2024 Presidential Primary Election - Observations

Montgomery County Board of Elections

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Key observations

Turnout

Mode of voting

Mail In Ballots return rate

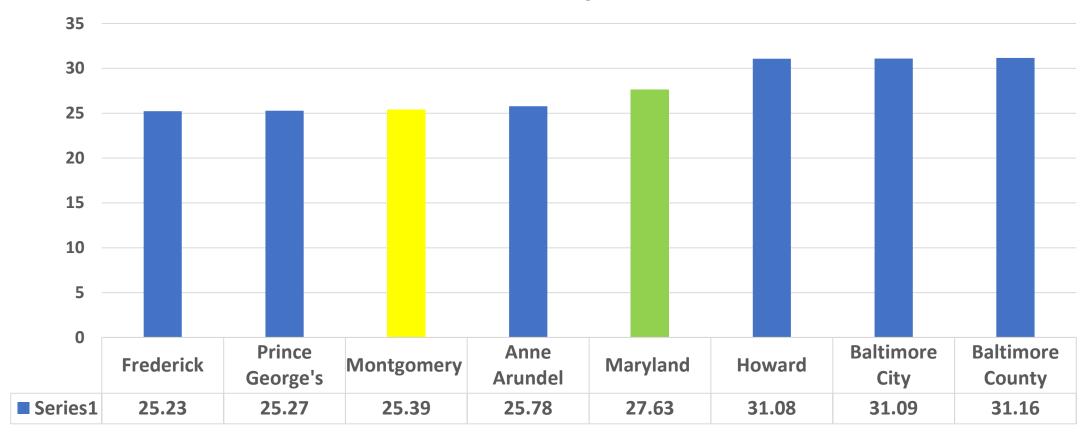
Mail In Ballots' return pace

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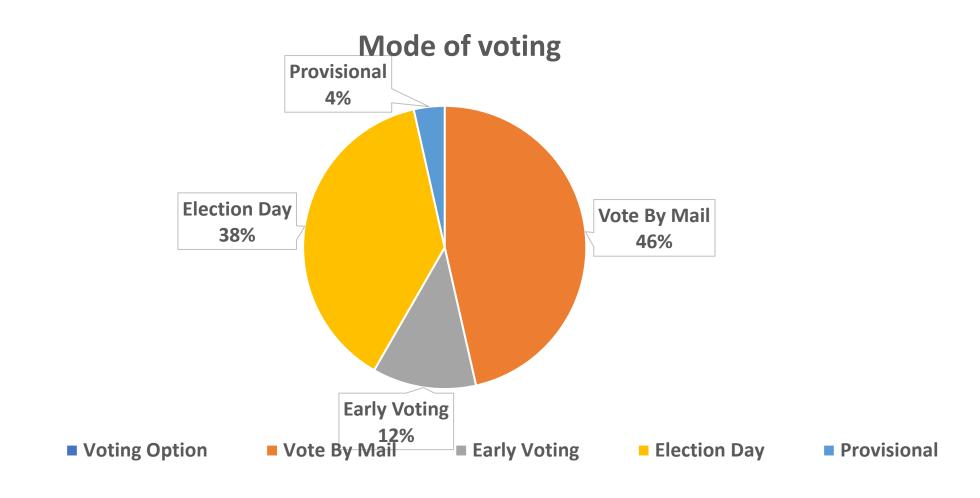
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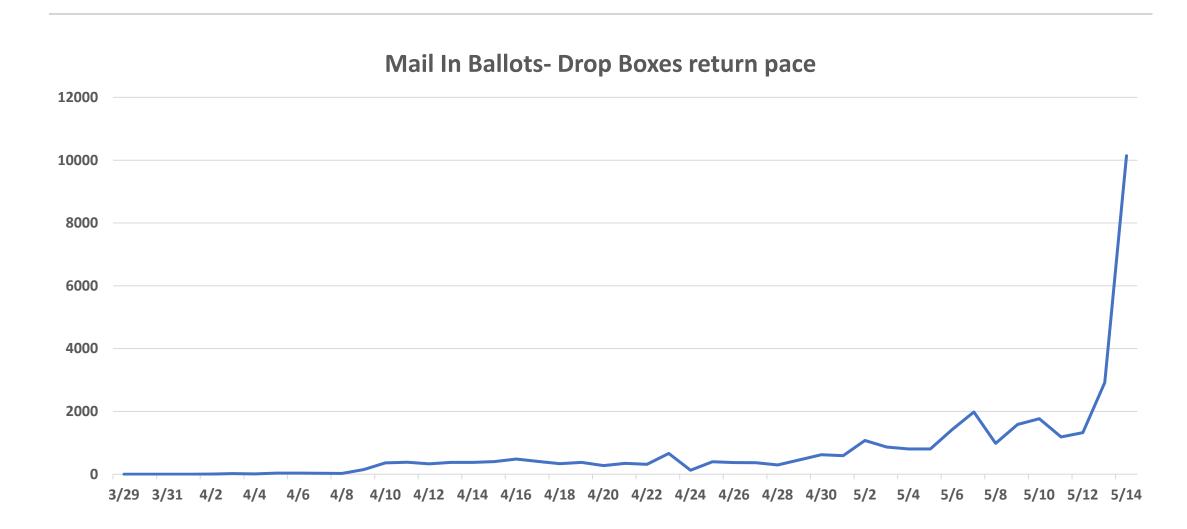
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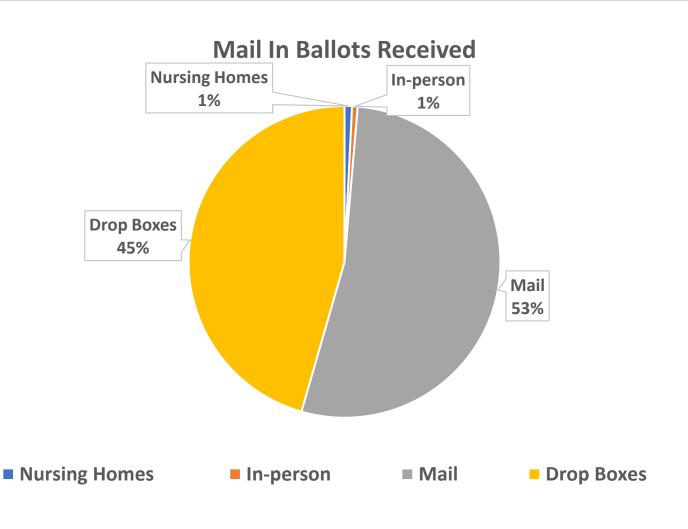
Mail In Ballots – Return Rate

- The 2024 Presidential Primary Mail-In Ballot return rate was 60%
- The 2024 Presidential Primary MIB return rate in MD 66.6%
- The 2022 Gubernatorial Primary Mail-In Ballot return rate was 63.9%
- The 2022 Gubernatorial Primary MIB return rate in MD was 67.3%
- The 2022 Gubernatorial General Mail-In Ballot return rate was 83.5%

Mail In Ballots – Return pace



Mail In Ballots – Mode of Return



Election Workers

The overall number of volunteers was less than expected

≈50% returning election workers

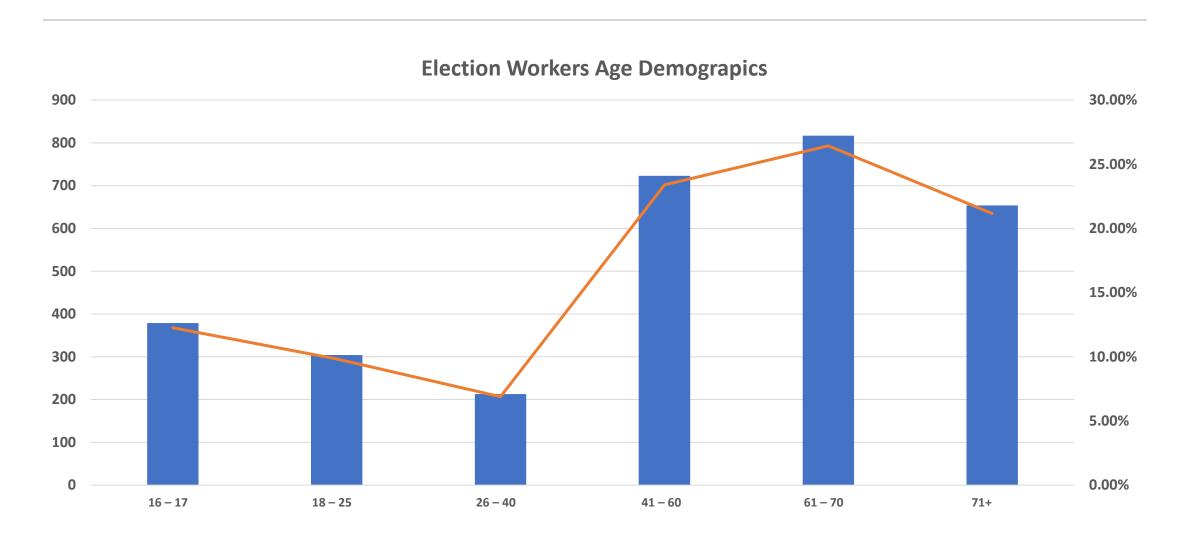
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Unequal participation across party affiliations

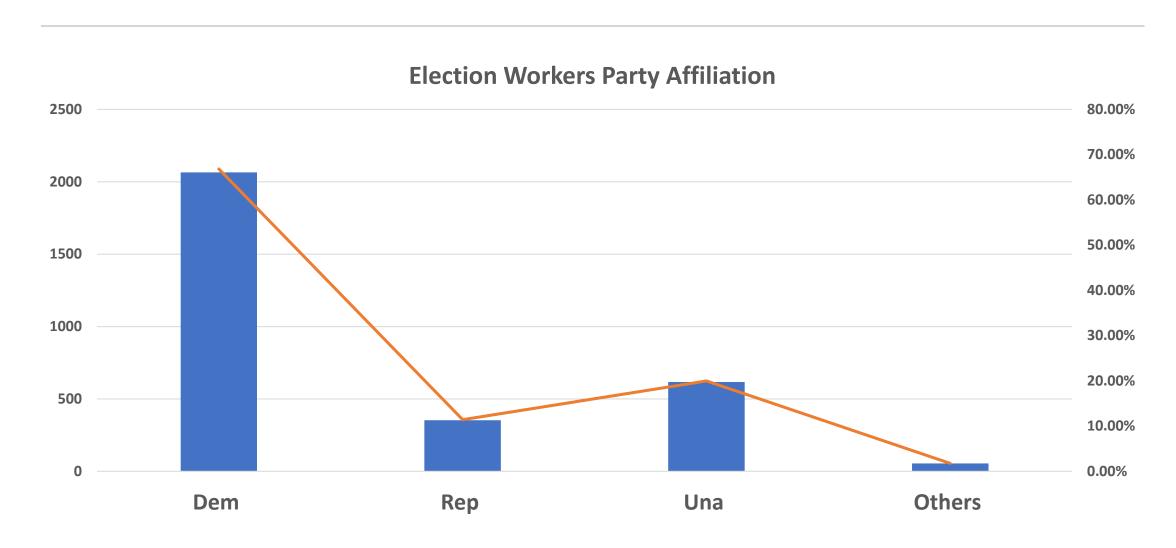
Hard to recruit: Chiefs and Same Day Registration

High number of younger Election Workers

Election Workers – age demographics



Election Workers – Party Affiliation



Provisionals

Comparison to the 2022 Primary Election data:

Total number of Provisionals: -22%

Requested MIB but voted Provisional: -24%

Voted the wrong party ballot: -50%

Voted in wrong precinct: -3%

QUESTIONS?

