

Median Activity of House General Election Candidates

	2004			2002			2000			1998			1996			1994		
	Number of Candidates	Receipts	Disbursements	Number of Candidates	Receipts	Disbursements	Number of Candidates	Receipts	Disbursements	Number of Candidates	Receipts	Disbursements	Number of Candidates	Receipts	Disbursements	Number of Candidates	Receipts	Disbursements
Democrats																		
Incumbents	193	\$818,151	\$757,300	193	\$743,096	\$647,649	206	\$669,286	\$550,152	194	\$543,794	\$435,532	170	\$523,020	\$471,566	226	\$534,172	\$501,155
Challengers	177	\$59,861	\$58,826	160	\$24,607	\$22,696	178	\$70,079	\$67,746	162	\$58,991	\$51,760	211	\$112,694	\$112,343	130	\$63,092	\$60,989
Open Seats	33	\$920,183	\$838,834	45	\$988,539	\$962,205	32	\$837,754	\$834,632	34	\$665,139	\$651,920	53	\$609,190	\$604,865	47	\$514,543	\$514,071
Republicans																		
Incumbents	210	\$999,910	\$858,875	199	\$798,216	\$759,363	197	\$782,025	\$703,496	211	\$644,432	\$546,599	213	\$700,220	\$610,166	157	\$473,192	\$416,080
Challengers	163	\$48,636	\$47,892	163	\$29,822	\$28,970	175	\$36,085	\$36,158	149	\$74,338	\$71,534	172	\$80,754	\$77,887	217	\$115,999	\$114,884
Open Seats	36	\$1,327,636	\$1,296,071	44	\$1,165,275	\$1,153,146	32	\$1,110,567	\$1,094,830	32	\$874,647	\$835,243	51	\$609,524	\$591,536	47	\$581,634	\$580,409

Number of House Nonincumbents Who Reported receipts of at least \$100,000

	2004		2002		2000		1998		1996		1994		1992	
	Number	Percent of Category	Number	Percent of Category	Number	Percent of Category	Number	Percent of Category	Number	Percent of Category	Number	Percent of Category	Number	Percent of Category
Dem Chl	70	39.55%	Dem Chl	53	33.13%	Dem Chl	79	44.38%	Dem Chl	108	51.18%	Dem Chl	52	40.00%
Dem Open	23	69.70%	Dem Open	38	84.44%	Dem Open	24	75.00%	Dem Open	49	92.45%	Dem Open	46	97.87%
Rep Chl	62	38.04%	Rep Chl	49	30.25%	Rep Chl	63	36.00%	Rep Chl	79	45.93%	Rep Chl	117	53.92%
Rep Open	30	83.33%	Rep Open	42	95.45%	Rep Open	30	93.75%	Rep Open	47	92.16%	Rep Open	46	97.87%

Reported receipts of at least \$200,000

	2004		2002		2000		1998		1996		1994		1992	
	Number	Percent of Category	Number	Percent of Category	Number	Percent of Category	Number	Percent of Category	Number	Percent of Category	Number	Percent of Category	Number	Percent of Category
Dem Chl	54	30.51%	Dem Chl	43	26.88%	Dem Chl	66	37.08%	Dem Chl	84	39.81%	Dem Chl	39	30.00%
Dem Open	22	66.67%	Dem Open	36	80.00%	Dem Open	22	68.75%	Dem Open	48	90.57%	Dem Open	44	93.62%
Rep Chl	46	28.22%	Rep Chl	33	20.37%	Rep Chl	48	27.43%	Rep Chl	60	34.88%	Rep Chl	92	42.40%
Rep Open	29	80.56%	Rep Open	40	90.91%	Rep Open	30	88.24%	Rep Open	45	88.24%	Rep Open	46	97.87%

Reported receipts of at least \$400,000

	2004		2002		2000		1998		1996		1994		1992	
	Number	Percent of Category	Number	Percent of Category	Number	Percent of Category	Number	Percent of Category	Number	Percent of Category	Number	Percent of Category	Number	Percent of Category
Dem Chl	38	21.47%	Dem Chl	29	18.13%	Dem Chl	44	24.72%	Dem Chl	61	28.91%	Dem Chl	21	16.15%
Dem Open	21	63.64%	Dem Open	34	75.56%	Dem Open	21	63.64%	Dem Open	44	83.02%	Dem Open	35	74.47%
Rep Chl	29	17.79%	Rep Chl	22	13.58%	Rep Chl	30	17.14%	Rep Chl	36	20.93%	Rep Chl	53	24.42%
Rep Open	28	77.78%	Rep Open	39	88.64%	Rep Open	29	85.29%	Rep Open	41	80.39%	Rep Open	36	76.60%

Total Number of Incumbents Seeking Reelection and Number of Open Seat Districts

	2004	2002	2000	1998	1996	1994	1992	1990	1988
No. of Incumbents	406	396	408	407	389	393	371	409	413
No. of Open Seats	34	45	32	33	51	47	75	30	27

(The number of incumbents plus open seats does not always equal the total number of districts because some districts had two incumbents running in 1992 and 2002.)