

CLINTON COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

Acquisition of Voting Equipment

1. Clinton County (Clinton) owns 39 M-100's for its 38 precincts. Typically three (3) or four (4) of our smaller precincts share one M-100. For November 2008 only the smallest two (2) precincts, being Midland and Jefferson, will share an M-100. Clinton is leasing three (3) M-100's from ES&S which will give us a total of five (5) extra M-100's, or 11% of our total number of scanners, for backup.
2. Clinton has twenty (20) polling locations and twenty-five (25) Auto Marks. One (1) AutoMark will be assigned to each poll and five (5) will be available for backup.
3. Clinton County owns one(1) Ballot on Demand system
4. In October 2008 one (1) 650 high speed scanner will be delivered pursuant to a lease to purchase agreement with ES&S.
5. Our Unity system is comprised of two PC's and one printer.
6. The Clinton County Board of Elections plans to use all of its equipment on Election Day.
7. Since the 2007 general election, Clinton County leased three (3) M-100's and is acquiring a 650 scanner from ES&S.
8. Clinton County purchased two M-100's prior to the November 2007 general election and is leasing three (3) M-100's for the November 2008 election. Clinton County, including the board and the county, do have the funds this year to purchase additional M-100's.

Allocation and Distribution of Voting Equipment

1. Clinton County owns 265 votamatic booths which are used as voting booths. The booths will be allocated based on one booth per every 150 voters in the precinct.
2. Each precinct except Midland & Jefferson will have one (1) M-100 scanner. Midland and Jefferson are located in the same polling place and will share one M-100. All polling places will have one AutoMark.
3. As of October 20, 2008 Clinton County has 26,856 registered voters. A list of precincts and the number of registered voters in each is attached as Exhibit A.
4. Exhibit B outlines the voter turnout in each precinct from the November 2007 general election and Exhibit C is the November 2004 turnout.
5. The Clinton County Board of Elections has followed the Ohio Secretary of State's guidelines for allocating voting equipment.
6. Five (5) M-100's and five (5) AutoMarks will be kept at the board office to deploy in case of long lines or equipment malfunction.
7. The Clinton County Board of Elections followed the SOS guidelines for allocating voting equipment.