



DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
**BOARD OF ELECTIONS**  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20003-4733



November 8, 2023

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Dear Mr. Lee:

I am writing in response to the Notice of Violation sent by Judicial Watch on September 22, 2023 in which Judicial Watch requests that the Board correct certain issues in its list maintenance program. Specifically, Judicial Watch requests that the Board address:


- 1) the failure to remove voters from the registry from November 2020 to November 2022 pursuant to [52 U.S.C. 20507(d)(1)(B)] of the National Voter Registration Act (“NVRA”) for failing to respond to a Confirmation Notice and failing to vote in two consecutive general federal elections; and
- 2) the number of inactive registrations in DC as well as its total registration rate.

The Board has taken several list maintenance actions since we provided our last response to Judicial Watch. First, the Board removed 65,544 inactive voters on October 30, 2023. These voters did not vote in the 2016 General Election, did not respond to the address confirmation notices that the Board sent pursuant to 52 U.S.C. 20507(d)(2), and did not participate in any District elections held between the date of the notices that were sent and the November 2020 General Election. The Board will soon remove an additional 37,962 inactive voters. These voters did not vote in the 2018 General Election, did not respond to the address confirmation notices that the Board sent, and did not participate in any District elections held between the date of the notices that were sent and the November 2022 General Election.

Second, the Board moved 73,522 voters from an active to an inactive status on October 3, 2023 as a result of the 2023 biennial canvass process. As the 2023 process is still active, additional voters will be moved to an inactive status as we continue to process canvass mailers.

If you have any further questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

  
Monica Holman Evans  
Executive Director