

N.C. Absentee Ballot Requests for 2020 General Election

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Includes data through 10/29/2020

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Total Number of Requests: 1,453,182

Number of requests received through 10/29/2020 (5 days before election)

Total Number of Requests Received Through 10/27/2020: 1,451,748

The deadline for civilian voters to request an absentee ballot by mail was 10/27/2020

Total Number of Voters with Request(s) Received Through 10/27/2020: 1,359,775

2016 General Election Comparison

Total number of requests received this time in 2016: 238,618

Number of requests received through 11/3/2020 (5 days before election)

Total number of requests received through 11/1/2016: 236,991

The 2016 deadline for civilian voters to request an absentee ballot was 11/1/2016

NOTE: Data in the following tables reflect the total number of requests received.

Table 1. Number of Requests by Voter Party Affiliation (2020)

Party	Requests
CONSTITUTION	500
DEMOCRATIC	668,269
GREEN	934
LIBERTARIAN	6,814
REPUBLICAN	287,552
UNAFFILIATED	489,113
Grand Total	1,453,182

Table 2. Number of Requests per County (2020)

County	Requests
ALAMANCE	22,161
ALEXANDER	2,501
ALLEGHANY	977
ANSON	1,401
ASHE	2,674
AVERY	1,287
BEAUFORT	4,453
BERTIE	1,416
BLADEN	2,067
BRUNSWICK	26,487
BUNCOMBE	56,658
BURKE	7,725
CABARRUS	31,131
CALDWELL	6,530
CAMDEN	739
CARTERET	7,512
CASWELL	1,992
CATAWBA	15,023
CHATHAM	16,875
CHEROKEE	2,764
CHOWAN	1,183
CLAY	1,041
CLEVELAND	8,167
COLUMBUS	3,753
CRAVEN	13,056
CUMBERLAND	37,157
CURRITUCK	2,474
DARE	5,177
DAVIDSON	16,306
DAVIE	4,211
DUPLIN	3,227
DURHAM	70,169
EDGECOMBE	3,985
FORSYTH	67,607
FRANKLIN	7,359
GASTON	23,986
GATES	847
GRAHAM	484
GRANVILLE	6,576
GREENE	1,273
GUILFORD	76,796
HALIFAX	4,224
HARNETT	12,335

HAYWOOD	8,273
HENDERSON	20,863
HERTFORD	1,543
HOKE	4,520
HYDE	323
IREDELL	22,445
JACKSON	3,965
JOHNSTON	23,343
JONES	655
LEE	5,970
LENOIR	4,990
LINCOLN	8,372
MACON	4,599
MADISON	2,594
MARTIN	1,907
MCDOWELL	3,716
MECKLENBURG	203,998
MITCHELL	1,314
MONTGOMERY	1,549
MOORE	14,852
NASH	8,133
NEW HANOVER	41,370
NORTHAMPTON	1,447
ONSLOW	14,424
ORANGE	36,629
PAMLICO	1,325
PASQUOTANK	4,229
PENDER	6,086
PERQUIMANS	1,035
PERSON	3,651
PITT	17,702
POLK	3,364
RANDOLPH	11,675
RICHMOND	2,798
ROBESON	6,482
ROCKINGHAM	6,851
ROWAN	13,079
RUTHERFORD	6,087
SAMPSON	4,321
SCOTLAND	2,562
STANLY	4,742
STOKES	3,651
SURRY	7,115
SWAIN	977
TRANSYLVANIA	5,332
TYRRELL	153
UNION	27,380

VANCE	3,597
WAKE	244,971
WARREN	1,919
WASHINGTON	901
WATAUGA	7,532
WAYNE	10,135
WILKES	5,801
WILSON	7,018
YADKIN	2,905
YANCEY	2,246
Grand Total	1,453,182

Table 3. Number of Requests per County, broken down by Voter Party Affiliation (2020)

County, Party	Requests
ALAMANCE	22,161
CONSTITUTION	7
DEMOCRATIC	10,550
GREEN	8
LIBERTARIAN	87
REPUBLICAN	4,883
UNAFFILIATED	6,626
ALEXANDER	2,501
DEMOCRATIC	990
LIBERTARIAN	6
REPUBLICAN	760
UNAFFILIATED	745
ALLEGHANY	977
CONSTITUTION	1
DEMOCRATIC	440
GREEN	3
LIBERTARIAN	3
REPUBLICAN	247
UNAFFILIATED	283
ANSON	1,401
DEMOCRATIC	952
GREEN	2
LIBERTARIAN	2
REPUBLICAN	180
UNAFFILIATED	265
ASHE	2,674
CONSTITUTION	2
DEMOCRATIC	1,050

LIBERTARIAN	7
REPUBLICAN	837
UNAFFILIATED	778
AVERY	1,287
DEMOCRATIC	305
GREEN	2
LIBERTARIAN	7
REPUBLICAN	556
UNAFFILIATED	417
BEAUFORT	4,453
CONSTITUTION	3
DEMOCRATIC	2,229
GREEN	4
LIBERTARIAN	16
REPUBLICAN	962
UNAFFILIATED	1,239
BERTIE	1,416
DEMOCRATIC	1,125
GREEN	1
LIBERTARIAN	2
REPUBLICAN	109
UNAFFILIATED	179
BLADEN	2,067
DEMOCRATIC	1,258
LIBERTARIAN	8
REPUBLICAN	314
UNAFFILIATED	487
BRUNSWICK	26,487
CONSTITUTION	3
DEMOCRATIC	10,018
GREEN	3
LIBERTARIAN	88
REPUBLICAN	6,859
UNAFFILIATED	9,516
BUNCOMBE	56,658
CONSTITUTION	15
DEMOCRATIC	29,550
GREEN	59
LIBERTARIAN	241
REPUBLICAN	6,605
UNAFFILIATED	20,188
BURKE	7,725
CONSTITUTION	3
DEMOCRATIC	3,358
GREEN	5
LIBERTARIAN	36
REPUBLICAN	2,019

UNAFFILIATED	2,304
CABARRUS	31,131
CONSTITUTION	9
DEMOCRATIC	12,304
GREEN	27
LIBERTARIAN	164
REPUBLICAN	7,597
UNAFFILIATED	11,030
CALDWELL	6,530
CONSTITUTION	2
DEMOCRATIC	2,364
GREEN	5
LIBERTARIAN	31
REPUBLICAN	2,248
UNAFFILIATED	1,880
CAMDEN	739
CONSTITUTION	1
DEMOCRATIC	255
LIBERTARIAN	6
REPUBLICAN	183
UNAFFILIATED	294
CARTERET	7,512
CONSTITUTION	3
DEMOCRATIC	2,785
GREEN	5
LIBERTARIAN	29
REPUBLICAN	2,126
UNAFFILIATED	2,564
CASWELL	1,992
DEMOCRATIC	1,114
LIBERTARIAN	2
REPUBLICAN	394
UNAFFILIATED	482
CATAWBA	15,023
CONSTITUTION	7
DEMOCRATIC	5,330
GREEN	8
LIBERTARIAN	63
REPUBLICAN	4,418
UNAFFILIATED	5,197
CHATHAM	16,875
CONSTITUTION	5
DEMOCRATIC	7,776
GREEN	7
LIBERTARIAN	45
REPUBLICAN	2,360
UNAFFILIATED	6,682

CHEROKEE	2,764
CONSTITUTION	1
DEMOCRATIC	925
LIBERTARIAN	15
REPUBLICAN	974
UNAFFILIATED	849
CHOWAN	1,183
CONSTITUTION	1
DEMOCRATIC	659
LIBERTARIAN	7
REPUBLICAN	210
UNAFFILIATED	306
CLAY	1,041
DEMOCRATIC	357
LIBERTARIAN	3
REPUBLICAN	315
UNAFFILIATED	366
CLEVELAND	8,167
CONSTITUTION	7
DEMOCRATIC	3,944
GREEN	2
LIBERTARIAN	35
REPUBLICAN	2,122
UNAFFILIATED	2,057
COLUMBUS	3,753
CONSTITUTION	1
DEMOCRATIC	2,337
GREEN	2
LIBERTARIAN	7
REPUBLICAN	588
UNAFFILIATED	818
CRAVEN	13,056
CONSTITUTION	5
DEMOCRATIC	5,614
GREEN	7
LIBERTARIAN	67
REPUBLICAN	3,195
UNAFFILIATED	4,168
CUMBERLAND	37,157
CONSTITUTION	22
DEMOCRATIC	20,349
GREEN	27
LIBERTARIAN	244
REPUBLICAN	6,133
UNAFFILIATED	10,382
CURRITUCK	2,474
CONSTITUTION	1

DEMOCRATIC	745
GREEN	3
LIBERTARIAN	30
REPUBLICAN	705
UNAFFILIATED	990
DARE	5,177
CONSTITUTION	1
DEMOCRATIC	2,020
GREEN	3
LIBERTARIAN	26
REPUBLICAN	1,173
UNAFFILIATED	1,954
DAVIDSON	16,306
CONSTITUTION	5
DEMOCRATIC	5,497
GREEN	7
LIBERTARIAN	71
REPUBLICAN	6,097
UNAFFILIATED	4,629
DAVIE	4,211
CONSTITUTION	2
DEMOCRATIC	1,229
LIBERTARIAN	23
REPUBLICAN	1,576
UNAFFILIATED	1,381
DUPLIN	3,227
DEMOCRATIC	1,915
GREEN	4
LIBERTARIAN	11
REPUBLICAN	547
UNAFFILIATED	750
DURHAM	70,169
CONSTITUTION	9
DEMOCRATIC	40,179
GREEN	46
LIBERTARIAN	255
REPUBLICAN	5,535
UNAFFILIATED	24,145
EDGECOMBE	3,985
CONSTITUTION	1
DEMOCRATIC	3,009
GREEN	1
LIBERTARIAN	5
REPUBLICAN	465
UNAFFILIATED	504
FORSYTH	67,607
CONSTITUTION	21

DEMOCRATIC	32,214
GREEN	38
LIBERTARIAN	197
REPUBLICAN	14,840
UNAFFILIATED	20,297
FRANKLIN	7,359
CONSTITUTION	2
DEMOCRATIC	3,572
GREEN	5
LIBERTARIAN	47
REPUBLICAN	1,513
UNAFFILIATED	2,220
GASTON	23,986
CONSTITUTION	14
DEMOCRATIC	9,780
GREEN	18
LIBERTARIAN	117
REPUBLICAN	6,749
UNAFFILIATED	7,308
GATES	847
CONSTITUTION	1
DEMOCRATIC	522
LIBERTARIAN	1
REPUBLICAN	135
UNAFFILIATED	188
GRAHAM	484
DEMOCRATIC	167
LIBERTARIAN	4
REPUBLICAN	192
UNAFFILIATED	121
GRANVILLE	6,576
CONSTITUTION	2
DEMOCRATIC	3,390
GREEN	3
LIBERTARIAN	32
REPUBLICAN	1,231
UNAFFILIATED	1,918
GREENE	1,273
DEMOCRATIC	868
GREEN	3
LIBERTARIAN	2
REPUBLICAN	155
UNAFFILIATED	245
GUILFORD	76,796
CONSTITUTION	20
DEMOCRATIC	39,416
GREEN	36

LIBERTARIAN	291
REPUBLICAN	14,374
UNAFFILIATED	22,659
HALIFAX	4,224
CONSTITUTION	2
DEMOCRATIC	3,032
LIBERTARIAN	7
REPUBLICAN	390
UNAFFILIATED	793
HARNETT	12,335
CONSTITUTION	5
DEMOCRATIC	5,327
GREEN	11
LIBERTARIAN	75
REPUBLICAN	3,231
UNAFFILIATED	3,686
HAYWOOD	8,273
DEMOCRATIC	4,116
GREEN	4
LIBERTARIAN	35
REPUBLICAN	1,624
UNAFFILIATED	2,494
HENDERSON	20,863
CONSTITUTION	7
DEMOCRATIC	7,122
GREEN	21
LIBERTARIAN	72
REPUBLICAN	4,976
UNAFFILIATED	8,665
HERTFORD	1,543
DEMOCRATIC	1,184
GREEN	2
LIBERTARIAN	3
REPUBLICAN	103
UNAFFILIATED	251
HOKE	4,520
CONSTITUTION	6
DEMOCRATIC	2,385
GREEN	5
LIBERTARIAN	41
REPUBLICAN	706
UNAFFILIATED	1,377
HYDE	323
DEMOCRATIC	189
GREEN	1
LIBERTARIAN	3
REPUBLICAN	26

UNAFFILIATED	104
IREDELL	22,445
CONSTITUTION	7
DEMOCRATIC	7,630
GREEN	12
LIBERTARIAN	118
REPUBLICAN	6,720
UNAFFILIATED	7,958
JACKSON	3,965
CONSTITUTION	1
DEMOCRATIC	1,889
GREEN	5
LIBERTARIAN	17
REPUBLICAN	722
UNAFFILIATED	1,331
JOHNSTON	23,343
CONSTITUTION	19
DEMOCRATIC	9,903
GREEN	14
LIBERTARIAN	147
REPUBLICAN	5,473
UNAFFILIATED	7,787
JONES	655
CONSTITUTION	2
DEMOCRATIC	323
GREEN	1
LIBERTARIAN	4
REPUBLICAN	167
UNAFFILIATED	158
LEE	5,970
CONSTITUTION	5
DEMOCRATIC	3,013
GREEN	2
LIBERTARIAN	30
REPUBLICAN	1,184
UNAFFILIATED	1,736
LENOIR	4,990
CONSTITUTION	1
DEMOCRATIC	3,330
GREEN	1
LIBERTARIAN	12
REPUBLICAN	755
UNAFFILIATED	891
LINCOLN	8,372
CONSTITUTION	8
DEMOCRATIC	2,744
GREEN	4

LIBERTARIAN	43
REPUBLICAN	2,731
UNAFFILIATED	2,842
MACON	4,599
CONSTITUTION	3
DEMOCRATIC	1,719
GREEN	6
LIBERTARIAN	20
REPUBLICAN	1,391
UNAFFILIATED	1,460
MADISON	2,594
DEMOCRATIC	1,328
GREEN	3
LIBERTARIAN	4
REPUBLICAN	378
UNAFFILIATED	881
MARTIN	1,907
CONSTITUTION	1
DEMOCRATIC	1,288
GREEN	1
LIBERTARIAN	3
REPUBLICAN	249
UNAFFILIATED	365
MCDOWELL	3,716
DEMOCRATIC	1,606
GREEN	4
LIBERTARIAN	18
REPUBLICAN	967
UNAFFILIATED	1,121
MECKLENBURG	203,998
CONSTITUTION	67
DEMOCRATIC	94,582
GREEN	122
LIBERTARIAN	1,037
REPUBLICAN	35,316
UNAFFILIATED	72,874
MITCHELL	1,314
DEMOCRATIC	289
GREEN	1
LIBERTARIAN	1
REPUBLICAN	605
UNAFFILIATED	418
MONTGOMERY	1,549
CONSTITUTION	1
DEMOCRATIC	691
GREEN	2
LIBERTARIAN	9

REPUBLICAN	416
UNAFFILIATED	430
MOORE	14,852
CONSTITUTION	6
DEMOCRATIC	5,031
GREEN	5
LIBERTARIAN	82
REPUBLICAN	4,428
UNAFFILIATED	5,300
NASH	8,133
DEMOCRATIC	4,701
GREEN	6
LIBERTARIAN	34
REPUBLICAN	1,565
UNAFFILIATED	1,827
NEW HANOVER	41,370
CONSTITUTION	12
DEMOCRATIC	18,160
GREEN	43
LIBERTARIAN	231
REPUBLICAN	8,401
UNAFFILIATED	14,523
NORTHAMPTON	1,447
CONSTITUTION	1
DEMOCRATIC	1,016
LIBERTARIAN	5
REPUBLICAN	118
UNAFFILIATED	307
ONslow	14,424
CONSTITUTION	15
DEMOCRATIC	5,226
GREEN	23
LIBERTARIAN	168
REPUBLICAN	4,050
UNAFFILIATED	4,942
ORANGE	36,629
CONSTITUTION	5
DEMOCRATIC	20,842
GREEN	28
LIBERTARIAN	121
REPUBLICAN	2,404
UNAFFILIATED	13,229
PAMLICO	1,325
CONSTITUTION	2
DEMOCRATIC	659
LIBERTARIAN	6
REPUBLICAN	277

UNAFFILIATED	381
PASQUOTANK	4,229
CONSTITUTION	1
DEMOCRATIC	2,289
GREEN	6
LIBERTARIAN	18
REPUBLICAN	669
UNAFFILIATED	1,246
PENDER	6,086
CONSTITUTION	2
DEMOCRATIC	2,432
GREEN	3
LIBERTARIAN	37
REPUBLICAN	1,578
UNAFFILIATED	2,034
PERQUIMANS	1,035
CONSTITUTION	2
DEMOCRATIC	484
GREEN	1
LIBERTARIAN	2
REPUBLICAN	210
UNAFFILIATED	336
PERSON	3,651
DEMOCRATIC	1,985
LIBERTARIAN	13
REPUBLICAN	662
UNAFFILIATED	991
PITT	17,702
CONSTITUTION	3
DEMOCRATIC	9,792
GREEN	14
LIBERTARIAN	96
REPUBLICAN	2,830
UNAFFILIATED	4,967
POLK	3,364
CONSTITUTION	1
DEMOCRATIC	1,299
GREEN	3
LIBERTARIAN	11
REPUBLICAN	704
UNAFFILIATED	1,346
RANDOLPH	11,675
CONSTITUTION	3
DEMOCRATIC	3,918
GREEN	5
LIBERTARIAN	63
REPUBLICAN	4,405

UNAFFILIATED	3,281
RICHMOND	2,798
DEMOCRATIC	1,644
GREEN	1
LIBERTARIAN	8
REPUBLICAN	458
UNAFFILIATED	687
ROBESON	6,482
CONSTITUTION	1
DEMOCRATIC	4,100
GREEN	4
LIBERTARIAN	18
REPUBLICAN	834
UNAFFILIATED	1,525
ROCKINGHAM	6,851
CONSTITUTION	5
DEMOCRATIC	3,303
GREEN	3
LIBERTARIAN	25
REPUBLICAN	1,798
UNAFFILIATED	1,717
ROWAN	13,079
CONSTITUTION	5
DEMOCRATIC	4,999
GREEN	12
LIBERTARIAN	60
REPUBLICAN	3,984
UNAFFILIATED	4,019
RUTHERFORD	6,087
DEMOCRATIC	2,440
GREEN	4
LIBERTARIAN	25
REPUBLICAN	1,791
UNAFFILIATED	1,827
SAMPSON	4,321
CONSTITUTION	2
DEMOCRATIC	2,435
GREEN	2
LIBERTARIAN	15
REPUBLICAN	1,041
UNAFFILIATED	826
SCOTLAND	2,562
DEMOCRATIC	1,518
LIBERTARIAN	3
REPUBLICAN	376
UNAFFILIATED	665
STANLY	4,742

CONSTITUTION	3
DEMOCRATIC	1,787
GREEN	4
LIBERTARIAN	14
REPUBLICAN	1,632
UNAFFILIATED	1,302
STOKES	3,651
CONSTITUTION	2
DEMOCRATIC	1,233
GREEN	2
LIBERTARIAN	11
REPUBLICAN	1,450
UNAFFILIATED	953
SURRY	7,115
CONSTITUTION	1
DEMOCRATIC	3,085
GREEN	6
LIBERTARIAN	23
REPUBLICAN	2,262
UNAFFILIATED	1,738
SWAIN	977
CONSTITUTION	1
DEMOCRATIC	444
GREEN	4
LIBERTARIAN	6
REPUBLICAN	207
UNAFFILIATED	315
TRANSYLVANIA	5,332
CONSTITUTION	3
DEMOCRATIC	2,080
LIBERTARIAN	11
REPUBLICAN	983
UNAFFILIATED	2,255
TYRRELL	153
DEMOCRATIC	96
REPUBLICAN	17
UNAFFILIATED	40
UNION	27,380
CONSTITUTION	8
DEMOCRATIC	9,638
GREEN	20
LIBERTARIAN	151
REPUBLICAN	7,464
UNAFFILIATED	10,099
VANCE	3,597
CONSTITUTION	2
DEMOCRATIC	2,499

LIBERTARIAN	19
REPUBLICAN	461
UNAFFILIATED	616
WAKE	244,971
CONSTITUTION	80
DEMOCRATIC	104,404
GREEN	144
LIBERTARIAN	1,339
REPUBLICAN	40,626
UNAFFILIATED	98,378
WARREN	1,919
DEMOCRATIC	1,319
LIBERTARIAN	5
REPUBLICAN	263
UNAFFILIATED	332
WASHINGTON	901
DEMOCRATIC	657
LIBERTARIAN	3
REPUBLICAN	94
UNAFFILIATED	147
WATAUGA	7,532
DEMOCRATIC	3,005
GREEN	9
LIBERTARIAN	31
REPUBLICAN	1,357
UNAFFILIATED	3,130
WAYNE	10,135
CONSTITUTION	6
DEMOCRATIC	5,515
GREEN	8
LIBERTARIAN	68
REPUBLICAN	2,226
UNAFFILIATED	2,312
WILKES	5,801
CONSTITUTION	8
DEMOCRATIC	2,105
GREEN	2
LIBERTARIAN	24
REPUBLICAN	2,284
UNAFFILIATED	1,378
WILSON	7,018
CONSTITUTION	2
DEMOCRATIC	4,013
GREEN	3
LIBERTARIAN	23
REPUBLICAN	1,335
UNAFFILIATED	1,642

YADKIN	2,905
CONSTITUTION	6
DEMOCRATIC	849
GREEN	2
LIBERTARIAN	9
REPUBLICAN	1,204
UNAFFILIATED	835
YANCEY	2,246
DEMOCRATIC	1,116
GREEN	1
LIBERTARIAN	4
REPUBLICAN	493
UNAFFILIATED	632
Grand Total	1,453,182

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