Board of Elections Budget Overview

$98.5 million
FY20 Preliminary Budget

$116.3 million
Average Annual Spending FY13-FY18

+$25 million
New Needs in FY19 Since FY19 Adoption

517
Full-Time Positions

+30,000
Poll Workers

$250
Poll Worker Salary

87.8%
Poll Worker Attendance

+2,000
BOE Interpreters

Board of Elections Historical Actual Expenditures

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Poll Worker Performance

![Bar chart showing the number of poll worker complaints and poll worker attendance percentage for fiscal years FY14 to FY18.](chart)

Voter complaints regarding poll workers: 422 (FY14), 446 (FY15), 304 (FY16), 721 (FY17), 460 (FY18).

Poll worker attendance on Election Day (%): 87.5% (FY14), 84.8% (FY15), 89.1% (FY16), 93.2% (FY17), 87.8% (FY18).

New York State Election Reforms

**Enacted**
- Early Voting
- Synchronization of Federal and State Primary Elections
- Voter Pre-registration for 16- and 17-year-olds
- Statewide Registration Portability

**Under Review**
- Electronic Poll Books
- Automatic Voter Registration
- Universal Absentee Ballots
- Same Day Voter Registration

Board of Elections Contract Budget

- 37 Contracts.
- Printing Contracts include ballots, voter registration forms, and mailings.
- Contract Budget varies based on the number of elections each fiscal year.

Sources: OMB, State Senate