Straight Party Voting - General Elections - Linn County								
Year	Democrat	Republican	Green	Libertarian	New Independent Party Iowa	Total Straight Party	Total Cards Cast in Election	Percentage of Cards that were Straight Party
2002	15,955	12,303	129	335	N/A	28,722	73,894	38.87%
2004	25,029	17,005	138	529	N/A	42,701	111,110	38.43%
2006	22,391	13,891	N/A	N/A	N/A	36,282	78,275	46.35%
2008	27,279	15,212	600	N/A	N/A	43,091	113,721	37.89%
2010	17,107	13,988	N/A	637	N/A	31,732	80,632	39.35%
2012	33,054	18,499	N/A	N/A	N/A	51,553	118,711	43.43%
2014	20,269	16,285	N/A	347	776	37,677	86,950	43.33%
2016	23,924	16,454	N/A	820	1,275	42,473	118,116	35.96%

These stats reflect the number of voters who fills in an oval to the party of their choice under the Straight Party category on the ballot. It is possible for these same voters may have voted for other partisan races either within their party or across party lines. In those instances, the vote will override the straight party vote for only that race. It is impossible to know how many people voted straight party and no other partisan races.