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TO: Members of the Joint Legislative Elections Oversight Committee and the Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on General Government; and the Fiscal Research Division

FROM: Karen Brinson Bell, Executive Director

RE: Annual List-Maintenance Report Pursuant to G.S. § 163-82.14(f)

DATE: September 29, 2023

The following report is submitted pursuant to G.S. § 163-82.14(f) and G.S. § 120-308, which require the State Board of Elections to compile annual list-maintenance reports received from each county board of elections and submit a compiled report to the above-named committees and the Fiscal Research Division on or before October 1 of each year.

To compile this data, the State Board identified each record of a registrant on the statewide voter registration system who was removed from the rolls during the reporting period. For each such record, the data reported provides the last reason for a list-maintenance action, as indicated in the State's election information management database. As a consequence, due to the limitations in the capabilities of the database, this report does not reflect situations in which a registrant was removed due to one list-maintenance reason (e.g., felony conviction), but then a subsequent list-maintenance action has superseded that original removal reason in the database (e.g., felony sentence completion). It also does not reflect registrants who were removed during the past year but were subsequently reinstated by re-registering according to the eligibility criteria in law.

Descriptions of the columns in the attached report are as follows:

- Deceased – Voter was removed because the county board of elections received notification of the voter's death either by a government entity or by the voter's near relative (G.S. § 163-82.14(b)).
- Felony Conviction – Voter was removed because the county board of elections received official notification that the voter was convicted of a State or federal felony (G.S. § 163-82.14(c)).
- Felony Sentence Completed – As noted above, for many voters who are initially removed due to felony conviction, if they subsequently become eligible during the reporting period, their record will reflect this reason rather than felony conviction.

- Moved within State – Voter was removed due to the statewide duplicate check; voter registered in another North Carolina county and was matched to a registered voter in a previous county. (G.S. § 163-82.14(d)).
- Moved from State – Voter was removed because the county board of elections received notification of voter’s registration in another state (G.S. § 163-82.14(d)).
- Moved from County – Voter was removed because the county board of elections received notification of voter’s registration in another North Carolina county (G.S. § 163-82.14(d)).
- Voluntarily Cancelled – Voter was removed at his or her signed request (G.S. § 163-82.14(a)).
- Administrative Removals – Voter was removed due to an administrative action taken by the county board of elections (G.S. § 163-82.14(a)).
- Sustained Challenge – Voter was removed due to a sustained voter challenge under Article 8 of Chapter 163 of the General Statutes.
- Removed Duplicates – Voter was removed because the record matched an existing registered voter (G.S. § 163-82.14(a)).
- Biennial List Maintenance – Voter was removed after remaining in inactive status for two federal general election periods pursuant to G.S. 163-82.14(d)(2) and Section 8 of the National Voter Registration Act (NVRA). Removals for this reason typically occur during the first half of odd-numbered years, in accordance with G.S. 163-82.14(a).

COUNTY	DECEASED	FELONY CONVICTION	FELONY SENTENCE COMPLETED	MOVED WITHIN STATE	MOVED FROM STATE	MOVED FROM COUNTY	VOLUNTARILY CANCELLED	ADMINISTRATIVE REMOVALS	SUSTAINED CHALLENGES	REMOVED DUPLICATES	BIENNIAL LIST MAINTENANCE	TOTAL
ALAMANCE	1373	174	0	2429	183	405	21	0	0	740	3731	9056
ALEXANDER	390	34	3	496	19	54	7	1	0	12	528	1544
ALLEGHANY	141	12	3	101	17	11	1	1	0	24	103	414
ANSON	173	12	0	188	1	21	0	0	0	206	81	682
ASHE	286	44	0	320	43	40	0	0	0	56	434	1223
AVERY	57	0	0	216	42	53	1	1	0	14	362	746
BEAUFORT	466	59	15	518	50	104	4	1	0	28	180	1425
BERTIE	187	0	0	152	5	41	0	0	0	52	371	808
BLADEN	345	49	3	338	14	61	0	3	0	40	130	983
BRUNSWICK	1512	199	7	2074	426	341	0	15	0	356	3948	8878
BUNCOMBE	1932	250	27	4253	1054	569	57	4	0	228	9915	18289
BURKE	909	117	9	1012	57	192	1	0	0	134	1839	4270
CABARRUS	1312	166	14	4320	314	397	1	21	0	338	5083	11966
CALDWELL	808	115	1	890	57	88	0	2	0	84	1526	3571
CAMDEN	51	11	0	177	26	25	0	5	0	14	80	389
CARTERET	825	111	7	1183	136	133	11	1	0	150	468	3025
CASWELL	235	29	0	230	8	26	0	1	0	39	502	1070
CATAWBA	1474	211	0	2261	211	258	10	9	0	273	3292	7999
CHATHAM	670	41	6	1415	160	194	14	0	0	104	1442	4046
CHEROKEE	247	9	0	219	144	18	12	1	0	28	1023	1701
CHOWAN	172	25	0	172	28	25	0	3	0	13	44	482
CLAY	119	0	0	107	53	18	15	0	0	10	361	683
CLEVELAND	1002	28	11	961	87	165	6	2	0	144	2398	4804
COLUMBUS	482	159	9	435	70	158	0	1	0	177	1150	2641
CRAVEN	880	153	0	1283	210	226	10	3	0	188	1008	3961
CUMBERLAND	1967	345	39	3328	450	607	46	1	0	296	6296	13375
CURRITUCK	33	0	0	302	54	25	0	2	0	30	235	681
DARE	298	26	1	520	125	29	12	0	0	133	174	1318

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DAVIDSON	1510	198	13	2251	123	24	11	0	0	228	3039	7397
DAVIE	489	19	4	690	46	112	1	3	0	55	768	2187
DUPLIN	435	79	0	532	16	88	0	3	0	191	903	2247
DURHAM	1765	323	17	7481	1066	1465	109	3	0	864	10699	23792
EDGECOMBE	528	95	19	646	15	144	0	2	0	35	1157	2641
FORSYTH	2978	573	90	5569	529	1024	73	1	0	695	14285	25817
FRANKLIN	521	64	7	1217	84	177	2	1	0	32	1425	3530
GASTON	1833	221	13	2972	309	341	29	8	0	156	4945	10827
GATES	82	0	0	87	4	27	3	1	0	26	341	571
GRAHAM	89	1	0	62	9	11	0	0	0	21	161	354
GRANVILLE	408	51	5	887	64	132	1	7	0	34	1158	2747
GREENE	186	28	0	177	7	39	0	0	0	0	92	529
GUILFORD	4000	544	5	8006	988	1524	79	13	0	2093	12953	30205
HALIFAX	815	22	0	480	46	258	1	0	0	214	1539	3375
HARNETT	817	145	15	2017	155	336	6	8	0	132	2713	6344
HAYWOOD	713	50	2	645	477	101	6	0	0	57	1148	3199
HENDERSON	1294	103	13	1477	415	206	47	1	0	28	2983	6567
HERTFORD	212	0	0	173	16	8	0	0	0	45	600	1054
HOKE	268	0	0	783	28	75	0	2	0	41	1893	3090
HYDE	27	1	0	54	5	5	0	0	0	6	7	105
IREDELL	1334	203	0	3076	361	376	0	21	0	105	3437	8913
JACKSON	334	31	0	803	75	267	9	3	0	94	1191	2807
JOHNSTON	1275	217	27	3699	261	373	27	16	0	390	4929	11214
JONES	89	16	0	136	3	76	0	5	0	23	52	400
LEE	471	73	7	937	68	118	5	2	0	95	1193	2969
LENOIR	587	104	6	603	27	103	2	2	0	144	231	1809
LINCOLN	638	9	0	1506	106	158	4	25	0	61	2052	4559
MACON	456	56	0	302	93	60	12	1	0	10	892	1882

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MADISON	223	41	0	319	65	67	3	1	0	38	821	1578
MARTIN	292	7	0	242	7	51	0	1	0	12	500	1112
MCDOWELL	414	79	0	534	43	78	1	1	0	81	851	2082
MECKLENBURG	4881	607	8	16138	2991	2224	234	12	0	1986	52397	81478
MITCHELL	158	1	0	170	28	31	1	4	0	20	297	710
MONTGOMERY	69	0	0	360	6	29	1	0	0	21	558	1044
MOORE	1072	92	0	1183	163	1331	180	3	0	100	2282	6406
NASH	863	91	0	1320	66	220	1	3	0	54	2316	4934
NEW HANOVER	1628	47	0	4523	555	695	50	2	0	354	7663	15517
NORTHAMPTON	181	3	0	181	6	28	1	0	0	14	502	916
ONslow	966	37	3	1932	244	355	19	0	0	385	2339	6280
ORANGE	744	78	0	4231	494	835	58	1	0	93	5212	11746
PAMLICO	142	0	0	164	18	51	0	1	0	19	75	470
PASQUOTANK	260	35	0	453	48	102	3	2	0	129	483	1515
PENDER	535	20	1	1128	0	254	10	3	0	10	1597	3558
PERQUIMANS	167	14	0	174	29	27	3	0	0	27	249	690
PERSON	386	50	12	407	35	67	0	6	0	20	752	1735
PITT	1039	176	0	2933	191	611	20	8	0	348	1629	6955
POLK	197	16	2	251	49	49	9	1	0	10	591	1175
RANDOLPH	1209	138	15	1679	69	159	6	1	0	266	3079	6621
RICHMOND	486	75	6	288	16	33	0	2	0	158	196	1260
ROBESON	1131	0	0	697	46	229	0	1	0	390	781	3275
ROCKINGHAM	931	110	34	850	89	103	1	6	0	125	1814	4063
ROWAN	1316	178	0	1864	131	77	10	2	0	176	3365	7119
RUTHERFORD	640	33	3	572	62	116	5	0	0	94	1626	3151
SAMPSON	505	4	0	598	15	75	0	1	0	230	1159	2587
SCOTLAND	423	7	0	273	16	61	1	0	0	100	182	1063
STANLY	647	75	3	745	13	142	3	2	0	78	1183	2891

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STOKES	497	40	0	597	41	71	4	0	0	57	825	2132
SURRY	759	108	7	651	57	93	2	5	0	120	1265	3067
SWAIN	169	3	0	143	21	57	0	2	0	15	458	868
TRANSYLVANIA	425	37	8	409	74	52	14	1	0	46	1136	2202
TYRRELL	27	0	0	37	0	1	0	0	0	25	10	100
UNION	1197	126	14	3312	495	449	51	1	0	9	1471	7125
VANCE	409	56	2	453	21	86	5	0	1	50	1183	2266
WAKE	5260	788	0	19774	2283	2936	241	13	0	2127	25558	58980
WARREN	198	18	0	202	18	52	0	1	0	15	356	860
WASHINGTON	110	7	0	107	11	32	0	0	0	8	338	613
WATAUGA	336	41	0	1953	191	287	13	2	0	554	2582	5959
WAYNE	1032	130	0	1111	79	186	10	0	0	52	3042	5642
WILKES	660	99	16	585	49	55	4	1	0	44	1027	2540
WILSON	646	35	0	1013	45	137	2	1	0	160	1584	3623
YADKIN	382	46	6	493	12	46	0	0	0	26	534	1545
YANCEY	204	8	0	183	22	53	3	0	0	53	657	1183
TOTALS	76316	9161	538	152400	18354	24605	1625	297	1	18485	260015	561797