

City of Watertown (Carver County)

	<u>2020</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2008</u>
Population	4,659	4,286	4,256	4,216
Approx. voting-age population ¹	3,587	3,300	3,277	3,246
Pre-registered voters	2,897	2,493	2,342	2,359
Same-day registration	236	284	353	454
Total registrations	3,133	2,777	2,695	2,813
Number voting in person	2,006	2,103	2,108	2,091
Absentee and mail-in ballots	709	155	110	90
Other absentee ²	2	2	1	0
Total votes cast	2,717	2,260	2,219	2,181
Ratio for votes: registrations	87%	81%	82%	78%
Turnout - votes: voting age pop.	76%	68%	68%	67%
Votes for Republican candidate	1,708 (63%)	1,407 (62%)	1,353 (61%)	1,290 (59%)
Votes for Democrat candidate	912 (34%)	635 (28%)	801 (36%)	820 (38%)
Votes for other/no candidates	97	218	65	71

1) 77% of total population based on state demographer/census. 2) Includes citizens long-term overseas and those who moved away within 30 days of election.

Sources: Voting/election data from MN Secretary of State; population from MN State Demographer and US Census.