



General Election – November 3, 2020

CANVASSING BOARD MEETING Monday, October 12, 2020

County Judge Kenneth A. Gottlieb, Chair
Michael Udine, County Commissioner
Peter Antonacci, Supervisor of Elections

Also, in Attendance: Nathaniel A. Klitsberg, Counsel
Mark Journey, Counsel

SOE Staff
Mary Hall
Tiawan McNeal
Patricia Santiago
John Wolf

Convened: 1:00 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER

The Canvassing Board meeting was called to order by Judge Kenneth Gottlieb at 1:00 p.m.

Motion to approve minutes from last Canvassing Board meeting was granted by Canvassing Board members.

BOARD TO CONSIDER VOTE-BY-MAIL

Chief Mary Hall briefed Canvassing Board members on Vote-by-Mail ballots. About 560,000 Vote-by-Mail ballots were mailed and 150,000 Vote-by-Mail ballots were received. The office has received as of today: 138 Vote-by-Mail (VBM) ballots with no signature, 41 VBM ballots with signature differ, 69 VBM ballots signed by other than voters, and 62 VBM ballots from voters that moved away. Election staff members have been trying to reach out voters by phone, email and mail. 14 Vote-by-Mail Ballots Cure Affidavits received.

Canvassing Board members inspected the following categories of Vote-by-Mail ballots today.

- Vote-by-Mail ballots publicly reviewed and challenged.
- Vote-by-Mail ballots already reviewed during today's inspection period.
- Already duplicated ballots.
- Under and Overvote Ballots - Motion to duplicate all under and overvote ballots and to be tabulated was approved by the Canvassing Board members.



- Partial Overvote Ballots that need to be reviewed by Canvassing Board members for direction on how to duplicate ballots.
- Vote-by-Mail ballots to be reviewed for voter intent.
- Vote-by-Mail ballots from last Canvassing Board meeting that were duplicated and need to be verified by the Canvassing Board members. Motion to approve the duplicated ballots and to be tabulated as well as the ones put aside to be reduplicated was granted by Canvassing Board members.

NEXT MEETING DATE

The Canvassing Board members will recess until Wednesday, October 14, 2020 at 1:00 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

With no further business to be conducted, Judge Kenneth Gottlieb adjourned the Canvassing Board Meeting at 4:09 p.m. to reconvene Wednesday, October 14th.