

(i) (1) The State shall reimburse a local board or a county government for reasonable initial set-up costs of implementing the plan for universal registration, including the costs associated with:

(i) the identification of the appropriate boundaries; AND

(ii) the identification of voters who are to be included in the [local board files for municipal or county registration; and

(iii) the modification of the local board's registration system that is necessary to implement the universal registration plan] VOTER REGISTRY.

(2) The local board shall request and, subject to the approval of the State Board, receive a reimbursement for these costs from a fund administered by the State Board. The initial set-up costs incurred directly by a municipal corporation may be reimbursed for circumstances authorized by the State Board.

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Each local board, pursuant to regulations adopted by the State Board, shall:

(1) maintain the registry of voters in the county;

(2) ensure the currency and accuracy of each individual voter's registration record;

(3) produce precinct registers for use in polling places on election day; and

(4) maintain voting history information on a current basis for a period covering at least the 5 preceding years.]

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An election director may remove a voter from the [registry] STATEWIDE VOTER REGISTRATION LIST only:

(1) at the request of the voter, provided the request is:

(i) signed by the voter;

(ii) authenticated by the election director; and

(iii) in a format acceptable to the [local board] STATE BOARD or on a cancellation notice provided by the voter on a voter registration application;

(2) upon determining, based on information provided pursuant to [§ 3-505] § 3-503 of this subtitle, that the voter is no longer eligible because:

(i) the voter is not qualified to be a registered voter as provided in § 3-102(b) of this title; or

(ii) the voter is deceased; or