

**Maine Costs for Ranked-choice Voting in 2018**  
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<b>Description of Cost Items</b>	<b>Amount</b>
<b><u>Start-up Costs</u></b>	
Purchase hardware for Local Area Network	\$29,231
<b>Total Start-up costs</b>	<b>\$29,231</b>
<b><u>June 12, 2018 Primary Election Costs</u></b>	
Lease of RCV software (ERM, RCV Utility)	\$22,400
High speed tabulator lease (DS850)	\$18,925
Courier Services (ballot retrieval)	\$30,875
<b>Total primary election costs</b>	<b>\$72,200</b>
<b><u>November 6, 2018 General Election Costs</u></b>	
Lease of RCV software (ERM, RCV Utility)	\$22,400
High speed tabulator lease (DS850)	\$18,925
Courier Services (ballot retrieval)	\$30,875
Printing and Delivery for Separate Referendum Ballot	\$268,173
<b>Total general election costs</b>	<b>\$340,373</b>
<b>Total 2018 Costs for RCV</b>	<b>\$441,804</b>