



Arizona's Reforms Make It Easy to Vote and Hard to Cheat

Arizona's strong early voting turnout helps demonstrate how the state's election integrity reforms maintained easy voter access.

STRONG EARLY VOTING NUMBERS

- Nearly 1.6 million Arizonans [returned](#) early voting ballots, out of the 3 million early ballots requested.
- Estimates by the National Association of Latino Elected and Appointed Officials project a [record number](#) of Latinos – over 644,000 – to cast a vote this year.
- This follows August primary elections that saw voter registration approach levels reached during the 2020 general election.
 - Arizona [counted](#) nearly 4 million registered voters for the 2022 primary.
- Registration and ballots cast in Arizona's 2022 primary were the [most](#) for a primary ever recorded in the state.

NEW LAWS WORKING TO MAKE ARIZONA'S ELECTION MORE SECURE

- Arizona's election success comes as the state has taken important steps to make voting easier to do and harder to cheat.
- The state's [House Bill 2492](#) – passed in early 2022 and signed into law – restores proof-of-citizenship requirements when registering to vote in elections.
 - Lack of voter ID requirements in the state resulted in more than ten thousand people voting in Arizona's 2020 election who had never proven their citizenship.
 - The general public overwhelmingly supports reserving exclusive voting rights for citizens.
- Another bill – Senate Bill 1485 – was signed in May of 2021 to [protect voters](#) by cutting down on the number of early voting ballots unnecessarily in circulation.
- These laws followed a wealth of other [voting reforms](#) taken by Gov. Doug Ducey and the Arizona legislature to ensure the integrity of Arizona's elections.

PROVING PROGRESSIVE FEAR MONGERING WRONG

- Arizona's successful elections fly in the face of scare tactics used by state Democrats and radical left groups to attack election integrity legislation.
- Arizona Democrats have [compared](#) a swell of new election bills in Arizona to a 21st Century "Jim Crow, an "[attack](#) on "democratic norms," and even [called](#) House Bill 2492 a "power grab to restrict Arizonans' voting rights."
- However, the continued popularity and success of Arizona's elections is proof that elections can be made more secure without burdening voters.
- In 2022, Arizonans can be confident in the integrity and security of their elections, while enjoying historic levels of participation in our democratic process.