

N.C. Absentee & Early Voting Statistics for the 2026 General Election

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General Statistics

Total Ballots Cast	31,582
Total Eligible Voters*	7,886,092
Turnout	0.40%

Total Ballots Cast (Absentee/Early Voting)

In-Person Early Voting	0
Civilian (Mail)	25,804
Military (Mail)	640
Overseas (Mail)	5,138
	31,582

Comparison to 2022 General Election

Total ballots cast this time in 2022

Early Voting	0
Civilian, Military, & Overseas	43,638
(Total number of accepted ballots cast)	43,638

Registration Statistics by Party

		%
Democratic	2,333,328	29.59%
Republican	2,330,779	29.56%
Unaffiliated	3,170,267	40.20%
Libertarian	46,694	0.59%
Green	5,024	0.06%
	7,886,092	

Ballots Cast by Party

		Turnout*	Proportion**
Democratic	14,006	0.60%	44.35%
Republican	5,352	0.23%	16.95%
Unaffiliated	12,139	0.38%	38.44%
Libertarian	71	0.15%	0.22%
Green	14	0.28%	0.04%
	31,582		

Registration Statistics by Race

		%
White	4,990,484	63.28%
Black	1,518,323	19.25%
Other	1,377,285	17.46%
	7,886,092	

Ballots Cast by Race

		Turnout*	Proportion**
White	23,366	0.47%	73.99%
Black	3,044	0.20%	9.64%
Other	5,172	0.38%	16.38%
	31,582		

Registration Statistics by Ethnicity

		%
Hispanic or Latino	369,518	4.69%
Not Hispanic or Not Latino	4,957,791	62.87%
Undesignated	2,558,783	32.45%
	7,886,092	

Ballots Cast by Ethnicity

		Turnout*	Proportion**
Hispanic or Latino	688	0.19%	2.18%
Not Hispanic or Not Latino	20,608	0.42%	65.25%
Undesignated	10,286	0.40%	32.57%
	31,582		

Registration Statistics by Gender

		%
Female	3,877,493	49.17%
Male	3,306,908	41.93%
Undesignated	701,691	8.90%
	7,886,092	

Ballots Cast by Gender

		Turnout*	Proportion**
Female	15,944	0.41%	50.48%
Male	13,226	0.40%	41.88%
Undesignated	2,412	0.34%	7.64%
	31,582		

* Turnout = Ballots Cast per Demographic / Registered Voter Count for that Demographic

** Proportion = Ballots Cast per Demographic / Total Ballots Cast

Data Sources: absentee_counts_state_20261103.csv,
absentee_20221108.zip

Ballots Cast by County

	In-Person	Mail			
County	EARLY VOTING	CIVILIAN	MILITARY	OVERSEAS	Total
ALAMANCE	0	420	6	44	470
ALEXANDER	0	41	3	3	47
ALLEGHANY	0	22	0	1	23
ANSON	0	6	0	1	7
ASHE	0	57	0	8	65
AVERY	0	22	0	2	24
BEAUFORT	0	66	0	12	78
BERTIE	0	3	0	0	3
BLADEN	0	28	1	1	30
BRUNSWICK	0	848	7	61	916
BUNCOMBE	0	1,251	16	355	1,622
BURKE	0	174	2	26	202
CABARRUS	0	680	9	55	744
CALDWELL	0	121	1	14	136
CAMDEN	0	10	0	2	12
CARTERET	0	168	6	30	204
CASWELL	0	29	0	2	31
CATAWBA	0	465	5	44	514
CHATHAM	0	497	7	87	591
CHEROKEE	0	76	0	10	86
CHOWAN	0	23	0	1	24
CLAY	0	21	1	2	24
CLEVELAND	0	120	2	12	134
COLUMBUS	0	80	2	1	83
CRAVEN	0	264	13	36	313
CUMBERLAND	0	373	91	84	548
CURRITUCK	0	76	5	3	84
DARE	0	76	3	30	109
DAVIDSON	0	385	6	18	409
DAVIE	0	96	1	13	110
DUPLIN	0	55	2	3	60
DURHAM	0	897	13	471	1,381
EDGECOMBE	0	24	0	7	31
FORSYTH	0	1,175	17	146	1,338
FRANKLIN	0	234	3	16	253
GASTON	0	526	9	48	583
GATES	0	40	2	2	44
GRAHAM	0	34	1	0	35

GRANVILLE	0	99	2	12	113
GREENE	0	71	0	1	72
GUILFORD	0	906	28	229	1,163
HALIFAX	0	57	0	0	57
HARNETT	0	275	24	32	331
HAYWOOD	0	207	2	31	240
HENDERSON	0	521	2	75	598
HERTFORD	0	11	0	2	13
HOKE	0	18	0	2	20
HYDE	0	13	0	0	13
IREDELL	0	441	9	56	506
JACKSON	0	117	1	22	140
JOHNSTON	0	471	19	46	536
JONES	0	7	0	0	7
LEE	0	131	9	17	157
LENOIR	0	84	2	5	91
LINCOLN	0	154	5	16	175
MACON	0	128	0	13	141
MADISON	0	40	0	6	46
MARTIN	0	17	0	3	20
MCDOWELL	0	56	1	8	65
MECKLENBURG	0	2,767	50	697	3,514
MITCHELL	0	18	0	1	19
MONTGOMERY	0	47	0	1	48
MOORE	0	440	33	63	536
NASH	0	108	5	14	127
NEW HANOVER	0	554	10	145	709
NORTHAMPTON	0	18	0	1	19
ONSLOW	0	199	55	36	290
ORANGE	0	554	8	458	1,020
PAMLICO	0	44	0	9	53
PASQUOTANK	0	45	4	7	56
PENDER	0	131	7	8	146
PERQUIMANS	0	35	0	0	35
PERSON	0	94	3	10	107
PITT	0	179	4	39	222
POLK	0	64	1	21	86
RANDOLPH	0	286	7	13	306
RICHMOND	0	24	0	0	24
ROBESON	0	62	1	4	67
ROCKINGHAM	0	93	0	12	105
ROWAN	0	318	3	19	340
RUTHERFORD	0	78	1	12	91
SAMPSON	0	34	0	1	35

SCOTLAND	0	36	0	2	38
STANLY	0	77	2	11	90
STOKES	0	103	1	5	109
SURRY	0	139	1	17	157
SWAIN	0	19	1	3	23
TRANSYLVANIA	0	131	0	35	166
TYRRELL	0	0	0	0	0
UNION	0	531	8	71	610
VANCE	0	65	0	4	69
WAKE	0	4,561	69	1,094	5,724
WARREN	0	33	2	1	36
WASHINGTON	0	9	0	1	10
WATAUGA	0	120	1	52	173
WAYNE	0	121	21	18	160
WILKES	0	168	0	3	171
WILSON	0	91	4	15	110
YADKIN	0	57	0	3	60
YANCEY	0	44	0	5	49
Total	0	25,804	640	5,138	31,582