

# State of Wisconsin\Government Accountability Board

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## Standard Data Elements in Voter Data File

Column Name	Data Type	Comments
LastName	VarChar(50)	
FirstName	VarChar(30)	
MiddleName	VarChar(30)	
NameSuffix	VarChar(30)	e.g. Jr. PhD, etc
VoterRegNum	VarChar(20)	This field shows the voter's unique identification number
AddressLine1	VarChar(255)	
AddressLine3	VarChar(150)	
MailingAddressLine1	VarChar255()	
MailingAddressLine3	VarChar(150)	
MailingCityStateZip	VarChar(150)	
HouseNumber	VarChar(30)	This field is part of AddressLine1a, provided for use in sorting
HouseNumberSuffix	VarChar(30)	This field is part of AddressLine1a, provided for use in sorting
StreetPreDirectionalCode	VarChar(30)	This field is part of AddressLine1a, provided for use in sorting
StreetName	VarChar(100)	This field is part of AddressLine1a, provided for use in sorting
StreetType	VarChar(100)	This field is part of AddressLine1a, provided for use in sorting (ST, AVE, DR, etc.)
StreetPostDirectionalCode	VarChar(30)	This field is part of AddressLine1a, provided for use in sorting
UnitType	VarChar(30)	This field is part of AddressLine1b, provided for use in sorting (Apt, Suite, etc.)
UnitNumber	VarChar(30)	This field is part of AddressLine1b, provided for use in sorting
ZipCode	VarChar(30)	Postal Zip Code
PhoneNumber	VarChar(10)	Phone Number (if on file)
EmailAddress	VarChar(255)	Email Address (if on file)
Jurisdiction	VarChar(255)	
DistrictCombo	VarChar(15)	This represents the following districts
Ward	VarChar(100)	Ward
CongressionalDistrict	VarChar(100)	Congressional District
StateSenate	VarChar(100)	State Senate District
Assembly	VarChar(100)	Assembly District
CourtOfAppeals	VarChar(100)	Court of Appeals District
MultiJurisdictionalJudge	VarChar(100)	Multi-Jurisdictional District
County	VarChar(100)	County
CountySupervisor	VarChar(100)	County Supervisory District
Municipality	VarChar(100)	Municipality

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AldermanicDistrict	VarChar(100)	Aldermanic District
CommonSchoolDistrict	VarChar(100)	Common School District
UnionSchoolDistrict	VarChar(100)	Union School District
UnifiedSchoolDistrict	VarChar(100)	Unified School District
SanitaryDistrict	VarChar(100)	Sanitary District
TechnicalCollegeDistrict	VarChar(100)	Technical College District
LakeManagementDistrict	VarChar(100)	Lake Management District
PublicInlandLake-ProtectionAnd-RehabilitationAssemblyDistrict	VarChar(100)	Public Inland Lake Protection & Rehabilitation Assembly District
State	VarChar(100)	State
DistrictAttorney	VarChar(100)	District Attorney
CircuitCourt	VarChar(100)	Circuit Court
FirstClassSchoolDistrict	VarChar(100)	First Class School District
RecallDistrict	VarChar(100)	Indicates if in Recall Districts
VoterStatus	VarChar(64)	This field indicates the current status of the voter record (Active, Inactive or Cancelled).
VoterStatusReason	VarChar(100)	This field indicates the reason for the current status.
ApplicationDate	Char(10)	Date on the application form
EffectiveDate	Char(10)	Date status was effective
ApplicationSource	VarChar(64)	Application Source
IsPermanentAbsentee	VarChar(5)	Indicates Voter is Permanent or Military Absentee
RegistrationMethod	VarChar(10)	Indicates Military or Overseas status
There is a column for each election in the file. The elections include every Spring Primary (February), Spring Election (April), Partisan Primary (September prior to 2012, August beginning in 2012) and General Election (November). The list also contains each special election where a state of federal office was on the ballot. Elections with local-only contests are not included on this list.	VarChar(10)	<b>Notes that follow apply to all elections:</b> Blank – Voter did not vote in this election AP – Voter voted at a Polling Place ABS – Voter voted by Absentee Ballot PROV – Voter voted by Provisional Ballot WO – Walk Out X - Voter voted with no indication of method