



Oath of Authenticity

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) ss.
COUNTY OF WHATCOM)

I solemnly swear that the unofficial returns and supporting documentation of the Special Election held on February 9, 2021, in Whatcom County, State of Washington, are true and correct.

Diana Bradrick
Diana Bradrick, County Auditor

Subscribed and sworn before me this 19th day of February 2021.

Barry Buchanan, County Council Chair, County Legislative Authority (witness)

Royce Buckingham, County Civil Deputy Prosecuting Attorney (witness)

Certification of the Canvassing Board

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The undersigned officers designated by law as constituting the Canvassing Board for the County of Whatcom, State of Washington, hereby certify that this is a full, true, and correct copy of the Abstract of Votes including the number of registered eligible voters, cumulative results, precinct results, and report of votes cast at the Special Election held on February 9, 2021, in Whatcom County, State of Washington

Witness our hands and official seal this 19th day of February 2021.

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Whatcom County Auditor

Reconciliation Form

General information

County name: Whatcom
 Election date: 2/9/2021

Registered voters eligible to participate

Active registered voters: 37
 Inactive registered voters: 8

Category Reconciliation (detailed accounting of ballots)

	Issued (number of voters issued ballots)	Credited voters in VoteWA (envelopes containing ballots)	Ballots Accepted (Counted / Tabulated)	Ballots not counted		Discrepancy (If zero, category balances)
				Ballots forwarded to other counties	Ballots Rejected	
UOCAVA	1	0	0	N/A	0	0
Federal write-in	N/A	0	0	N/A	0	0
Provisional	0	0	0	0	0	0
DREs	0	0	0	N/A	0	0
All voters not reported in above categories	40	8	8	0	0	0
Total for all voter categories	41	8	8	0	0	0

Summary

Reconciliation

Overall Ballot Reconciliation

Ballots Received	8
Ballots Accepted	8
Ballots Not Counted	0
Discrepancy	0

Voters credited to ballots counted

Credited voters in VoteWA	8
Credited envelopes without ballots	0
Voters not credited in VoteWA (examples: FWAB or ACP)	0
Total valid ballots	8
Discrepancy	0

Additional Information

Replacement Ballots

Requested	3
Issued	3
Returned	0
Counted	0
Rejected	0

Return method

Email	0
Fax	0
Deposited at staffed, unstaffed deposit sites and voting centers	0
Non-UOCAVA returned by Fax or Email	0

Generation method

VoteWA	4
Other online programs	0
PDF originating from county	0
Non-UOCAVA ballots issued electronically	0

AVU

Estimated number of paper ballots printed by AVU	0
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Category discrepancy explanation

VoteWA discrepancy explanation

Report prepared by: Jessie Smiley

Date: February 18, 2021

Contact number: 360-778-5131

Reconciliation Form

Data entry

General information

County name

Whatcom

Election date

2/9/2021

Registered voters eligible to participate

Number of ACTIVE registered voters

37

Number of INACTIVE registered voters

8

Total registered voters eligible to participate

45

VoteWA

How many voters were credited in VoteWA?

8

How many envelopes without ballots were credited, including ballots of other elections?

-

How many valid voters were NOT credited in VoteWA (ACP, FWAB)?

Adjusted number of valid voters

8

Ballots issued

What was the total number of ballots issued?

41

Of the total number above, how many UOCAVA ballots were issued?

1

Of the total number above, how many provisional ballots were issued?

-

Of the total number above, how many DRE ballots were issued?

-

Voted ballots received

How many voted ballots (in total) did you receive?

8

Of the number above, how many UOCAVA ballots did you receive?

-

Of the number above, how many Federal write-in ballots did you receive?

-

Of the number above, how many provisional ballots did you receive?

Of the number above, how DRE ballots were cast?

-

Ballots Accepted

How many ballots (in total) were counted/tabulated?

8

Of the number above, how many UOCAVA ballots were counted/tabulated?

-

Of the number above, how many Federal Write-in ballots were counted/tabulated?

-

Of the number above, how many provisional ballots were counted/tabulated?

-

Of the number above, how many DRE ballots were counted/tabulated?

-

Ballots NOT Counted/Tabulated

Forwarded ballots

Total ballots forwarded to other counties?

-

Of the total number above, how many of the forwarded ballots were provisional ballots?

-

Of the total number above, how many of the forwarded ballots were late transfer?

-

Rejected ballots

Total ballots rejected

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of a missing signature?

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of the signature didn't match?

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of the ballot was Postmarked too late?

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected because they were returned electronically and no hardcopy was received?

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected other reasons?

-

Total UOCAVA ballots rejected

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of a missing signature?

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of the signature didn't match?

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of the ballot was Postmarked too late?

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected other reasons?

-

Total Federal Write-in Absentee ballots rejected

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of a missing signature?

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of the signature didn't match?

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of the ballot was Postmarked too late?

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected other reasons?

-

Total provisional ballots rejected

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of a missing signature?

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of the signature didn't match?

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of the ballot was Postmarked too late?

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected other reasons?

-

Total DRE ballots rejected

-

Additional Information

Replacement Ballots

How many replacement ballots were requested?

3

How many replacement ballots were issued?

3

How many replacement ballots were received?

-

How many replacement ballots were counted?

-

How many replacement ballots were rejected?

-

Ballot generation method

How many ballots were generated through VoteWA?	4
How many ballots were generated through other online programs?	-
How many ballots were generated through a PDF originating from the county?	-
How many non-UOCAVA ballots were issued by email, fax, or online program?	

Ballots returned

In total, how many ballots were returned by E-mail?	-
In total, how many ballots were returned by fax?	-
How many non-UOCAVA ballots were returned by E-Mail or fax?	-
How many ballots were deposited at staffed or unstaffed deposit sites and voting centers?	-

AVU

Please provide an estimate of the number of paper ballots printed by AVU	-
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Signature

Report prepared by

Jessie Smiley

Date

02/19/21

Contact number

360-778-5131

Completing this form fulfils the requirements in RCW 29A.60.235 and 2011 c 10 s 62

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Ballot Return Method:

Mail	8
DB – Courthouse	0

Rejected Ballots: 0

Undeliverable Ballots: 0

Late Ballots: 0

Statement of Votes Cast by Geography
Whatcom County, Washington, February 8, 2021 Special, Feb 09, 2021
All Precincts, All Districts, All ScanStations, All Contests, All Boxes
Total Ballots Cast: 8, Registered Voters: 37, Overall Turnout: 21.62%

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<u>Choice</u>	<u>Votes</u>	<u>Vote %</u>
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All Precincts

Concrete School District No. 11 (Vote for 1)

8 ballots (0 over voted ballots, 0 overvotes, 0 undervotes), 37 registered voters, turnout 21.62%

Levy Yes	6	75.00%
Levy No	2	25.00%
Total	8	100.00%
Overvotes	0	
Undervotes	0	



**Canvassing Board Meeting
February 9, 2021 Special Election**

Date: February 18, 2021

Meeting began: 10:00 am

In attendance: Diana Bradrick, County Auditor (Canvassing Board Member)
Royce Buckingham, Civil Prosecuting Attorney (Canvassing Board Member)
Barry Buchanan, County Council Chair (Canvassing Board Member)
Amy Grasher and Kellye Conner, Auditor Staff

Ms. Bradrick called the meeting to order at 10:00 am and declared the purpose of the meeting was to review and make a determination on challenged ballots presented to the Canvassing Board.

Amy Grasher presented the following:

1. 2 out of county ballots for transferred registrations were presented to the Canvassing Board. Mr. Buchanan made a motion to reject the ballots; the motion passed unanimously. (Exhibit A)

The final Canvassing Board meeting to certify the February 9, 2021 General Election will be Friday, February 19, 2021, at 10:00 am. Meeting adjourned at 10:09 am.

Minutes Approved By:


Diana Bradrick, County Auditor


2/23/21

Date


Royce Buckingham, Civil Prosecuting Attorney

2/24/21

Date


Barry Buchanan, County Council Chair

2/23/21

Date



**Canvassing Board Meeting
Certification of the February 9, 2021 Special Election**

Date: February 19, 2021

Meeting began: 10:00 am

In attendance: Diana Bradrick, Auditor (Canvassing Board Member)
Royce Buckingham, Civil Prosecuting Attorney (Canvassing Board Member)
Barry Buchanan, County Council Chair (Canvassing Board Member)
Amy Grasher and Kellye Conner, Auditor Staff

Ms. Bradrick called the meeting to order at 10:00 am and declared the purpose of the meeting was to certify the February 9, 2021 Special Election.

Mr. Buchanan gave the Oath of Authenticity to Ms. Bradrick; Ms. Bradrick signed the oath, Mr. Buchanan and Mr. Buckingham signed as witnesses.

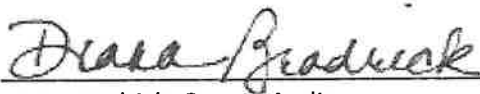
Ms. Grasher presented and reviewed the Whatcom County Canvassing Board Ballot Reconciliation Report. She then presented the Certification Reconciliation Report required by the state.

Ms. Grasher then presented the Official Elections Results. She reviewed the Summary Report and the Precinct Abstract Report that contains detailed information regarding votes in each precinct. Mr. Buchanan made a motion to accept the reports presented; the motion passed unanimously. Mr. Buchanan made a motion to reject the challenged ballots; the motion passed unanimously. Mr. Buchanan made a motion to certify the election; the motion passed unanimously.

Diana, Royce, and Barry signed the certification of the February 9, 2021 Special Election.

The meeting adjourned at 10:20 am.

Minutes Approved by:



Diana Bradrick, County Auditor

2/23/21

Date



Royce Buckingham, Civil Prosecuting Attorney

2/24/21

Date



Barry Buchanan, County Council Chair

2/23/21

Date