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Registration Ends for 2012 General Election

(Columbus) Registration for the Nov. 6, 2012 general election ended at 9:00 p.m. yesterday.

The latest figures show 797,962 voters registered in Franklin County compared to more than 846,000 for the 2008 general election. The current number will continue to build because the board is still processing additional registrations that arrived by mail shortly before the deadline.

Results show 4,201 voting yesterday at the county's early vote center with 628 registering and voting on the same day as permitted during "Golden Week", the first week of absentee voting.

Nearly 149,000 have requested absentee ballots by mail and in person for the general election.

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