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### NOVEMBER 4, 2008 PRESIDENTIAL GENERAL ELECTION WRAP-UP

Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk (RR/CC) Dean Logan announced that preliminary voter turnout sampling figures for the November 4, 2008 Presidential General Election show a 82.39% turnout at the polls as of 8:00 p.m.

A comparative sample turnout for the 2004 Presidential General Election showed 78.61% for the same time period. Samplings from previous year General Elections for the time period ranged from 45.48% in 2002 to 50.50% in 2006.

The RR/CC conducted the hourly sampling of 30 precincts out of 4,394 for use as an unofficial indication of voting activity. Turnout in certain districts or areas of the County can fluctuate, so caution is encouraged in using these figures as a statistical prediction of voter turnout. Additionally, these figures do not reflect vote by mail ballots.

“Today’s election went very well,” said Logan. “A great deal of the credit goes to the dedicated pollworkers who serve their community in an effort to ensure that the Presidential General Election voting process goes smoothly.”

“We also appreciate the patience of the voters and candidates as we continue the process of tallying ballots that are now arriving from the 4,394 precincts throughout Los Angeles County. We want to be meticulous about the tally process so that every vote cast at the polling place is properly counted and added to the overall results.”

Updated election tabulation results may be accessed via the RR/CC website [www.lavote.net](http://www.lavote.net) and will be updated until an unofficial election night tally is posted.

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