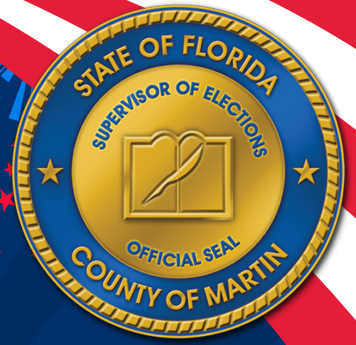




Celebrating, America's 250

★★ **Let Freedom Ring!** ★★

Fiscal Year Report 2025-2026

Accuracy ★ Transparency ★ Innovation ★ Integrity ★ Public Service

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A MESSAGE FROM Vicki Davis

Martin County Supervisor of Elections

As your Martin County Supervisor of Elections, I am pleased to share our 2025–2026 Annual Report.

This report highlights the work of the Elections Office and reflects our continued commitment to serving you — the voters of Martin County — with transparency, accuracy, security, and professionalism.

Over the past year, one of our most meaningful efforts has been the launch of our “Beyond the Lobby” transparency tours. Through these tours, we have welcomed residents, community leaders, students, churches, and local organizations into our office for a behind-the-scenes look at how elections are administered in Martin County. Visitors have had the opportunity to participate in mock elections using our new DS 300 voting machines, ask questions, meet members of our team, and see firsthand the safeguards in place to protect the integrity of every election.

As our nation prepares to celebrate the 250th anniversary of the United States of America, we are reminded of the importance of civic participation and the responsibility we share in protecting the right to vote. My team and I remain committed to ensuring that every eligible voter has access to the ballot, whether voting by mail, voting early, or voting on Election Day.

Please know that my door is always open. I am honored by the trust you have placed in me, and it is my privilege to serve the citizens of Martin County each day.

I look forward to seeing you at the polls in 2026. Whether you vote in the August 18 Primary Election, the November 3 General Election, or both, your voice matters. Let’s make freedom ring in Martin County by participating in the election process and making our voices heard.

Vicki Davis

Martin County's 7th Supervisor of Elections

MISSION STATEMENT:

As a gatekeeper of the democratic process, the Supervisor of Elections will uphold the election laws of the State of Florida and the constitution of the United States. The mission of the Supervisor of Elections is to enhance public confidence; encourage citizen participation; and increase voter awareness and education for citizens of all ages.

Equipment Upgrade: New DS 300 Voting Equipment



The Supervisor of Elections recently upgraded the county's voting equipment purchased from Election Systems & Software (ES&S). This upgrade replaces the eighteen year old models that have served the county since 2008 to provide an efficient and trustworthy voting experience for every voter.

Fifty new DS 300 machines were purchased using the Supervisor of Elections equipment replacement fund — a reserve account established upon taking office in 2005 to ensure aging voting equipment could be updated responsibly without requesting additional funding from the Board of County Commissioners. This approach demonstrates our commitment to fiscal responsibility and proactive planning.

The DS 300 tabulators will be used by our voters throughout the 2026 election cycle for ballot scanning and tabulation from Early Voting through Election Day...and for years to come!

Current Registered Voters

Gender	Total Voters
Female	60,231
Male	52,806
Undesignated	1,119
	114,156
Age Group	Total Voters
18-25	8,269
26-40	17,921
41-64	38,007
65+	49,959
	114,156
Party	Total Voters
Republican	62,105
Democratic	23,416
No Party Affiliation	23,591
America First Party of Florida	209
American Solidarity Party of Florida	70
Boricua Party	39
Coalition with A Purpose Party	76
Conservative Party of Florida	436
Constitution Party of Florida	185
Ecology Party of Florida	47
Florida Forward Party	15
Green Party of Florida	64
Independent Party of Florida	3,630
Jeffersonian Party of Florida	0
Libertarian Party of Florida	258
MGTOW Party	3
Party for Socialism and Liberation - Florida	12
We the People Florida	0
	114,156

Processed Voter Registrations

Voter Registration Transactions Processed

13,631

Voter Registration Transactions Processed

10,419

Pre-Registered Voters

*16 & 17-year old
pre-registered voters*

Gender	Total Voters
Female	197
Male	228
Undesignated	3
	428

Party	Total Voters
Republican	231
Democratic	59
No Party Affiliation	99
America First Party of Florida	8
American Solidarity Party of Florida	2
Boricua Party	1
Coalition with A Purpose Party	0
Conservative Party of Florida	4
Constitution Party of Florida	0
Ecology Party of Florida	0
Florida Forward Party	0
Green Party of Florida	0
Independent Party of Florida	24
Jeffersonian Party of Florida	0
Libertarian Party of Florida	0
MGTOW Party	0
Party for Socialism and Liberation - Florida	0
We the People Florida	0
	428

Gender	Total Voters
Female	127
Male	136
Undesignated	18
	281

Party	Total Voters
Republican	139
Democratic	44
No Party Affiliation	66
America First Party of Florida	8
American Solidarity Party of Florida	0
Boricua Party	1
Coalition with A Purpose Party	1
Conservative Party of Florida	0
Constitution Party of Florida	0
Ecology Party of Florida	0
Florida Forward Party	1
Green Party of Florida	0
Independent Party of Florida	20
Jeffersonian Party of Florida	0
Libertarian Party of Florida	1
MGTOW Party	0
Party for Socialism and Liberation - Florida	0
We the People Florida	0
	281

Voter Registration Activity

New Registrants	Voter Removals	Party Changes
3,354	6,096	2,727

New Registrant Demographics

Gender	Total Voters
Female	1,651
Male	1,655
Undesignated	48
	3,354
Age Group	Total Voters
18-25	18-25
26-40	26-40
41-64	41-64
65+	65+
	3,354
Party	Total Voters
Republican	1,812
Democratic	569
No Party Affiliation	651
America First Party of Florida	37
American Solidarity Party of Florida	16
Boricua Party	1
Coalition with A Purpose Party	11
Conservative Party of Florida	49
Constitution Party of Florida	4
Ecology Party of Florida	4
Florida Forward Party	2
Green Party of Florida	4
Independent Party of Florida	178
Jeffersonian Party of Florida	0
Libertarian Party of Florida	15
MGTOW Party	0
Party for Socialism and Liberation - Florida	1
We the People Florida	0
	3,354

Voter Registration Activity

New Registrants	Voter Removals	Party Changes
1,799	3,678	2,292

New Registrant Demographics

Gender	Total Voters
Female	197
Male	228
Undesignated	3
	428

Age Group	Total Voters
18-25	411
26-40	341
41-64	592
65+	455
	1,799

Party	Total Voters
Republican	977
Democratic	309
No Party Affiliation	343
America First Party of Florida	46
American Solidarity Party of Florida	3
Boricua Party	3
Coalition with A Purpose Party	7
Conservative Party of Florida	4
Constitution Party of Florida	2
Ecology Party of Florida	5
Florida Forward Party	1
Green Party of Florida	2
Independent Party of Florida	89
Jeffersonian Party of Florida	0
Libertarian Party of Florida	7
MGTOV Party	0
Party for Socialism and Liberation - Florida	1
We the People Florida	0
	1,799

District Voter Registration

Type	Total	Dems	Reps	NPA	Other
Congress					
Congressional District 21	115,411	23,583	62,874	23,868	50,086
Senate					
Florida Senate 31	115,411	23,583	62,874	23,868	5,086
House					
House District 85	29,100	5,433	16,583	5,854	1,230
House District 86	86,311	18,150	46,291	18,014	3,856
Total	115,411	23,583	62,874	23,868	5,086
County Commission					
County Commission District 1	25,919	5,406	13,989	5,258	1,266
County Commission District 2	19,398	4,564	9,818	4,058	958
County Commission District 3	21,994	4,568	11,780	4,696	950
County Commission District 4	23,612	4,873	12,711	4,993	1,035
County Commission District 5	24,488	4,172	14,576	4,863	872
Total	115,411	23,583	62,874	23,868	5,086
Municipalities					
City of Stuart	12,457	3,351	5,686	2,557	681
Town of Sewalls Point	1,776	336	1,037	334	69
Town of Ocean Breeze	621	86	389	115	31
Jupiter Island	705	83	453	139	30
Village of Indiantown	2,258	789	737	637	95
Total	17,817	4,645	8,484	3,782	906
Community Development Districts					
Terra Lago	182	40	78	51	13
Newfield	158	20	90	44	4
Hobe-St. Lucie Conservancy	0	0	0	0	0
Troup-Indiantown	0	0	0	0	0
Waterside	0	0	0	0	0
Total	340	60	168	95	17
Environmental District					
Loxahatchee River Env Dist	5,008	799	2,945	1,070	194

Voter Removal Demographics

Removal by Reason	Total Voters
Deceased	1,847
Moved Out of County	3,876
Merged Duplicate	11
Moved Out of State	135
Felony Conviction	138
Request From Voter	78
Mentally Incompetent	6
Not a U.S. Citizen	5
	6,096

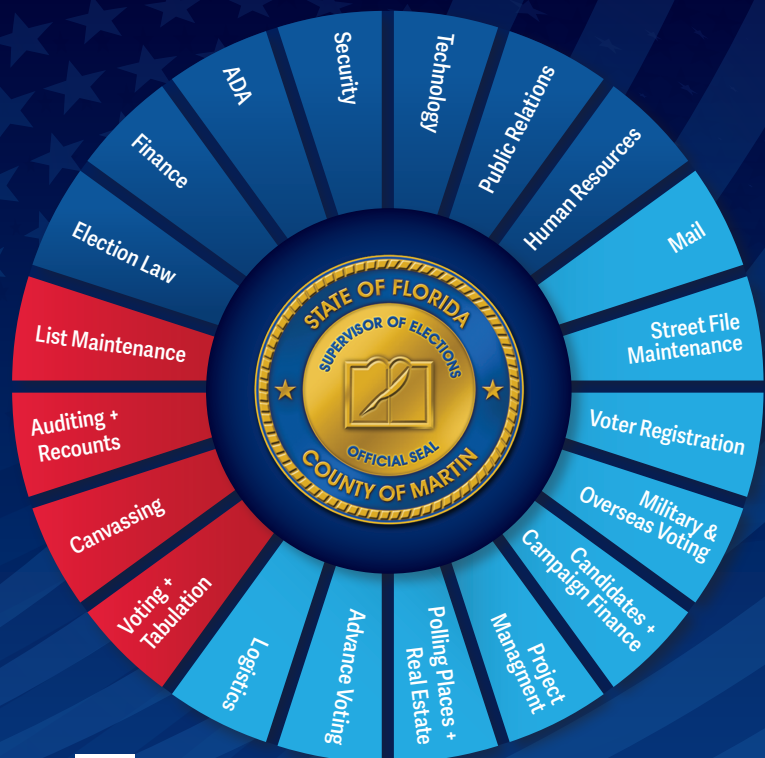
Removal by Reason	Total Voters
Deceased	945
Moved Out of County	2,520
Merged Duplicate	7
Moved Out of State	66
Felony Conviction	70
Request From Voter	44
Mentally Incompetent	5
Not a U.S. Citizen	21
	3,678

Petitions Verified

Petitions	Total
Local Candidate Petitions	8,093
Statewide Candidate Petitions	1,885
Initiative Petitions	13,160
	23,138

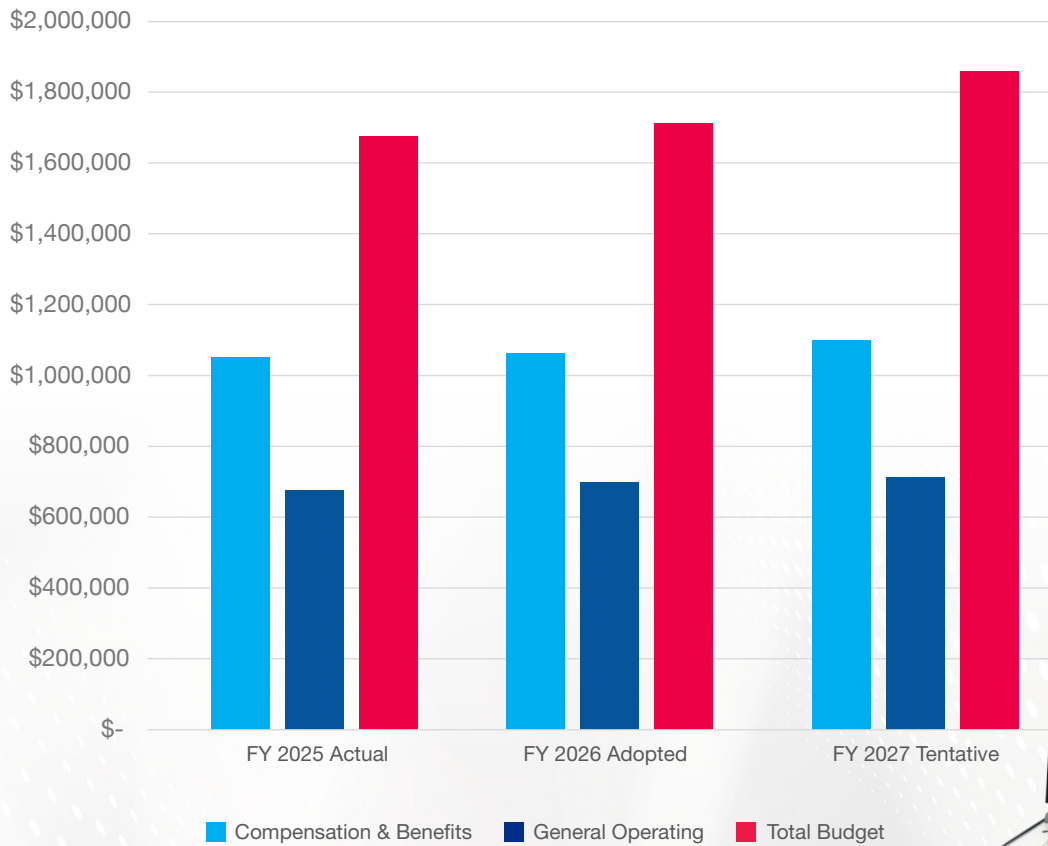
Election Administrator Competencies

- Ongoing
- Election Preparation
- Election Night & Beyond



Budget 2025-26

	FY 2025 ACTUAL	FY 2026 ADOPTED	FY 2027 TENTATIVE
Compensation & Benefits	\$1,041,967	\$1,063,070	\$1,145,150
General Operating	\$683,590	\$698,004	\$728,329
TOTAL	\$1,725,557	\$1,761,074	\$1,873,4794



Voting Equipment Replacement Reserve
\$218,494 ▶



Canvassing Board

Established by Florida law, the Canvassing Board is responsible for a number of activities in the conduct of elections and the attainment of results.

This independent board reviews and verifies ballots, oversees the canvassing process, certifies, and audits the official election results. This oversight provides voters with confidence in the accuracy and transparency of each election.



The Martin County Canvassing Board for the upcoming 2026 election cycle is composed of:



Judge
Kathleen Roberts

Chair of the Canvassing Board



County Commissioner
Edward V. Ciampi



Supervisor of Elections
Vicki Davis



County Commissioner
Eileen Vargas

Alternate



County Judge
Darren Steele

Alternate



Safe & Secure Elections



Law enforcement plays a critical role in ensuring every eligible voter can exercise their right to vote.

Our longstanding partnership with the Martin County Sheriff's Office and the City of Stuart Police Department reinforces safety as a top priority for voters, poll workers, and election officials while fostering trust together with a welcoming voting environment throughout the election process.

We would like to thank our local law enforcement for continuing to protect and serve on behalf of our voters!



Community Outreach ★ Highlights ★

CONNECTING WITH VOTERS OF ALL AGES



Focus on Achievements

Advancing Expertise Through Workshops & Conferences

The Elections Office places a high value on continuing education, professional training, and staff development. Our commitment to maintaining a highly skilled and knowledgeable staff ensures we uphold the highest standards of election administration and compliance.

In 2025, Lisa Rodriguez, Deputy of Voter Services Administration, graduated from the National Elections Center with her Certified Elections Registration Administrator (CERA) Certification. Congratulations to Lisa, the fourth member of the election's team to earn this prestigious credential, demonstrating our dedication to fostering professionalism at every level.

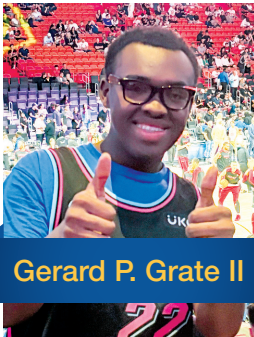
Martin County also hosted a statewide Election Worker Workshop, welcoming over seventy participants from across the state of Florida. The event, held at Indian River State College's Wolf Center, fostered continued collaboration among our state's election professionals as participants learned from each other through shared best practices.

These ongoing educational efforts reinforce our commitment to provide every voter an exceptional voting experience at each early voting site and precinct.



Empowering Future Leaders:

LET FREEDOM RING THROUGH OPPORTUNITY



Gerard P. Grate II

In the interest of further political study, I was excited at the prospect of being at the Martin County Center for Elections because of the experience and aptitude gained from this environment. Political Science and Economics have been a passion of mine since my earlier days in high school. It would only be customary that I follow in the footsteps of my education and pursue higher political paths. This opportunity right here will allow me to understand the Martin County voting system, but also the general impact of voting overall.



Breanna Hood

I chose to work at the Supervisor of Elections office here in Martin County to gain a greater appreciation for being an American voter and for our elections. The voting process is important to me because each vote represents an intentional contribution toward the molding of our country's future. It is a beautiful process to be a part of.

A prospective goal of mine is to pursue a legal career focused on juvenile justice, advocating for at-risk youth and working to protect their rights. My goal is to remain committed to the pursuit of justice and to empower those who are unable to advocate for themselves.



Alyssa Coppock

I am a recent graduate of Fort Pierce Westwood Academy and am currently completing my Associate of Arts degree in Political Science at IRSC. I plan to continue my education at IRSC by pursuing a bachelor's degree in Public Administration.

Throughout high school, I was involved in several leadership and civic organizations, which inspired my passion for public service and civic engagement. I am passionate about helping people understand the importance of participating in the democratic process, and I enjoy learning how our government works while finding meaningful ways to serve my community.

A Vision for Growth:



MARTIN COUNTY ELECTIONS OFFICE EXPANSION PLANS



In 2025, the Board of County Commissioners approved the expansion of the existing building at the Supervisor of Elections office.

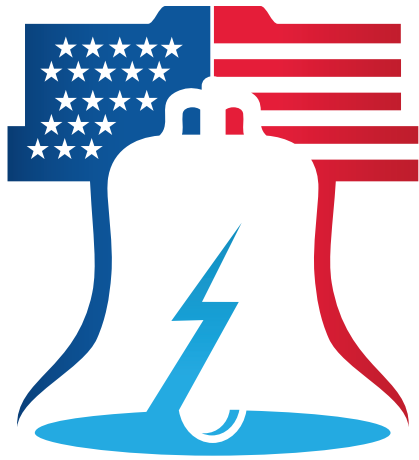
This expansion project will provide space to enhance growing operational needs and enhance the voting experience.



The building expansion will include a dedicated multi-use room for training election workers, additional meeting space, and the Canvassing Board, which will offer more transparency and a welcoming public viewing area. Construction will begin early 2027, with the new training space ready by Fall 2027, to prepare for the 2028 presidential election cycle.

The current facility layout will also change to expand early voting operations, allowing more voters to be processed quickly with shorter wait times and allowing for more voting booths for those choosing to vote early.

These improvements will strengthen the Elections Office's ability to serve more voters while maintaining secure and efficient elections.



Let Freedom Ring:

Why We Serve As Election Workers!



Owen Morris

"Ever since middle school, politics has been my passion. I grew up consuming the election news cycle and watching live election results unfold on TV. It has always been my dream to be part of the action. I found that action in my senior year at Jensen Beach High School. I signed up as an election worker,

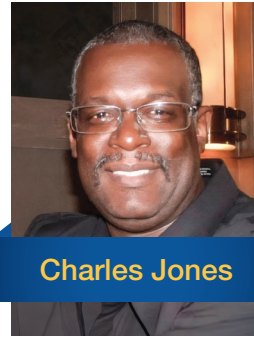
not for the service hours, but for the shared feelings of community, civic duty, and local pride. I'm always proud to see every voter walk out of the polling booth, confident and assured that our team treats their choice with the utmost security and integrity. We check our personal beliefs at the door to serve our neighbors with respect and care, as they exercise their sacred right to vote. As a young person invested in our democracy, I am extremely grateful to be a part of this dedicated organization and the Martin County community."



Barb Twigg

I enjoy working as an Election Clerk for Martin County Elections because it allows me to serve my community and support the election process. The training and guidance provided are excellent and help me feel prepared and confident in my role. I appreciate working alongside a dedicated team

and take pride in helping ensure that every voter has a positive experience.



Charles Jones

I've voted in every election since 1980, beginning in West Virginia after turning 18. Over the years, I voted in five states before settling in Florida 19 years ago. As an African American, I vote to honor those, including members of my family and neighbors, who fought for that right. In 2008,

Marian "Mother" Carpenter encouraged me to become an election worker. After training, I joined Precinct 14 at Port Salerno Church of God as the DS200 technician. In 2022, I became a precinct clerk, completing a meaningful full-circle journey. I'm proud to help ensure elections are conducted fairly, accurately, and with integrity, and I plan to continue serving as long as I'm able.



Mike DeMeo

I started in 2008 and this will be my 18th year. I enjoy being an election worker because it gives me the opportunity to serve my community and help ensure that the voting process is fair, accurate, and accessible to everyone. It is rewarding to assist voters answer their questions and help them

participate in an important civic responsibility. Being an election worker allows me to contribute to the democratic process while meeting people from diverse backgrounds and making a positive impact on Election Day.

2026 NOTICE OF ELECTIONS

Florida is a Closed Primary State:

- ★ In a primary election, you are entitled to vote the official primary election ballot of the political party you are registered with and no other, FS 101.021.
- ★ You must be registered with your party of choice 29 days before a primary election, FS 97.055.
- ★ At the general election you may vote for any candidate or question on the ballot, regardless of party affiliation.

Primary Election



July 20
Book Closing

Deadline to make Party Changes & Register to Vote

July 9 - Aug. 6
Vote by Mail

Ballots are mailed from 40 days to 10 days before an election

August 8 - 15
Early Voting*

8am to 5pm Daily.
Locations: Elections Center, Hobe Sound Library, and Elisabeth Lahti Library

August 18
Election Day

All precincts open 7am to 7pm

General Election



October 5
Book Closing

Deadline to Register to Vote

Sept. 24 - Oct. 22
Vote by Mail*

Ballots are mailed from 40 days to 10 days before an election

October 21 - 31
Early Voting*

8am to 5pm Daily. **Locations:** Elections Center, Hoke Library, Robert Morgade Library, Peter & Julie Cummings Library, Elisabeth Lahti Library, Hobe Sound Library

November 3
Election Day

All precincts open 7am to 7pm

*Vote by Mail secure ballot intake stations available during Early Voting

Offices Up For Election

Federal

- ★ United States Senate
- ★ United States Representative

State

- ★ Governor & Lieutenant Governor
- ★ Attorney General
- ★ Chief Financial Officer
- ★ Commissioner of Agriculture
- ★ State Representative
District 85
District 86
- ★ Circuit Judges, 19th Circuit

County

- ★ County Commissioners
District 2
District 4
- ★ School Board
District 1
District 3
District 4
- ★ County Judges

*Vote by Mail requests are now
being accepted for the 2026
election cycle*

Check Your
Voter Status!





Conclusion

As we conclude this annual report, we do so with deep appreciation for the trust you place in the Martin County Supervisor of Elections office.

Our commitment remains anchored in accuracy, transparency, innovation, integrity, and exceptional public service. Each election cycle strengthens our dedication to delivering the highest standards in everything we do, ensuring that every eligible voter can participate with confidence.

Innovation continues to guide our mission. We work year-round to expand voter education, improve technology, strengthen security, and provide clear, accessible information so you have everything you need to cast your ballot and make your voice heard. Whether through enhanced outreach, upgraded voting equipment, or ongoing improvements to our processes, we strive to ensure that voting in Martin County is reliable, efficient, and empowering for every voter.

As we look ahead to the 2026 election cycle, we recognize that there is no better way to honor America's 250th anniversary than by taking part in our nation's most powerful tradition: voting. Florida continues to serve as the platinum standard in election administration, and your Martin County elections team is committed to upholding that distinction. We encourage every eligible voter to Let Freedom Ring by casting a ballot, whether early, by mail, or on Election Day on August 18 and November 3, 2026. Together, we make history by ensuring that every voice is heard and every vote counts.

Vicki Davis

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Engage with us!



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