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January 2026



EAC YEAR IN REVIEW

ELECTION TECHNOLOGY

- 2 systems certified to VVSG 2.0
- 2 electronic poll books certified
- 48 hash verifications logged from 2 vendors and 8 states, including 30 counties and 2 townships

\$15M in HAVA Election Security Grants distributed.

ELECTION OFFICIAL TRAINING & ASSISTANCE

- 20 new election administration resources.
- Live training reached election officials in nearly every state and territory with over 3,400 election officials trained.

OUTREACH & EVENTS

- EAC Commissioners attended and presented at over 100 conferences and events to meet with state and local election officials, U.S. and international policymakers, students, and voters.
- Hosted 22 events in 9 states, including Guam and the District of Columbia.

2.0 Systems Certified in 2025

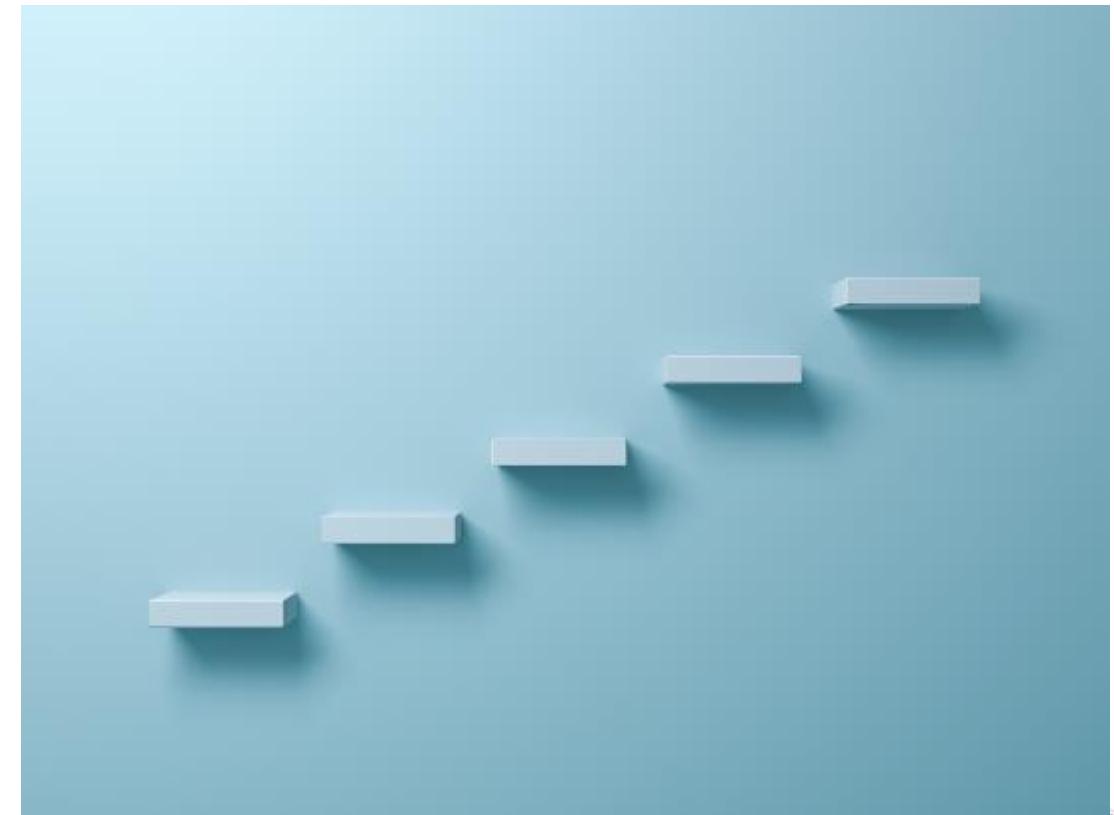
| Voting System | Manufacturer | Date Certified |
|---------------------|----------------------|----------------|
| Verity Vanguard 1.0 | Hart InterCivic Inc. | 7/07/2025 |
| VSR1 2.1 | Smartmatic | 11/26/2025 |

2.0 Systems Under Test In 2026

| Voting System | Manufacturer |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Frontier 1.0 | Liberty Vote USA Inc. |
| VxSuite 4.0 | VotingWorks |
| Verity Vanguard 1.1 (Mod) | Hart InterCivic Inc. |
| Optio 1.0 | Unisyn Voting Solutions |
| EVS 7.0.0.0 | Elections Systems & Software, Inc |

Recommend Minor Version Update

- VVSG 2.0+ designed to be dynamic
 - Manageable iterations
 - Keeping up with technology
- Include RFIs, relevant lab feedback, new CDFs



Penetration Testing

- The 2026 National Defense Authorization Act of 2026 now requires penetration testing of voting systems
- In conjunction with this, we are conducting a penetration exercise with MITRE as it relates to Election Night Reporting Systems.



Migration of Vote.gov



[Register to vote](#)

[Guide to voting](#) ▾

[Your vote is safe](#)

Register to vote or update your registration

Once you register, you can vote in national, state, and local elections.

[Select your state or territory to begin](#)

Provided ongoing content and analytics support for EAC.gov and Vote.gov to improve user experience and outreach.



National and State Election Scenario Training

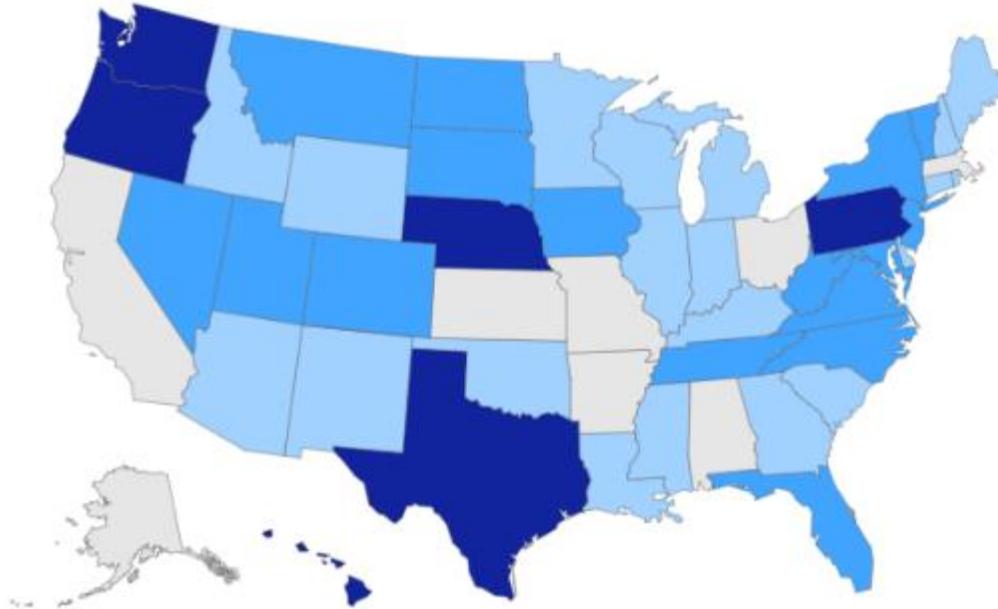


- EAC is offering scenario training exercises on election administration and security to help with contingency planning at the state and federal levels
- Information sharing center at EAC on Election Day
- **On Feb. 25th the EAC will be hosting a Federal Engagement with Chief Election Officials to discuss the 2026 midterm elections**

For more information, please reach out to clearinghouse@eac.gov



Field Services Program



American Samoa

Outre... ● Outreach with No Response



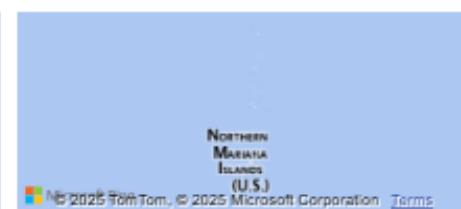
Guam

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Northern Mariana Islands

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Puerto Rico

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US Virgin Islands

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Assists States and Territories with

- Hash Verification
- Fielded System Reviews
- Anomalies
- Manufacturer Audits

In celebration of America's 250th birthday, the EAC will be visiting voting museums and highlighting the history and evolution of voting in America

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