



**Media Contacts:**

**Starley Ard, MFCEP**  
Public Relations Coordinator  
352-620-3290 ext. 221  
[SArd@VoteMarion.Gov](mailto:SArd@VoteMarion.Gov)

**Wesley Wilcox, CERA**  
Marion County Supervisor of Elections  
352-620-3290  
[WWilcox@VoteMarion.Gov](mailto:WWilcox@VoteMarion.Gov)

## North Marion Recognized as Winner of 7th Annual High School Voter Registration Challenge

**Marion County, FL. October 11** - The Marion County Supervisor of Elections is pleased to announce that North Marion High School has won the 7th Annual High School Voter Registration Challenge for the second year in a row and three times in total.

The High School Voter Registration Challenge is an initiative that has been designed to encourage high school students to register to vote and has received numerous awards for its effectiveness. The challenge is a competition that takes place annually between public high schools in Marion County. The school with the highest participation rate is declared the winner and receives a traveling trophy to display.

The challenge, which took place from April to May this year, received an impressive response from high schools across Marion County, with a total of 323 applications collected. North Marion High School led the way with the highest participation rate of 72.2%, submitting 65 voter applications.

Since its inception, this program has continued to gain momentum, and a cumulative total of 2,878 voter registration applications have been collected over the years. However, the true impact of this initiative goes beyond numbers, as it encourages the next generation of voters to engage in the electoral process and exercise their right to vote.

###



Marion County Supervisor of Elections | 981 NE 16th St, Ocala, FL 34470 | 352-620-3290 [Elections@VoteMarion.Gov](mailto:Elections@VoteMarion.Gov) | [www.VoteMarion.Gov](http://www.VoteMarion.Gov)

Connect with us!

