

Appendix A: Total Annual Board of Election Expenditures in Four Large North Carolina Counties

Precinct-Based Optical Scanners with Accessible Ballot Markers

Wake County

Year	Cost/Voter	Expenditures	Registered Voters
2004-2005	\$3.03	\$1,467,895	484310
2005-2006	\$3.54	\$1,777,455	502726
2006-2007	\$3.28	\$1,728,940	527660
2007-2008	\$4.67	\$2,529,018	541620
4- Year Average	\$3.63		

Durham County

Year	Cost/Voter	Expenditures	Registered Voters
2004-2005	\$5.44	\$984,532	180976
2005-2006	\$5.71	\$902,493	158109
2006-2007	\$4.31	\$690,925	160202
2007-2008	\$6.72	\$1,161,640	172933
4- Year Average	\$5.54		

Direct-Recording Electronic Machines

Guilford County

Year	Cost/Voter	Expenditures	Registered Voters
2004-2005	\$9.15	\$2,725,916	297826
2005-2006	\$5.72	\$1,726,357	301639
2006-2007	\$6.76	\$2,040,177	301639
2007-2008	\$7.25	\$2,256,127	311403
4- Year Average	\$7.22		

Mecklenburg County

Year	Cost/Voter	Expenditures	Registered Voters
2004-2005	\$6.44	\$3,229,286	501449
2005-2006	\$10.69	\$5,446,311	509464
2006-2007	\$4.64	\$2,478,484	534183
2007-2008	\$8.07	\$4,616,299	572030
4- Year Average	\$7.46		

Registered Voter Data Source:

NC State Board of Elections Voter Statistics

available at: http://www.app.sboe.state.nc.us/NCSBE/VR/VR%20Stats/vr_stats_main.asp

Expenditure Data Sources:

Durham County Finance Department Comprehensive Annual Financial Reports, FY 2005 through FY 2008

available at: <http://www.co.durham.nc.us/departments/finc/>

Wake County Finance Department Comprehensive Annual Financial Reports, FY 2005 through FY 2008

available at: <http://www.wakegov.com/budget/annualfinancialreports/default.htm>

Guilford County Finance Department Comprehensive Annual Financial Reports, FY 2005 through FY 2008

available at: <http://www.co.guilford.nc.us/departments/index.php>

Mecklenburg County Finance Department Comprehensive Annual Financial Reports, FY 2005 through FY 2008

available at: <http://www.charmeck.org/Departments/Finance+-+County/Financial+Documents/Home.htm>