



# Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission

## PRESS RELEASE

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**SUBJECT: CELEBRATING GROWTH IN VOTER REGISTRATION: STATUS UPDATE AS AT THURSDAY, 9<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2026**

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**Nairobi, Kenya: 10<sup>th</sup> April 2026**

The Independent Electoral and Boundaries Commission (IEBC) is proud to provide a status update on the ongoing Enhanced Continuous Voter Registration (ECVR) exercise, which commenced on 30<sup>th</sup> March and will run until 28<sup>th</sup> April 2026. This exercise is being conducted across all the 1,450 County Assembly Wards (CAWs), institutions of higher learning, Huduma Centres, Customer Experience Centre at Anniversary Towers and Constituency Offices. In addition, the Commission is engaging stakeholders at the National, County and Constituency on the voter registration exercise.

### **A Heartfelt Gratitude to Our New Voters**

The Commission is deeply inspired by the patriotic spirit displayed by Kenyans over the past week. We wish to extend our sincere appreciation and congratulations to the hundreds of thousands of citizens who have stepped forward to claim their right to vote.

In just seven days, we have witnessed a remarkable surge in numbers. This growth is not just a statistic; it is a testament to a nation that is awake, engaged, and ready to take charge of its destiny. To every Kenyan who stood in line this week: Thank you for answering the call of your country.

### **A Call to National Duty: Secure Our Future**

As we look toward the 2027 General Election, we must remember that a vibrant democracy thrives only through the participation of its people. Registering as a voter is the first and most vital step in deepening our democratic roots and ensuring sound, accountable leadership for the next generation.

To those who are yet to register: Your country needs you. We urge you to visit our registration centres with a sense of

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pride and purpose. By registering today, you are not just getting a card; you are securing a seat at the table where Kenya's future will be decided. Let us demonstrate our love for Kenya by turning out in even larger numbers in the coming days.

## Registration Statistics as at 9<sup>th</sup> April 2026

The momentum is building, and the figures reflect a nation eager for progress:

- i. New registered voters: The number of new registered voters since the beginning of ECVR on 30<sup>th</sup> March 2026 to 9<sup>th</sup> April 2026 is **875,501**. Therefore, since the last update of 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2026, the Commission has recorded an increase of **531,185 new voters**.
- ii. Transfers: **49,502**
- iii. Change/update of particulars: **1,066**

Detailed county-by-county breakdowns are annexed to this release.

## Security

While the exercise has proceeded smoothly, the Commission notes with concern a few incidents where staff were attacked. We condemn these acts of cowardice and reiterate that the safety of our personnel is paramount. We call upon the security organs and all Kenyans to protect our officers as they perform this sacred national duty.

## Voter Details Verification

Existing voters are encouraged to confirm their details via our online portal at [verify@iebc.or.ke](mailto:verify@iebc.or.ke)

Stand up, register, and be counted.

**ERASTUS EDUNG ETHEKON, HSC  
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## Voter Registration Report as at 9<sup>th</sup> April 2026

County Code	County	Enrollment	Transfers of Registration	Changes of Particulars
001	Mombasa	21,258	2,599	35
002	Kwale	11,841	315	9
003	Kilifi	23,980	835	3
004	Tana River	9,063	255	12
005	Lamu	4,810	120	-
006	Taita Taveta	10,266	645	12
007	Garissa	11,156	983	5
008	Wajir	9,477	250	4
009	Mandera	7,337	874	9
010	Marsabit	9,829	150	2
011	Isiolo	5,379	249	12
012	Meru	27,502	1,044	26
013	Tharaka - Nithi	10,957	277	4
014	Embu	9,154	475	21
015	Kitui	23,095	592	17
016	Machakos	30,686	1,551	54
017	Makueni	16,086	588	11
018	Nyandarua	7,906	596	32
019	Nyeri	18,839	1,110	35
020	Kirinyaga	15,474	816	17



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021	Muranga	20,194	1,665	33
022	Kiambu	46,265	3,331	79
023	Turkana	25,012	667	4
024	West Pokot	14,279	243	1
025	Samburu	8,319	175	1
026	Trans Nzoia	15,974	979	17
027	Uasin Gishu	20,065	918	36
028	Elgeyo/Marakwet	9,137	147	3
029	Nandi	17,768	458	11
030	Baringo	14,064	164	5
031	Laikipia	10,057	599	26
032	Nakuru	32,559	2,811	42
033	Narok	18,937	498	43
034	Kajiado	21,731	616	6
035	Kericho	17,656	295	5
036	Bomet	15,371	167	7
037	Kakamega	40,110	2,049	18
038	Vihiga	9,849	825	19
039	Bungoma	26,820	1,762	16
040	Busia	14,340	973	8



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041	Siaya	15,706	398	5
042	Kisumu	16,549	489	12
043	Homa Bay	14,269	444	34
044	Migori	16,547	474	8
045	Kisii	24,785	2,839	56
046	Nyamira	8,146	883	8
047	Nairobi City	96,897	10,309	243
<b>Total</b>		<b>875,501</b>	<b>49,502</b>	<b>1,066</b>

### NB:

*Voter registration is NOT currently taking place in electoral areas with scheduled by-elections or ongoing election petitions. These areas include Porro Ward, Endo Ward, Emurua Dikirr Constituency, Ol Kalou Constituency, Malava Constituency and Mbeere North Constituency.*

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