | Red Clay Consolidated | New Castle |
| CR | Caesar Rodney | Kent |
| CA | Capital | Kent |
| LF | Lake Forest | Kent |
| MF | Milford | Kent / Sussex |
| SM | Smyrna | Kent / New Castle |
| WB | Woodbridge | Sussex |
| CH | Cape Henlopen | Sussex |
| DM | Delmar | Sussex |
| IR | Indian River | Sussex |
| LR | Laurel | Sussex |
| MF | Milford | Sussex |
| SF | Seaford | Sussex |

## Municipalities

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| Municipal Code | Municipal Name | County |
| M01 | Delaware City | New Castle |
| I01 – I06 | Newark | New Castle |
| J01 – J06 | Elsmere | New Castle |
| L01 | City Of New Castle | New Castle |
| Q01 | Townsend | New Castle |
| C01 | Camden | Kent |
| D01-D04 | Dover | Kent |
| F01 | Felton | Kent |
| H01-H06 | Harrington | Kent |
| S01-S03 | Smyrna | Kent |
| W01 | Wyoming | Kent |
| \*99 | Outside City Limits  Note: O99 – Outside city limits of Camden and Wyoming. |  |

## Special Election Voting History Race Codes

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Code | Description |
| LC | KENT LEVY COURT |
| NC | NEW CASTLE COUNTY COUNCIL |
| SC | SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL |
| SR | STATE REPRESENTATIVE |
| SS | STATE SENATE |
| US | US REPRESENTATIVE |

## Voter Status

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Status | Description |
| A | Active Voter. Voter is receiving mail at address on file & is able to vote in all elections for which eligible |
| I | Inactive Voter. Inactive status indicates that mail addressed to voter has been returned as undeliverable. Voter must verify address or vote in order to be returned to active status. Registrations for these voters will be cancelled if the Department has no contact with the voter for two General Elections. |
| E | Voters that are in the process of getting purged. |

## Voter Registration Change Codes

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Code | Remarks |
| A | New voter added to voter registration rolls |
| AV | Address verification card sent to voter |
| C | Voter registration update: Correction/other updates |
| CM | Voter registration update: County transfer |
| CC | Voter requested a party change |
| CR | Polling Place Card sent to voter |
| C1 | Polling Place Card sent to voter |
| C2 | Polling Place Card sent to voter |
| C3 | Polling Place Card sent to voter |
| F2 | Record maintenance. For internal use only. |
| F5 | Record maintenance. For internal use only. |
| MC | Manually set voter status to Active and Hold, and vice versa |
| NC | Voter registration update: Name change |
| NP | Activation pending opening of registration period for new voters. |
| P1 | Voter may be deceased, has moved from state, or has requested cancellation of voter registration.  Registrations for these voters will be cancelled per provisions of Delaware Code.  This also includes those who are inactive and who will have their registrations cancelled if the Department has no contact with them after two General Elections. |
| P2 | Update purge request information |
| P3 | Return voter to Active or Pending status due to administrative error |
| P5 | Voter returned to active status from purged status based on voter activity. |
| P6 | Voters who have been identified as deceased of who have moved out of state & will be deleted. |
| PC | Voter registration update: Party change |
| R | Redistricted (new districts assigned) following reapportionment |
| S | Addition of or correction/update to voter Social Security Number |
| T | Voter registration update: Address change |
| U | Update to voter registration record (e.g., address update) |
| VH | Adding notation of voter participating in an election |
| 10 | Record maintenance. For internal use only. |