



# Craig Latimer Supervisor of Elections

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### Notification Letters Mailed in Hillsborough County

Hillsborough County, FL - On May 3, 2023, the Hillsborough County Supervisor of Elections Office reported working with federal, state and local law enforcement officials to investigate an incident of criminal cyberactivity. The investigation has determined that an unauthorized user appears to have illegally accessed and copied files containing personal identification information, such as social security or driver license numbers, primarily from files used to conduct voter registration list maintenance.

Voter registration list maintenance is the state-mandated process by which the office continually reviews its voter roll to identify necessary updates. It's important to note that the voter registration system and the ballot tabulation system, which have additional layers of security, were **not** accessed.

This illegal data breach affects approximately 58,000 people, and they will receive notification letters this week to make them aware that their information has been illegally accessed.

Since the criminal investigation is still active, no further information can be shared at this time.

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