



United States

Election Assistance Commission

Standards Board Meeting
February 24, 2011
Oklahoma City, OK



Highlights from 2010

Testing and Certification

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Testing and Certification

Fourth Voting System Certified

Unisyn OpenElect 1.0, MicroVote EMS 4.0, ES&S Unity 3.2.0.0, Premier Assure 1.2.

Quality Monitoring Program Launched

Issued ES&S Unity 3.2.0.0. System Advisory.
Root cause testing is under way.

UOCAVA remote electronic voting

Issued guidelines and manual for testing.
voting systems used in pilot projects.



Grants

Pre-Election Testing and Post-Election Audit Grant

\$2 million available. Application deadline was Feb. 15.

Accessible Voting Technology Initiative Grant

\$7 million grant to improve accessibility of voting technology.

Application deadline is March 1.

Military Heroes Initiative Grant

\$500,000 to improve voting accessibility for service members with disabilities.

Awarded to the Information Technology and Innovation Foundation.



Grants

College Program Grants

\$1.5 million disbursed among 28 grantees for 2010 recruitment (includes funds from 2009 & 2010).

Tens of thousands of college students recruited since 2004.

Student Mock Election Grants

\$600,000 to nine government agencies and six civic groups.

Helped educate 850,000 students during 2010 election.



2010 Election Data

Key Dates for 2011

Statutory overview to be released in spring (54 of 55 states reporting).

Election data submission deadline was Feb. 1.

Final NVRA report to be released June 30.

Final UOCAVA and EAVS report to be released in fall.



Resources

NVRA form translated

Chinese

Japanese

Korean

Tagalog

Spanish

Vietnamese

New Quick Start Guides

Technology in Elections

Elections Office
Administration

Accessibility



Resources

Voter guides translated into 10 languages

- Cherokee
- Chinese
- Dakota
- Japanese
- Korean
- Navajo
- Spanish
- Tagalog
- Vietnamese
- Yupik



Resources

New Election Management Guidelines

Canvassing and Certifying an Election

Conducting a Recount

Administering Provisional Ballots

Building Community Partnerships

Communicating With the Public

Much more available at [EAC.gov/resource_library](https://www.eac.gov/resource_library)



NVRA Rulemaking

Transferred NVRA responsibilities from FEC to EAC by HAVA.

Updating the regulations to reflect changes in HAVA and NVRA.

Initial comment period on proposed regulations ended November 2010.

Follow the process at eac.gov/NVRA.



Maintenance of Expenditure Policy

Sets a baseline spending level for activities allowable under Title III based on a state's level of such expenditures for the fiscal year ending before November 2000.

To calculate the baseline, states must use all election expenditures that are allowable under Section 251 of HAVA and that were funded directly by the state, or through a state appropriation to a lower-tier entity in the base year.



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2010 Election Data

EAC will begin releasing data from its 2010 Election Administration and Voting Survey next summer. It will feature state-by-state data on registration, turnout, and a variety of other related topics.

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EAC's map of voting systems shows where EAC certified systems were deployed during the 2010 federal

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Accessible Voting Technical Assistance Call

Join the call to learn more about the application process for

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- [Glossaries of Election Terminology](#)
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Election Management Resources

One of EAC's top priorities is providing assistance to election officials. We do this by issuing guidance, advisories and best practices to help officials comply with the Help America Vote Act and make other election administration improvements and enhancements.

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THE OFFICIAL BLOG OF THE UNITED STATES ELECTION ASSISTANCE COMMISSION

Training Poll Workers in a Virtual World

Posted By **EAC Staff** on January 28, 2011

Election officials in Orange County, Florida used Second Life to train students to serve as poll workers, preserving quality while saving resources in the process. The program was funded by an **EAC College Poll Worker grant**.



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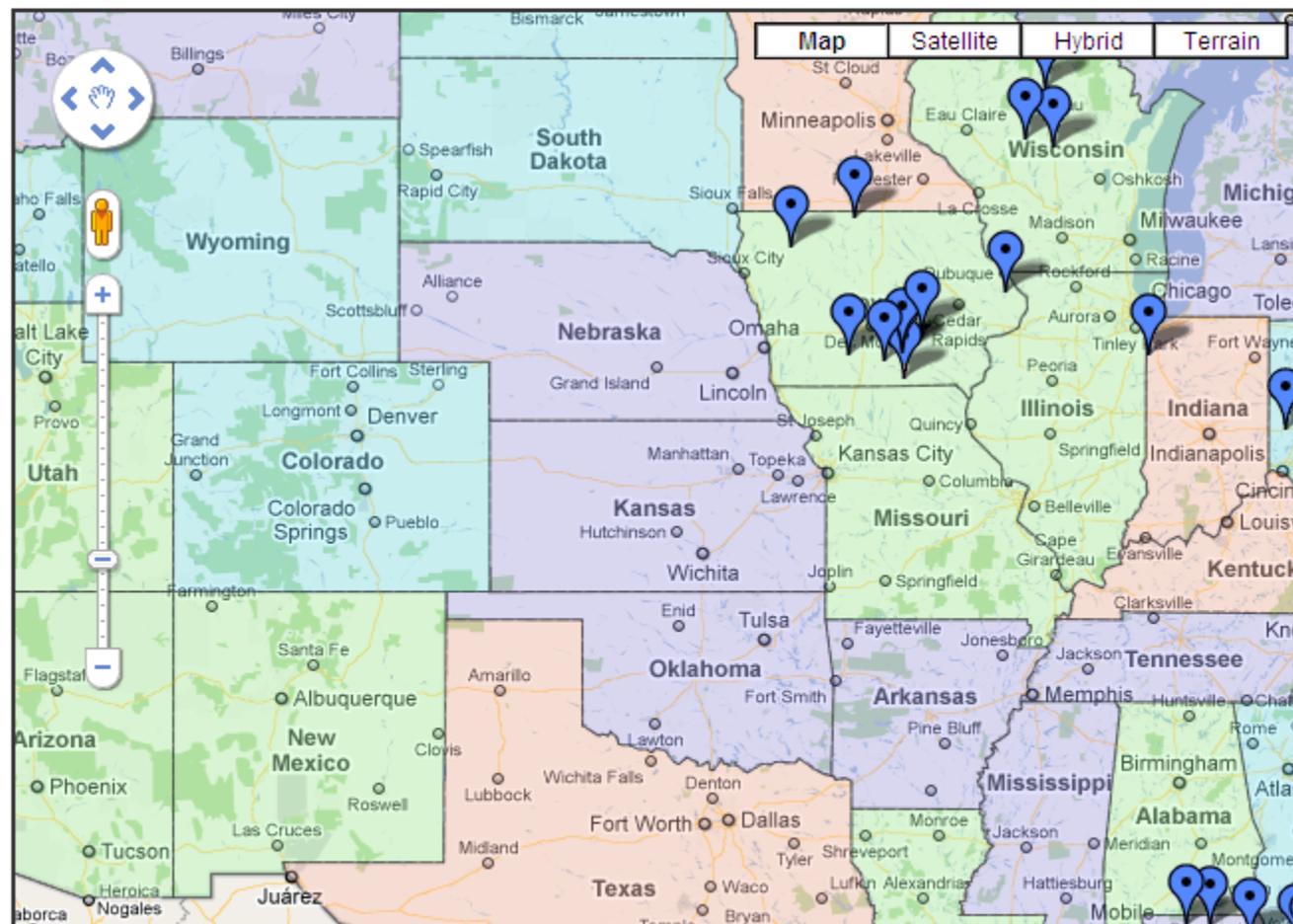
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EAC Certified Voting Systems

This interactive map shows where federally certified voting systems are being used during the 2010 federal election. It allows users to quickly access key information about EAC-certified voting systems, including the county in which they are used, test reports issued during the certification process and any advisory alerts. The map also depicts state requirements for voting system certification.

For questions about this map, including how to use it, visit our [Voting Systems Map FAQ](#).





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EAC has several projects under way to assist states in serving military and overseas citizens who register and vote absentee under the Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act. [Learn more](#)

Multimedia Resources

Featured Video:



April 21, 2010

[Introduction to the EAC Voluntary Voting System Testing and Certification Program](#)

Description: Learn more about EAC's Voting System Testing and Certification Program by watching this video.

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Election Resource Library



Voter Guide - English

Posted on June 03, 2010

Views: 1142 | **Comments:** 1 | **Average Rating:** ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

This guide explains the basics of ballot casting as well as special voting procedures, such as early voting, absentee voting, and military and overseas voting.

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Layna Valentine-Brown Says

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If this Voter Guide is still in circulation, on page 16 the website address for West Virginia is incorrect. The correct address is www.wvsos.com



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Conclusion

EAC staff continues programmatic work that does not require quorum for action.

Thank you for your continued involvement and feedback. Our work is better as a result of it.