



## General Election – November 3, 2020

### CANVASSING BOARD MEETING Friday, October 23, 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

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 BALLOTS**

Chief Mary Hall briefed Canvassing Board members on Vote-by-Mail ballots. Approximately 592,000 Vote-by-Mail ballots were mailed and 315,000 Vote-by-Mail ballots were received. As of today, a total of 64,604 Vote-by-Mail ballots were dropped off at Early Voting sites. 119,202 people voted early as of 1:00 p.m. today. There are 208 Vote-by-Mail (VBM) ballots with no signature, 40 VBM ballots with signature differ, 77 VBM ballots signed by other than voter, 28 ballots returned by voters that moved away. Election staff members continue to reaching out voters.

- Review of Vote-by-Mail Ballot Cure Affidavits
  - (23) Vote-by-Mail ballots with no signatures and voters submitted Cure Affidavit. Motion to approve and tabulate Vote-by-Mail ballots was granted by the Canvassing Board Members.



- (3) Vote-by-Mail ballots signed by other than voter and voters provided Cure Affidavit. Motion to approve and tabulate Vote-by-Mail ballots was granted by the Canvassing Board members.
- (2) Vote-by-Mail ballots with signature differ and voters provided Cure Affidavit. Motion to approve ballots and to tabulate was granted by the Canvassing Board members.
- Vote-by-Mail ballots already reviewed by the board for voter intent and duplicated are presented to Canvassing Board members to verify that ballots were duplicated correctly.
- (1) Overvote ballot reviewed by the Canvassing Board members.
- Duplicated Vote-by-Mail ballots reviewed by the Canvassing Board members.
- Voter Intent Vote-by-Mail ballots presented to Canvassing Board members for review and to provide guidance on how to duplicate.

#### **NEXT MEETING DATE**

The Canvassing Board members will recess until Monday, October 26, 2020 at 3:00 p.m.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

With no further business to be conducted, Judge Kenneth Gottlieb recessed the Canvassing Board Meeting at 2:30 p.m. to reconvene on Monday, October 26<sup>th</sup>.