



Buncombe County Early Voting Advocacy Profile

2022 General Election

Glossary

- EV: early voting
- CBOE: County Board of Elections
- Primary election: takes place in the spring of an election year.
- General election: takes place in the fall of an election year.
- Turnout: the number of registered voters who cast a ballot during the election.

EV Site Information

2022 Primary Election

- 10 EV sites open for 15 days each.
 - 12 weekdays from 8AM - 7:30PM.
 - 3 weekend days (two Saturdays and one Sunday). There was no consistency in operating hours; it varied between 10AM - 3PM and 8AM - 3PM.

2020 General Election

- 16 EV sites open for 17 days each.
 - 12 weekdays open a wide variety of hours.
 - 5 weekend (Saturday & Sunday) open a wide variety of hours.

2018 General Election

- 11 EV sites open 16 days each.
 - 13 weekdays open consistently 7:00AM - 7:00PM.
 - 3 weekend days (two Saturdays, one Sunday). There was no consistency in operating hours; it varied between 12:00PM - 5:00PM and 8:00AM - 1:00PM.

Accessibility Profile

- Based on research performed by DemNC and SCSJ, Buncombe CBOE EV sites have been slightly less accessible by public transportation since 2018, compared to sites in other counties.
 - There have been 3 reported incidents in which Buncombe voters identified EV sites as difficult to access by public transportation.
 - Statewide, there has been an average of 2 public transportation complaints per county in elections since 2018.

Buncombe County Vote Share Snapshot

2022 Primary EV Vote Shares

Site Name	Asian	Black	Other	White	Latiné
Black Mountain Branch Library	1%	2%	5%	93%	1%
Dr. Wesley Grant Sr - Southside CTR.	1%	28%	7%	65%	1%
East Asheville Branch Library	1%	2%	7%	90%	1%
Enka/Candler Branch Library	1%	1%	6%	93%	1%
Fairview Branch Library	1%	1%	5%	94%	1%
Leicester Branch Library	1%	1%	7%	93%	1%
Reynolds Village	1%	1%	6%	93%	1%
South Buncombe Branch Library	1%	4%	6%	90%	1%
Weaverville Community Center	1%	1%	5%	94%	1%
West Asheville Branch Library	1%	3%	10%	86%	2%

2020 General EV Vote Shares

Site Name	Asian	Black	Other	White	Latiné
Asheville Mall	1%	8%	15%	77%	3%
Asheville Outlets	1%	3%	14%	83%	2%
Bee Tree Fire Department	1%	2%	10%	88%	2%
Black Mountain Branch Library	1%	3%	9%	88%	1%
Dr. Wesley Grant Sr - Southside CTR.	1%	37%	11%	51%	1%
Enka/Candler Branch Library	1%	2%	13%	86%	2%
Fairview Branch Library	1%	1%	11%	88%	1%
Harrah's Cherokee Center Asheville	1%	5%	16%	78%	2%
Land of Sky Regional Council	1%	3%	13%	83%	2%
Leicester Branch Library	1%	1%	10%	89%	1%
Reynolds Village	1%	1%	11%	87%	1%
South Buncombe Branch Library	1%	6%	15%	78%	2%
Turtle Creek Shopping Center	1%	7%	14%	78%	1%



UNC Asheville	1%	3%	18%	78%	3%
Weaverville Town Hall	1%	1%	9%	90%	1%
West Asheville Community Center	1%	5%	15%	79%	3%

2018 General EV Vote Shares

Site Name	Asian	Black	Other	Latiné
Asheville Mall	1%	5%	9%	86%
Black Mountain Branch Library	1%	2%	5%	93%
Buncombe County Permits & Inspection	1%	5%	8%	87%
Dr. Wesley Grant Sr - Southside CTR.	1%	28%	7%	65%
Enka/Candler Branch Library	1%	1%	6%	93%
Fairview Branch Library	1%	1%	5%	94%
Leicester Branch Library	1%	1%	4%	95%
North Asheville Branch Library	1%	7%	7%	91%
South Buncombe Branch Library	1%	5%	7%	88%
Weaverville Town Hall	1%	1%	5%	95%
West Asheville Branch Library	1%	4%	9%	86%

Note: percentages in tables above are rounded and may not add up to 100%.

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