

Municipal Elections – March 11, 2025

CANVASSING BOARD MEETING Wednesday, February 19, 2025

IN ATTENDANCE:

Canvassing Board Members

County Judge Jennifer Wigand Hilal, Chair
Beam Furr, County Mayor
Joe Scott, Supervisor of Elections

SOE Staff

Mary Hall, Chief Deputy Supervisor of Elections
Kevron Aird, Deputy Supervisor of Elections
Tiawan McNeal,
Other members of the SOE's staff

Also, in Attendance

Devona Reynolds Perez, SOE Counsel
Scott Andron, Canvassing Board Counsel
Members of the Public

MEETING CONVENED: 10:00 A.M.

The meeting was called to order by Judge Jennifer Hilal at 10:00 a.m. In attendance were Judge Jennifer Hilal, County Mayor Beam Furr and Supervisor of Elections, Joe Scott.

Pledge of allegiance

Chief Deputy Mary Hall welcomed the Canvassing Board members and provided an overview of the Public Logic and Accuracy (L&A) Testing process (handout). She announced that the following election equipment would be tested: (10) Election Day DS200s, (6) DS850s, (2) ExpressVotes, (6) Fujitsu FI-7900 scanners.

Chief Deputy Mary Hall mentioned that a candidate in Deerfield Beach, Caryl Berner, submitted her withdrawal letter on 2/13. As a result, no votes will be counted for her in this election. The board approved a motion to proceed with the L&A Testing.

Kevron Aird introduced himself and provided all zero tapes from the DS200s and DS850s to the Canvassing Board members for review. The board confirmed that the machines were zeroed out and authorized election staff to proceed with the L&A Test. It was also noted that the election machines used in the public testing were zeroed out in front of the Supervisor of Elections (SOE) before the Canvassing Board meeting began.

A motion to approve item # 4 (Authorization for (1) the Processing of Vote-by-Mail Ballots; and (2) the Opening, Tabulating and Duplication of Vote-by-Mail Ballots) from the agenda was granted by the Canvassing Board members. Additionally, the board approved the Guidelines and Procedures for the Conduct of Board Meetings, Observer, and Public Participation at Meetings.

Canvassing Board legal counsel Scott Andron, in collaboration with SOE legal counsel Devona Reynolds Perez, delivered a PowerPoint presentation on the Standards for Voter Intent Questions (handout).

The results of the Logic and Accuracy Test were presented to the Canvassing Board members for verification against the provided script. The board reviewed and confirmed the results, signing the summary report. A motion to proceed with Clear Ballot testing was approved by the board.

At 11:06 a.m., the board approved a motion to recess for 20 minutes.

Upon resuming the meeting, Kevron Aird presented the results of the Clear Ballot System to the Canvassing Board members for review and comparison with the script. A motion to zero out all tested equipment was granted by the board.

Supervisor Joe Scott explained a change in the process regarding voter intent with write-in votes. Images will be presented to the Canvassing Board members for review. The SOE staff will conduct an initial review and count of write-ins, after which ballots containing any type of writing will be brought to the Canvassing Board for final review.

At 11:35 a.m., the board approved a motion to recess for 20 minutes.

Upon returning, Kevron Aird presented the zero tapes from all tested equipment to the Canvassing Board members for verification. The board approved a motion to seal the equipment. The DS200s seals list was provided to the Canvassing Board members, and all L&A Testing materials were stored in a bin with seal numbers 0857021 and 0857022.

Public inspection will begin tomorrow from 8:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m., Monday through Friday as indicated in the Public Notice posted on the SOE website.

NEXT MEETING DATE

The next Canvassing Board meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 5, 2025 at 10:30 a.m.

Supplemental Canvassing Board schedule, unless otherwise noted:

- March 11, 2025 at 6:00 p.m.
- March 14, 2025 at 10:00 a.m. (need alternate for the Mayor)

RECESS

With no further business to be conducted, Judge Jennifer Hilal recessed the Canvassing Board meeting until March 5th at 10:30 a.m. at 12:06 p.m.

Attachment: DS200 Seal List



DS200 MACHINE LIST – 2025 Municipal Election (E237) L & A

L & A NUMBER	DS200 MACHINE	INVENTORY CODE	ASSET		SEAL		SEALS	QC
			TAG	SERIAL NUMBER	BAG	BAG		
1	A011-2	2400047	319236	DS0313400479	5422	178111, 178112, 178113, 178114, 178115		
2	A014-2	2401299	319031	DS0313400256	5428	178141, 178142, 178143, 178144, 178145		
3	F002-2	2401271	319271	DS0313400516	5436	178181, 178182, 178183, 178184, 178185		
4	F004-2	2400774	319435	DS0313400738	5440	178201, 178202, 178203, 178204, 178205		
5	Q020-2	2400645	318878	DS0313400095	5452	178261, 178262, 178263, 178264, 178265		
6	W006-2	2400329	319222	DS0313400464	5464	178321, 178322, 178323, 178324, 178325		
7	W017-2	2400886	319347	DS0313400609	5486	178431, 178432, 178433, 178434, 178435		
8	X009-2	2401671	318823	DS0313400038	5508	178541, 178542, 178543, 178544, 178545		
9	X012-2	2401179	326102	DS0318361085	5514	178571, 178572, 178573, 178574, 178575		
10	X025-2	2400326	318879	DS0313400096	5541	178706, 178707, 178708, 178709, 178710		

BIN SEAL LIST

BIN	BIN SEALS	QC
1	0857021, 0857022	
2	0857025, 0857026	