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DIRECTIVE 2006-81

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ALL COUNTY BOARDS OF ELECTIONS

TO: Members, Directors, and Deputy Directors

ELECTION NIGHT REPORTING REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES

Carefully read the reporting instructions. On general election night, each board of elections shall electronically transmit reports for the following:

1. Statewide candidates,
2. U.S. Congress,
3. State Senate,
4. State House of Representatives,
5. State Board of Education,
6. Supreme Court Justices,
7. Judge of Court of Appeals and
8. State Issues 2-5

On your final report, you must also provide the number of outstanding absentee and provisional ballots and the total number of electors voting.

To transmit your reports, you will use the following link:

<http://www1.sos.state.oh.us/ENWR/login2.jsp>

A major system's breakdown, difficulty in reporting electronically, or other serious problem should be reported immediately to the Elections Division at (614) 466-2585.

SPECIAL NOTE:

1. If due to technical difficulties you are unable to electronically transmit your reports, each county has been assigned a specific fax reporting number. Your county specific report form is enclosed for you to copy and use on election night if you are unable report electronically. We have found that a blue or black pen or a fine marker produces the most easily read copies when sending reports by fax.
2. If you experience problems in faxing to your assigned fax number, please fax your report to 614-752-4360. Please include a cover sheet with the first report using the alternate number explaining the problem or call our Elections Division at 614-466-2585 to report the difficulty.

3. If you experience problems with your fax, you must phone your reports to our office. Call 614-466-2586 or 614-466-2587 to report your results. The telephone operators will be recording results on the election night report forms. Operators will ask for your county name, number of precincts reporting, will read the office and the candidate's last name to you and record your results for each candidate.

Frequency of Reports

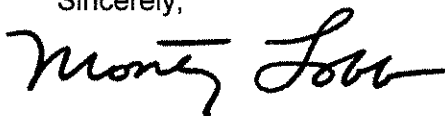
Your first report must be transmitted to us when the first ten precincts have reported. Thereafter, please report results **at least once each hour**, continuing until the final report for all your precincts is provided to our office. All returns must be cumulative (all figures must include the figures previously reported).

Since the statewide tabulation cannot be completed until every county has transmitted a final report, **your board shall not close until your final report that includes outstanding absentee and provisional ballots and the total number of electors voting has been given to this office.** *It is imperative that the Director and Deputy Director take copies of all final vote results home with them and be available if this office must contact them for any reason.*

REMINDER: If you are not the most populous county for a district (office or issue), you must report your county results to the most populous county of an overlapping district before your board office closes. The results may be reported by phone, fax or e-mail. **You must make a final report to the most populous before you close** We request any most populous county board of elections not receiving results from an overlap county to report such non-compliance to our office

If you have any questions regarding this Directive, please contact the Elections Division at (614) 466-2585.

Sincerely,



Monty Lobb
Assistant Secretary of State

Enclosures

November 7, 2006 General Election
Report Form
01 Adams

THIS SHEET MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE PROCEEDING

For all reports, enter number of precincts.

For final report, enter number of precincts, number of outstanding absentee and provisional ballots and total persons voting.

IS THIS A FINAL REPORT?

# of Precincts Reporting	No	 Yes	# of Outstanding Absentee and Provisional Ballots	Total # Persons Voting

FAX TO: 614- 485-7540

Fax only if your board is unable to report electronically.

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Check off list
Problem(s):
Solution(s):
Troubleshooter's Initials:
Correction/Entered

Please fill in all information
No Problem/Entered:
Data Entry Time and Initials:
Verified - Time and Initials:

GOVERNOR AND LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

CANDIDATES

VOTES

BAYS AND FRIES	
BLACKWELL and RAGA	
FITRAKIS and RIOS	
LUNDEEN and BECKER	
PEIRCE and NOBLE	
STRICKLAND and FISHER	

ATTORNEY GENERAL

DANN	
MONTGOMERY	

AUDITOR OF STATE

SYKES	
TAYLOR	

SECRETARY OF STATE

BRUNNER	
EASTMAN	
HARTMANN	
KETTLER	

TREASURER OF STATE

CORDRAY	
O'BRIEN	

U.S. SENATE**CANDIDATES****VOTES**

BROWN	
DEWINE	
DUNCAN	

U.S. REPRESENTATIVE
District #02

CONDIT, JR.	
NOY	
SCHMIDT	
WULSIN	

STATE SENATE
District #14

CANDIDATES**VOTES**

NOT ON BALLOT

STATE REPRESENTATIVE
District #88

BUBP	
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District #89

BOOK	
BRYAN	
KNAUFF	

**STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION
District #10**

NOT ON BALLOT

**SUPREME COURT JUSTICE
January 1, 2007**

O'DONNELL	
O'NEILL	

January 2, 2007

CUPP	
ESPY	

**COURT OF APPEALS
District #04
February 9, 2007**

KLINE	
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February 10, 2007

HARSHA	
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STATE ISSUE 2

YES

NO

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STATE ISSUE 3

YES

NO

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STATE ISSUE 4

YES

NO

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STATE ISSUE 5

YES

NO

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