Attachment A
Voter Registration Information

Entity/Location	Voter Registration	Common Issues/Complaints
Online Voter Registration (OVR)	1. On-line Voter Registration (OVR) application allows a citizen with a valid S.C. Driver's License or S.C. Identification Card issued by the S.C. Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) to register to vote and/or update their address. 2. Citizens access OVR through scVOTES.org. The voter enters their name, address, date of birth and driver's license number. 3. The information submitted by the voter is cross-checked against DMV records. If information matches, the system creates a signed voter registration application using the person's signature on file with DMV. 4. County election officials receive signed applications and an electronic record in an OVR queue in the statewide voter registration system for processing by the county.	• Was not aware of the voter registration cutoff date for an upcoming election • Voter that has moved from one county to another did not know that they must register in new county by voter registration deadline • Voter fails to update address first with DMV

Mail, Email, Fax, and In Person Application at County Voter Registration and Elections Offices	1. Each county office has staff trained to accept in-person, mail, email and faxed voter registration applications.
	2. Voters register by submitting a completed and signed voter registration application.
	3. Forms accepted by mail, email, fax:
	  • S.C. Voter Registration by Mail Form
	  • National Voter Registration Application
	  • Federal Post Card Application (FPCA)
	  • Federal Write-in Absentee Ballot (FWAB)
	4. Forms available here:
	  • scVOTES.org
	  • County Offices of Voter Registration and Elections
	  • Public Libraries and other State, County, and City government offices
	5. For in person registration, county officials use an in-office voter registration form
	6. Acceptable forms of identification for those registering include;
	  • Current and valid photo id showing name, address, and picture
	  • Current utility bill listing name and address
	  • Bank statement listing name and address
	  • Paycheck listing name and address
		• Was not aware of the voter registration cutoff date for an upcoming election
		• Voter that has moved from one county to another did not know that they must register in new county by voter registration deadline
		• Information provided on the application was incomplete
		• Address provided was invalid
		• Completed application but did not receive a card

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	• Government document that lists name and address 7. Citizens can request to have a voter registration application mailed to them 8. Citizens are required to read and sign the Voter Declaration that affirms they; • Are a U.S. citizen • Will be 18 years old on or before the next election • Resident of S.C. • Not under court order declaring them mentally incompetent • Address listed is their only legal place of residence • Not confined in a public prison resulting from a conviction • Have never been convicted of a felony or offense against election laws or of previously convicted they have served their entire sentence 9. County office staff review the application information for completeness then enter the application data directly into the statewide Voter Registration and Election Management System (VREMS) maintained by the State Election Commission (SEC). 10. The county board of voter registration and election is responsible for placing voters in correct precincts and districts based on the voter's address. 11. Paper applications are kept on file permanently by county board of voter registration and elections.	
Section 7-5-310 NVRA Agencies; • DSS • DHEC • DDSN • Blind • Voc Rehab • DAODAS • DMH • DMV • Armed Forces Recruiting Offices	Each NVRA agency has offices throughout S.C. to assist their clients to register to vote or update their voter registration data. Each agency has staff trained on voter registration qualifications, the NVRA, and to; • Verify their clients voter registration qualifications • Offer them assistance to complete their voter registration application • Direct non-clients where to find mail voter registration applications. Many agencies	• Clients submit redundant voter registration applications because clients have contact with more than one NVRA agency. • Voter believes they registered at DMV; however, DMV records shows the

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• Protection and Advocacy for People with Disabilities	have mail voter registration applications available for non-clients complete • Some agencies transmit client voter registration data electronically to the SEC weekly for uploading into the statewide voter registration system • All agencies deliver client voter registration applications directly to county boards of voter registration and elections	client responded "no" to the voter registration question
Electronic Voter Accessibility Tool (EVAT)	1. The Electronic Voter Accessibility Tool (EVAT) allows U.S. citizens who are Service members, their eligible family members or overseas citizens to upload their Federal Post Card Application (FPCA), which is accepted as a voter registration application. 2. Military and overseas citizens access EVAT online through scVOTES.org. 3. EVAT provides a link to the Federal Voting Assistance Program's website for completion of the FPCA. 4. Citizen uploads a copy of the FPCA through EVAT. 5. The FPCA appears in a queue in the statewide voter registration system for processing by county boards of voter registration and elections.	None.

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