

**Orange County Canvassing Board Minutes
For the August 28, 2018, Primary Elections
Thursday, August 30, 2018 at 1:00 PM**

Attendance

Jeanette Bigney, County Judge, Board Chair
Betsy VanderLey, County Commissioner
Tina Caraballo, Alternate County Judge
Steve Jewett, Alternate County Judge
Bill Cowles, Supervisor of Elections
Nick Shannin, SOE Attorney
Silvana Bermudez, Recording Secretary

Public Attendees

Nine public attendees were present.

Canvassing Board Business

The meeting was called to order at 1:02 p.m.

Acknowledgement of Public Notification advertisement published in the Orlando Sentinel **on August 19, 2018.**

Two public members made a formal appearance.

Mikaela Nix
Shantele Bennett

Meeting Minutes from August 28, 2018, Orange County Canvassing Meeting was reviewed and accepted **Steve Jewett, County Judge, made a motion to approve the Minutes. Betsy VanderLey, County Commissioner seconded the motion. Motion approved.**

Review of Agenda for today's meeting given by **Bill Cowles, Supervisor of Elections**

Review of Election Update (Election Night Unofficial Results Report) given by **Bill Cowles, Supervisor of Elections**

Review of proposed timeline for certification and recount; if needed; given by **Bill Cowles, Supervisor of Elections**

Bill Cowles, Supervisor of Elections, explained the need for Logic and Accuracy test for recount and made a motion to start the Logic and Accuracy at 8:00 a.m. on Friday, August 31, 2018. Steve Jewett, County Judge, made a motion to approve. Motion seconded by Betsy VanderLey, County Commissioner, and passed unanimously.

The Canvassing Board conducted the required tasks:

- 1) Logic & Accuracy test
 - a) Post-Logic & Accuracy test for (DS850 from Election Night)
 - i) 5- DS850s were tested: (Vote-by-Mail Machines)
- 2) Verify School Board District 1
 - a) The verification determined that a recount is not needed
- 3) Verify School Board District 7
 - a) The verification determined that we need a recount

- 4) Verify Election Results
 - a) Precinct by precinct results verification
 - b) Vote-by-Mail ballot reconciliation
 - i) Ballots to Canvass
- 5) Canvass Provisional Ballots - Ballots rejected prior to 5:00 PM were rejected contingent on no pre 5:00 PM proof being received from the voter.
 - a) Election Day and Early Voting
- 6) Verification of vote count changes by precinct

Reviewed Canvassing Board Schedule; determined next meeting would be Friday, August 31, 2018 at 9:00 a.m. for Recount for School Board District 7.

There being no further business, **Jeannette Bigney, County Judge, made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Betsy VanderLey, County Commissioner, seconded the motion. All voted in favor, motion approved.**

The meeting adjourned 6:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted by:

Silvana Bermudez, Recording Secretary