

November 7, 2023 General Election Official Canvass Certification Data

FINAL RESULTS

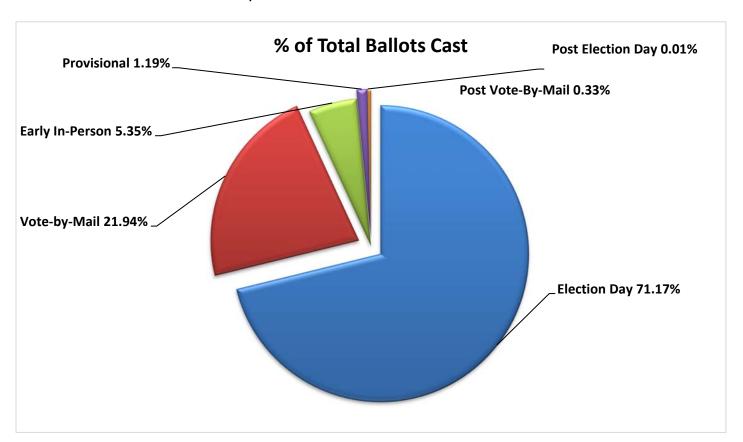
Official Election Results for the November 7, 2023 General Election are attached to the Election Summary Report.

SUMMARY OF OFFICIAL CANVASS

There was a total of 403,221 ballots tabulated for the November 7, 2023 General 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 Cast
Election Day	286,991	71.17%
Vote-by-Mail	88,474	21.94%
Early In-Person	21,588	5.35%
Provisional	4,805	1.19%
Post Election Day	44	0.01%
Post Vote-By-Mail	1319	0.33%

Total 403,221





VOTE-BY-MAIL/EARLY IN-PERSON SUMMARY

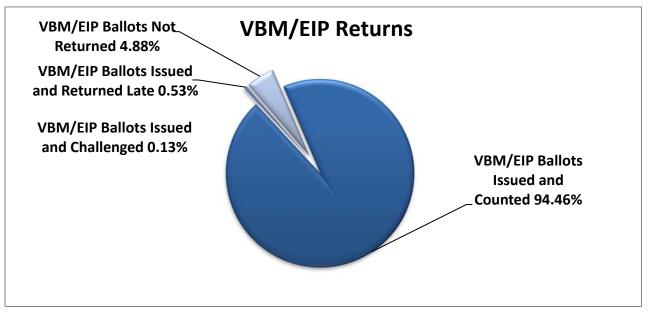
A total of 117,939 ballots were issued during Vote-by-Mail and Early In-Person voting. Of those ballots, 111,404 (94.46%) were returned and counted by the Ballot Department. There were 774 challenged or late VBM/EIP ballots, resulting in a 0.69%* Challenge Rate for this election.

*The Challenge Rate is 0.13% when voters who returned their ballot late are excluded.

VBM/EIP Data	Vote by Mail	Early In-Person	Military and Overseas	Total
Issued	95,850	21,580	509	117,939
Returned and Counted	89,533	21,580	291	111,404
Challenged	146	0	3	149
Returned Late	625	0	0	625
Not Returned	5,546	0	215	5,761

VBM/EIP Data - Challenge Rate	
Overall Return Rate	95.12%
Challenge Rate (Total)	0.69%
Challenge Rate (Late Removed)	0.13%

VBM/EIP Ballots Challenged	Number of Challenged Ballots	% of Total Challenged VBM
ID Invalid	50	33.56%
ID Envelope Not Returned	31	20.81%
Signature Not Provided	25	16.78%
ID Not Provided	21	14.09%
Stub Not Returned With Ballot	10	6.71%
Ballot Not Returned With ID Envelope	6	4.03%
ID Envelope Incomplete	5	3.36%
Signature Invalid	1	0.67%
Total	149	



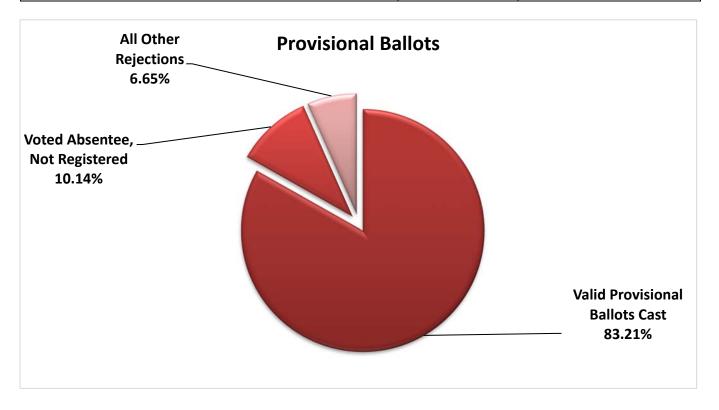


PROVISIONAL VOTING SUMMARY

A total of 5,777 Provisional Ballots were cast during the November 7, 2023 General Election. Of those ballots, 4,807 (83.21%) were valid. 4,805 (2 missing sheet 1s) were tabulated by the Ballot Department. There were 970 invalid Provisional Ballots, resulting in a 16.79%* rejection rate for this election.

^{*}The Provisional Rejection Rate is 6.65% when provisional voters who have already cast a VBM Ballot or are Not Registered are excluded.

Provisional Data		
Total Provisional Ballots Cast	5,777	
Valid Provisional Ballots	4,807	83.21%
Wrong Precinct, Correct Location of Valid Provisionals	69	1.44%
Rejected Provisional Ballots	970	16.79%
Rejection Category	Rejected	% of Total Rejections
Not Registered	541	55.77%
Missing Identification	124	12.78%
Wrong Precinct Wrong Location	94	9.69%
Non-Matching Identification	47	4.85%
Empty Envelope	43	4.43%
Voted Absentee	36	3.71%
Missing Date of Birth	21	2.16%
Non-Matching Signature	17	1.75%
Missing Address	11	1.13%
Voter Voted in Wrong County	10	1.03%
Voted Absentee- Challenge	9	0.93%
No Signature	9	0.93%
Bad Address	6	0.62%
Ballot Already Cast	2	0.21%





BALLOT REMAKES

During the election, 744 ballot sheets were processed in accordance with the CCBOE Adjudication (approved by the Board on August 29, 2023). The overall remake rate for this election was 0.185%. Excluding UOCAVA & Voted For Ineligible Contest, the remake rate for this election was 0.116%.

Ballot Adjudication	Number of Remakes	% of Total Remakes
1 - Ballot folded, torn, or mutilated.	258	34.68%
	250	34.0070
2 - Ballot contains indeterminate marks not made by the voter	3	0.40%
the voter	3	0.40/0
3 - UOCAVA Ballot	275	36.96%
4 - Ballot contains votes for ineligible contest(s).	_	0.00%
	_	0.00%
5 - Inadvertent mark made by the voter, resulting in		
the scanner detecting an over vote or an indeterminate mark.	10	1.34%
	10	1.54/0
6 - Voter marked entire ballot contrary to the instruction listed at the beginning of the ballot.	12	1.61%
	12	1.01%
7 - Voter marked part of the ballot according to the		
ballot marking instructions contained on the ballot,	186	25.00%
and part of the ballot contrary to the instructions. Manual Remake ONLY		
8 - Voter marked part of the ballot in accordance with	Number of Remakes	% of Total Remakes
the ballot marking instructions		
contained on the ballot, and part of the ballot contrary		
to the instructions.	-	0.00%
9 - 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	-	0.00%
10 - Voter filled in an oval next to a candidate for an		
office and also cast a write-in vote for a		
vote for a candidate for the same office by filling in the		
oval of, and the writing in of, the		
name of a write-in candidate.	-	0.00%
Total	744	100.00%

Category	Remakes Removed	Remake Rate
Regular VBM & Provisional Ballot Scanning	469	0.116%
UOCAVA & Voted For Ineligible Contest	275	0.068%
Total	744	0.185%



VOTER HISTORY / BALLOT RECONCILIATION

Nine hundred and sixty seven (967) precincts were involved in this election. Voter History is complete.

Ballot Reconciliation is ongoing.

RECOUNTS

There are six (6) automatic recounts for this election.

- Cuyahoga Heights Village Council
- Brooklyn Heights Village Council
- Brooklyn Mayor
- Gates Mills Village Council
- Rocky River Municipal Court Judge FTC 1/1/2024
- South Euclid/Lyndhurst Board of Education Member

The requested recount deadline is Monday, December 4, 2023 at 4:00 PM.

AUDIT

The post-election audit will be conducted after the completion of automatic and requested recounts.

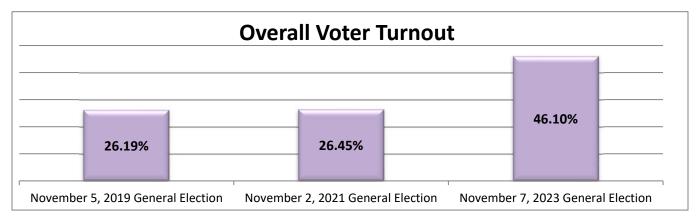
The audit will be conducted using the batch-based risk-limiting audit method.



HISTORICAL DATA

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

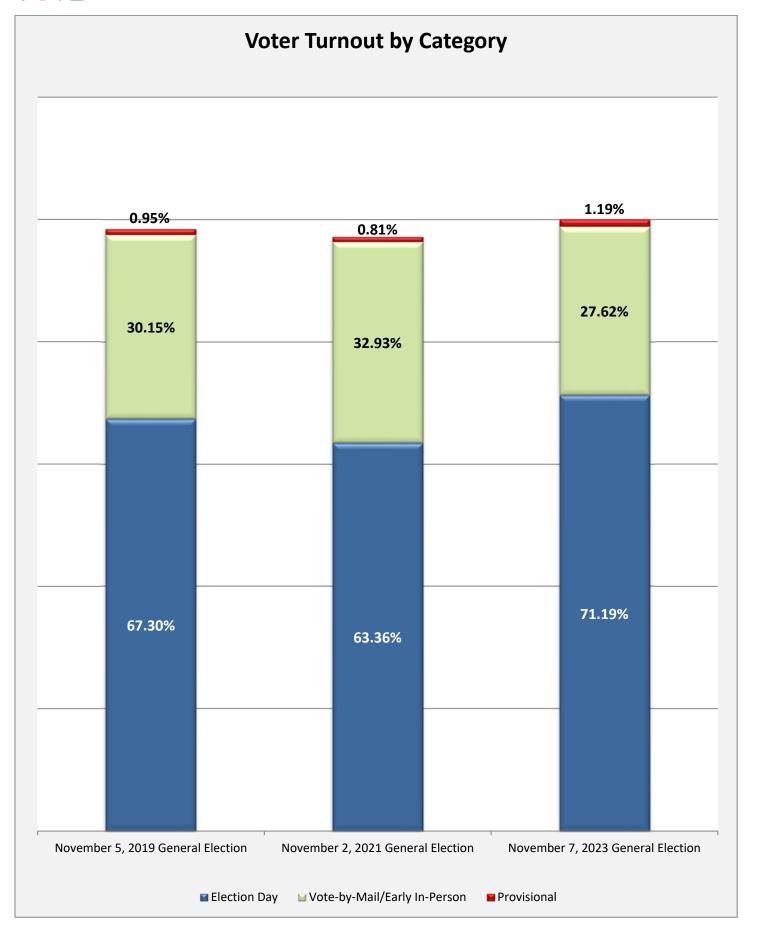
	November 5, 2019 General Election	November 2, 2021 General Election	November 7, 2023 General Election
Precincts	975	975	967
Registered Voters	849,983	877,625	874,705
Ballots Cast - Counted	222,648	232,149	403,221
Election Day	149,806	146,686	286,991
Vote-by-Mail	66,679	75,874	88,474
Early In-Person	3,565	6,711	21,588
Provisional	2105	1,891	4,805
Post Election Day	46	403	44
Post Vote-by-Mail	447	584	1,319
Voter Turnout	26.19%	26.45%	46.10%



Ballots Cast by Category - % of Total Ballots Cast

	November 5, 2019 General Election	November 2, 2021 General Election	November 7, 2023 General Election
Election Day	67.30%	63.36%	71.19%
Vote-by-Mail/Early In-Person	30.15%	32.93%	27.62%
Provisional	0.95%	0.81%	1.19%

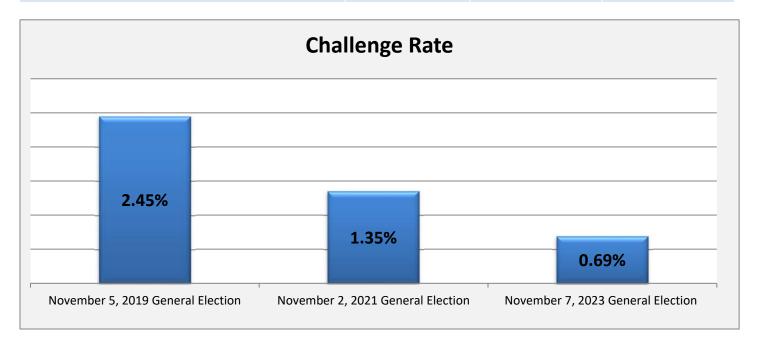


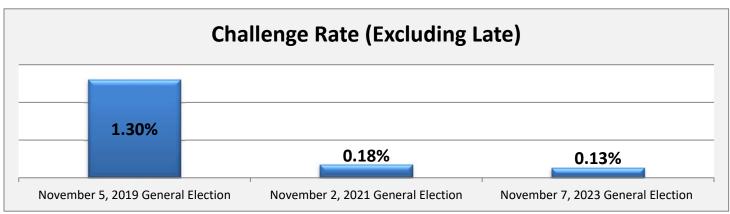




Vote-by-Mail Data

	November 5, 2019 General Election	November 2, 2021 General Election	November 7, 2023 General Election
VBM Ballots Issued	76,935	94,443	117,939
VBM Ballots Returned	71,515	84,305	112,178
VBM Ballots Counted	70,686	83,168	111,404
VBM Ballots Challenged	922	146	149
VBM Ballots Returned Late	829	991	625
VBM Ballots Issued and Returned	92.96%	89.27%	95.12%
VBM Ballots Returned and Counted	98.84%	98.65%	99.31%
VBM Ballots Returned and Challenged	2.45%	1.35%	0.69%
VBM Ballots Issued and Returned Late	1.08%	1.05%	0.53%
VBM Ballots Returned and Challenged (excluding late)	1.30%	0.18%	0.13%







Provisional Data

	November 5, 2019 General Election	November 2, 2021 General Election	November 7, 2023 General Election
Provisional Ballots - CAST	2,340	2,055	5,777
Provisional Ballots - VALID	2,105	1,891	4,807
Provisional Ballots - REJECTED	235	164	970
Valid Provisional Ballots Cast	89.96%	92.02%	83.21%
Rejected Provisional Ballots	10.04%	7.98%	16.79%
VBM Voters	17	26	45
Not Registered In The State of Ohio	134	71	541
Wrong Precinct, Wrong Location	39	28	94
Correct Location Remakes	50	26	69
Rejected Not Including VBM & Not Registered of Ballots Cast	4.31%	4.52%	6.65%
Wrong Precinct, Wrong Location of Ballots Cast	1.67%	1.36%	1.63%

