

# 154-DAY REPORT OF REGISTRATION

## September 4, 2007 for the February 5, 2008 Presidential Primary Election

### HISTORICAL REGISTRATION STATISTICS FOR 154-DAY CLOSE

#### TOTAL VOTER REGISTRATION

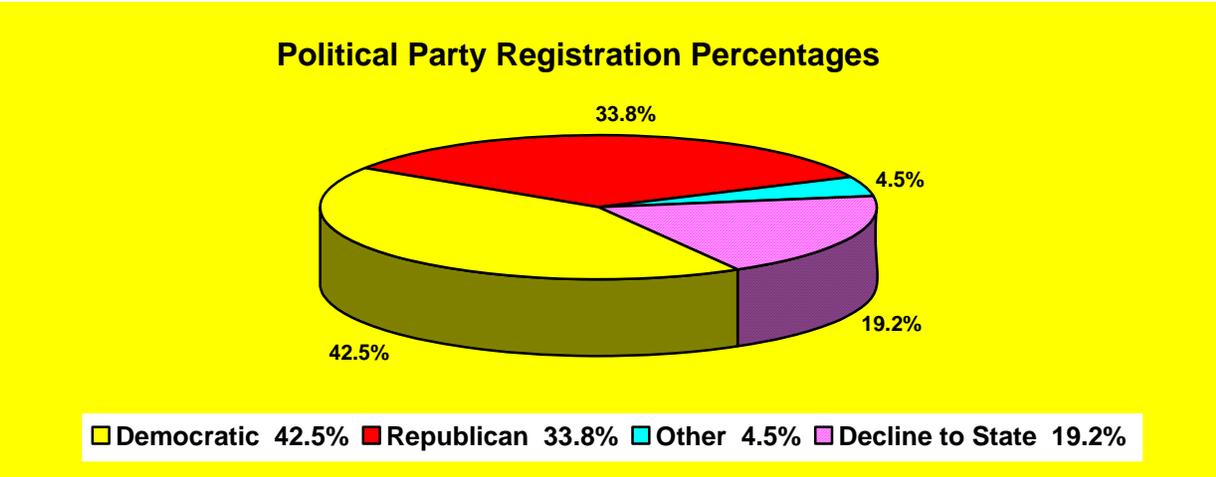
| <u>Primary Election</u> | <u>Eligible Voters</u> <sup>1</sup> | <u>Registered Voters</u> | <u>Percent Registration</u> |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 2008 Presidential       | 22,911,664                          | 15,527,076               | 67.77%                      |
| 2004 Presidential       | 21,841,848                          | 15,437,370               | 70.68%                      |
| 2000 Presidential       | 21,086,895                          | 14,653,221               | 69.49%                      |
| 1996 Presidential       | 19,213,805                          | 14,353,356               | 74.70%                      |
| 1992 Presidential       | 20,501,145                          | 13,063,332               | 63.72%                      |

<sup>1</sup> Revised in 1994, based on U.S. Census data, as adjusted by information from the California Department of Finance and the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation.

#### REGISTRATION BY POLITICAL PARTY

| <u>Primary Election</u> | <u>Dem</u> | <u>Rep</u> | <u>Other</u> | <u>Decline to State</u> | <u>Counties with Majority of Dem</u> | <u>Counties with Majority of Rep</u> |
|-------------------------|------------|------------|--------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 2008 Presidential       | 42.5%      | 33.8%      | 4.5%         | 19.2%                   | 21*                                  | 36*                                  |
| 2004 Presidential       | 43.6%      | 35.3%      | 5.0%         | 16.1%                   | 21                                   | 37                                   |
| 2000 Presidential       | 46.3%      | 35.0%      | 5.2%         | 13.5%                   | 30                                   | 28                                   |
| 1996 Presidential       | 47.7%      | 36.8%      | 5.0%         | 10.5%                   | 37                                   | 20                                   |
| 1992 Presidential       | 48.5%      | 39.1%      | 3.1%         | 9.3%                    | 43                                   | 16                                   |

\* Alpine County reported an equal number of Democratic and Republican registered voters.



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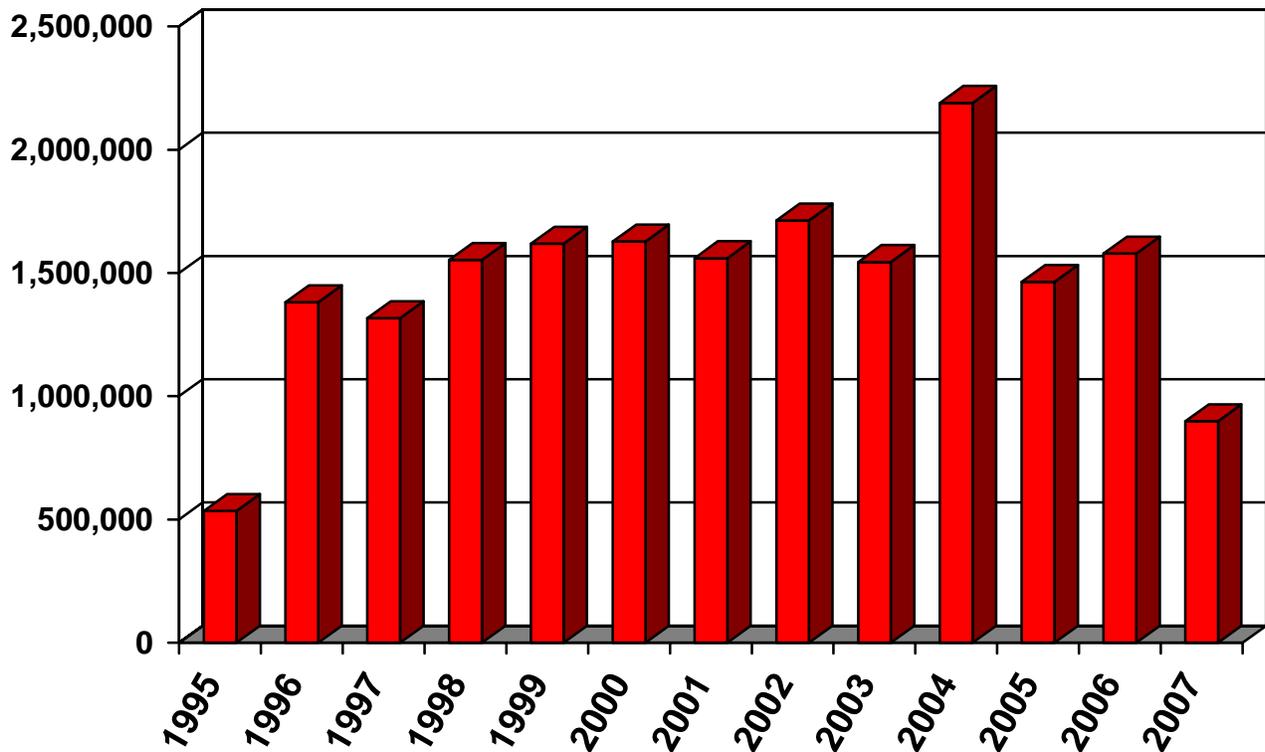
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### TRENDS

Since the last 154-Day Presidential Primary Report of Registration (September 30, 2003 Report):

- The total voter registration in the state has increased from 15,437,370 to 15,527,076.
- The percentage of the total number of registered voters compared to the number of people who were eligible to register to vote has declined from 70.68% to 67.77%.
- The percentage number of voters who have declined to state their political party has increased from 16.1% to 19.2%.
- The percentage of people registered with a qualified political party has declined from 83.3% to 80.8%.
- The percentage of voters registered with the Democratic Party declined from 43.6% to 42.5%.
- The percentage of voters registered with the Republican Party declined from 35.3% to 33.8%.
- From June 19, 1995 (when the National Voter Registration Act began), through July 31, 2007, 18,977,804 people have registered or reregistered to vote in conjunction with "Motor Voter."

### NVRA Registrations



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| <p><b>POLITICAL PARTY REGISTRATION BY COUNTY</b><br/> <b>September 4, 2007 for the February 5, 2008 Presidential Primary Election</b></p> |
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The counties with the 10 highest percentages of Democratic Party, Republican Party, and Decline to State registered voters are:

| <u><b>Democratic Party</b></u> |        | <u><b>Republican Party</b></u> |        | <u><b>Decline to State</b></u> |        |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------------------------------|--------|--------------------------------|--------|
| Alameda                        | 55.08% | Placer                         | 50.76% | San Francisco                  | 29.43% |
| Imperial                       | 54.81% | Modoc                          | 50.08% | Mono                           | 24.61% |
| San Francisco                  | 54.35% | Sutter                         | 49.13% | Santa Clara                    | 24.50% |
| Santa Cruz                     | 53.33% | Shasta                         | 48.74% | San Mateo                      | 22.71% |
| Marin                          | 52.33% | Madera                         | 48.62% | Alpine                         | 22.65% |
| Sonoma                         | 50.22% | Tulare                         | 47.85% | Alameda                        | 22.63% |
| Los Angeles                    | 49.75% | Kings                          | 47.65% | San Diego                      | 22.23% |
| San Mateo                      | 49.40% | Kern                           | 47.29% | Yolo                           | 21.08% |
| Solano                         | 48.56% | Orange                         | 47.18% | Humboldt                       | 20.96% |
| Contra Costa                   | 48.23% | Glenn                          | 46.92% | Marin                          | 20.54% |

The counties with the three highest percentages of American Independent Party, Green Party, Libertarian Party, and Peace and Freedom Party registered voters are:

| <u><b>American Independent Party</b></u> |       | <u><b>Green Party</b></u> |       |
|--|-------|---------------------------|-------|
| Lassen                                   | 4.40% | Humboldt                  | 5.19% |
| Tehama                                   | 4.03% | Mendocino                 | 4.75% |
| Yuba                                     | 3.80% | Santa Cruz                | 3.10% |

| <u><b>Libertarian Party</b></u> |       | <u><b>Peace and Freedom Party</b></u> |       |
|---------------------------------|-------|---------------------------------------|-------|
| Calaveras                       | 1.19% | Sacramento                            | 0.61% |
| Sierra                          | 1.06% | Los Angeles                           | 0.59% |
| Mono                            | 1.02% | Mendocino                             | 0.54% |