

Attachment 2

Categories in Voter Registration System		
Category	Explanation of Category	Where name appears when person appears to vote in person
Individuals with these codes appear on precinct records and if individual states they still live in the precinct, they are allowed to vote		
A	Active	Hard copy and Electronic Poll Book at precinct*
Inactive - IF	Fail to respond to confirmation card mailing. A mailing from SEC is not returned (nor was there an undeliverable or forwarding address returned)	Hard copy and Electronic Poll Book at precinct through next two general elections after being made IF, afterward only on computer system at SEC*
Inactive - IM	Moved from the address of registration. A mailing from the county election office or SEC is returned as undeliverable. There is confirmation the individual has moved, but no confirmation of whether the individual moved within the county, within the state, or within the country.	Hard copy and Electronic Poll Book at precinct through next general election after being made IM, afterward only on computer system at SEC*
Individuals with these codes do not appear on records at the precinct, someone from the County must call SEC to determine if the individual is in the system and other information individual must provide for individual's vote to count.		
Inactive - IC	Convicted of felony or other disqualifying offense.	Only on computer system at SEC
Inactive - ID	Deceased. (See Deceased flow chart for how the SEC makes these determinations.)	Only on computer system at SEC
Inactive - IE	Pending a district assignment. There is some issue or uncertainty from the county as to the district in which the voter should be assigned. Usually arises during re-districting and is a temporary status. All issues should be resolved by SEC prior to election day.	Only on computer system at SEC
Inactive - IH	Hold status (e.g., new voter registration card was issued and returned; or incomplete voter registration application)	Only on computer system at SEC
Inactive - IL	Left the county of registration. A mailing from the county election office or SEC is returned with a forwarding address outside the county in which the individual is registered to vote. This is different than mailing be returned as undeliverable. DMV notifies SEC voter surrendered license in another state.	Only on computer system at SEC
Inactive - IO	Covers any other issue not specifically outlined by another inactive status. (e.g. a court orders an individual mentally incompetent. Voter registration challenge, board decided against them, they appealed to Supreme Court and Supreme Court decided against voter and voter has not re-registered.)	Only on computer system at SEC
Inactive - IW	Individual sends written request to be removed from voter roll (can individual can only request to remove themselves)	Only on computer system at SEC
SEC has not used the codes below since 2010, but there are still in the system because an individual's record is never removed from the system		
Inactive - IS	In the system used before 2010, if a voter moved to another county, a new entry had to be made for them and the old entry was moved to an IS status. Individuals with this code will also have another code for the related entry that was created in the new system. The other code will either be an active code or an inactive code, depending on the individual's current status. Both codes are needed to keep historical records. This code has not been utilized since 2010. Now, an individual's voter record follows them from county to county.	Only on computer system at SEC
Inactive - IT	In the system used before 2010, the voter accidentally had two registrations created. When this was discovered, SEC had to make one registration inactive. This code was used to make it inactive. Technically this could still happen (i.e., accidentally registrations). SEC could not simply delete the duplicate registration because SC requires all entries in the system remain permanently.	Only on computer system at SEC

*as of 2021 elections. Both were not available in every county in past years