

# Candidate Filing/Statement Submission System Improvements

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Application	Location	Description
WEI Admin	Offices	Office detail displays when entering incumbent information.
WEI Admin	Offices	Corrected some column alignment issues in the Excel report used to export all offices for a year.
WEI Admin	Office Candidates Measures	Search results details open in a new window by default.
WEI Admin	Candidates	Improved search functions: 1) Split Candidate Search into two search tabs, one for candidate management and one for Voters' Guide management. 2) Added Write-in and Used Override to search (filter) options. Improved search results: 1) Candidate Search results appear slightly different than Voters' Guide Search results to better focus on the purpose of the search and reduce the need to scroll right while working on Voters' Guide content.
WEI Admin	Candidates	Hitting "Enter" saves changes to the page and no longer resends the congratulations email to the candidate.
WEI Admin	Candidates	Resolved error page issues in candidate management and ordering screens.
WEI Admin	Candidates	When using IE10, you no longer need to use compatibility mode to copy in a statement.
WEI Admin	Candidates	If "Is Write-In Candidate" is checked, then checking "Approved" and saving candidate detail no longer no longer sends the candidate a statement submission email.
WEI Admin	Candidates	In Candidate Management, the election winner name is pulled from the ballot name field instead of the VRDB registered name.
WEI Admin	Candidates	Updated language in Candidate Detail to reduce write-in entry errors.
WEI Admin	Candidates	Moved the override alert to the jurisdiction and office area to make it more prominent.
WEI Admin	Candidates	Visually grouped candidates together by race to make ordering easier.
WEI Admin	Candidates	Added the following columns to the Excel report: 1) Filing Method 2) Write-In 3) Approval (Date/Time) 4) Last Modified (Date/Time)
WEI Applets	Offices Open/ Candidates Who Have Filed	Footnote added to define asterisk as "indicates partial county"
WEI Applets	Online Candidate Filing	Improved usability on the candidate details review page.

WEI Applets	Online Candidate Filing	Added Freeholders to type of candidate allowed to file for more than one office in the same election (like PCO). Included Freeholders to receive warning about filing multiple times.
WEI Applets	Statement Submission	Mac users can upload a statement.
WEI Applets	Statement Submission	Created a more seamless option for candidates between from candidate filing and statement submission.
WEI Applets	Statement Submission	Updated the italics tool to work more like the tool in MS Word.
WEI Applets	Statement Submission	Improved usability on the statement entry, photo upload, review, and confirmation pages.
WEI Applets	Statement Submission	Candidates can save incomplete work to return and complete later.
WEI Applets	Statement Submission	Updated word count to calculate anything with a space and certain special characters as two words.
WEI Applets	Statement Submission	Contact information entry requires email address to be entered by candidates twice to reduce instance of errors.
WEI Applets	Statement Submission	When a candidate selects "I choose not to submit a statement" or "I choose not to submit a photo", the fields are deactivated and warnings appear.
WEI Applets	Statement Submission	After submitting a statement, a candidate can no longer use the back button to resubmit a different statement.
WEI Applets	Statement Submission	After a candidate submits a statement, they will be sent an email notification that the statement was received.
WEI Applets	Results Reporting	Adjusted the system to allow for testing prior to election night without publically reporting test results.
MyVote	MyBallot	Spanish updates to ballot instructions.
MyVote	Voter Registration	Date of Birth dropdown changed to eliminate ability of 16 year olds to submit an application.
MyVote	Voter Registration	Provides ability for counties to identify ballot receipt method.
MyVote	Voter Registration	Added a transition page from "my voter registration information" page to update my address page to allow for the display of transfer-specific information on this page, and registration-specific information on the new voter registration page.
MyVote	Translations	Added language tags throughout MyVote to allow for translations.



















