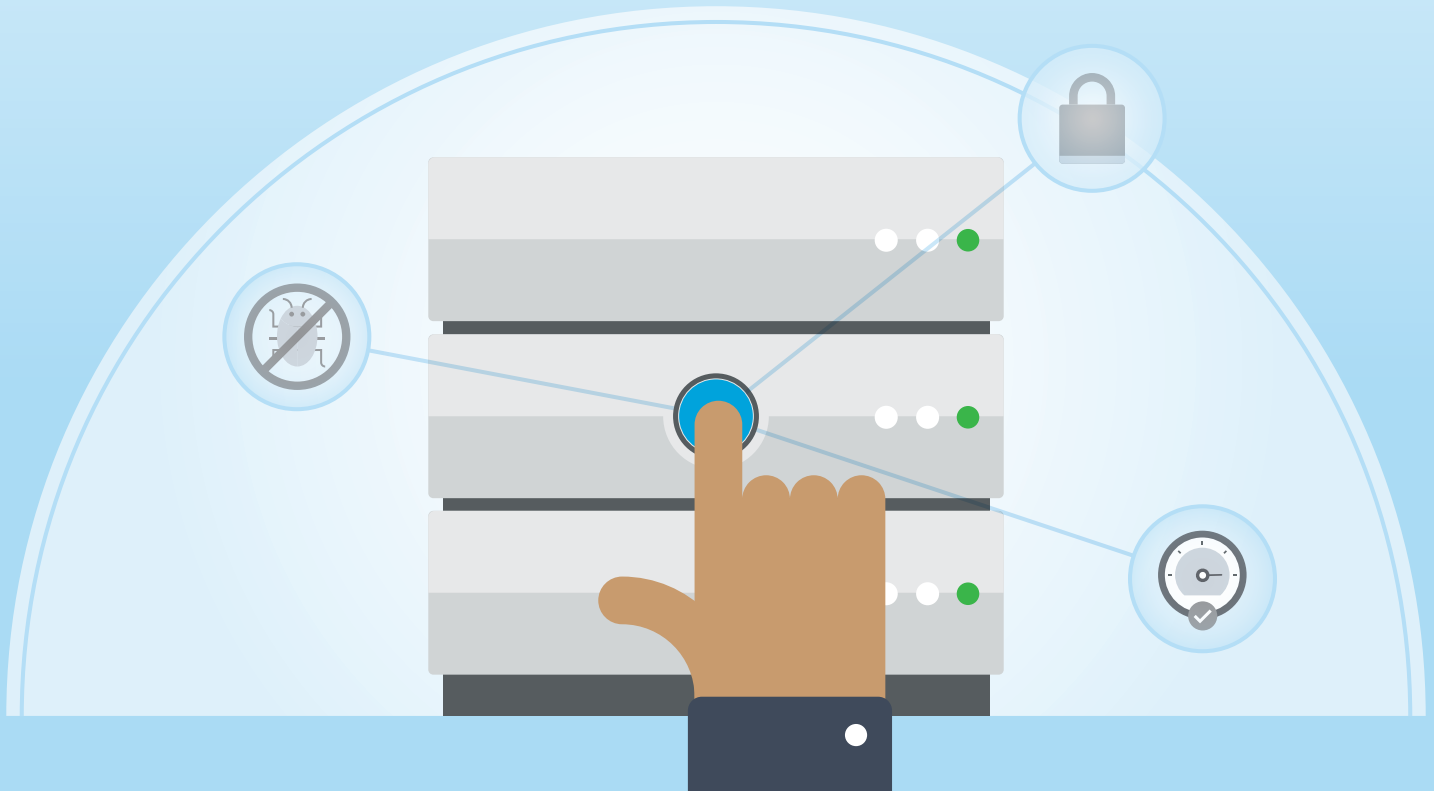




# Empower<sup>TM</sup>

Data Management Solution



## A One-Click Solution

ES&S' Empower solution provides secure data hosting, storage and management for millions of records, saving our customers the time, money and staff required to install and manage a web hosting system.

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87% of ES&S' VR customers host on Empower

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## TAKE CONTROL... PARTNER WITH ES&S

We believe our customers should be supported throughout the whole election process. That includes data storage and management. Companies offering "cloud self-service" models put all the responsibility on you. Our associates have over 35 years of collective hosting experience and are ready to support you.

- Dedicated environment for election data
- No outsourcing to a non-election platform
- No data on a public cloud
- No on-premise data management

## IS EMPOWER A CLOUD SOLUTION?

No. Your data is too important to be in "the cloud." ES&S hosts data and applications centrally and manages them for you. The only similarity to a cloud solution is that ES&S' Empower solution is convenient and cost-effective.

## WHY HOST WITH ES&S?

We don't just host your data; we understand it. For more than 40 years, ES&S has worked exclusively in the election industry. We care about what you do.

### KEY FEATURES & BENEFITS

## PROTECTION



Empower provides defense in depth with multiple security levels. Each level complements the other to provide data protection in various ways. No matter the circumstance, you are protected against internal and external threats. ES&S ensures that the application design and controls are in place to protect sensitive data, monitor access and address regulatory compliance.

- SSAE 16 Certified and PCI-compliant facilities
- Physical firewalls
- Virtual firewalls
- Anti-virus and anti-malware
- Intrusion detection, intrusion prevention, and data integrity checking
- Physical and virtual partitioning of data

## TIME SAVINGS



Free up your IT department and allow them to shift focus from deploying and supporting applications to managing the services that those applications provide. Allowing your IT department to realign and focus their efforts and activities will help your resources drive greater business value.

- Fully managed with hardware and software maintained by ES&S in our environment
- Monitor network stability
- Licensing
- Ease of use as ES&S
  - Tests and installs patches
  - Manages upgrades
  - Monitors performance
  - Ensures high availability

## STABILITY



ES&S developed Empower for jurisdictions that cannot sacrifice the time, staff or money required to maintain hardware and software.

- Predictable budget
- Minimal commitment of resources
- Reduce variable costs
- No up-front investment



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