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MACOMB COUNTY BOARD OF CANVASSERS

MEETING NOTICE

Date/Time: Wednesday, May 3, 2017, 1:00 p.m.

Location: Macomb County Board of Commissioners Committee Room
9th Floor, One South Main, Mount Clemens

AGENDA

- 1) Call to Order
- 2) Adoption of Agenda
- 3) Approval of Minutes – December 15, 2016 Recount
- 4) Public Participation (*3 minute limit, longer at discretion of Chairperson*)
- 5) Canvass and Certify Results of May 2, 2017 Election
- 6) Old Business
- 7) New Business
- 8) Adjournment

Board will temporarily adjourn at 4:30 p.m. each day and reconvene the following business day at 9:00 a.m. until completion of canvass.

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**MACOMB COUNTY BOARD OF CANVASSERS
DECEMBER 15, 2016 RECOUNT
UNOFFICIAL MINUTES**

The Macomb County Board of Canvassers met on Thursday, December 15, 2016 at the Sterling Heights Senior Center, 40200 Utica, Sterling Heights, Michigan, to conduct recounts for County Commissioner, District 4; Utica Mayor; and Romeo Village Trustee.

The following Board members were present:

Joanne Paraventi – Chair
Sarah Stovall – Vice Chair
Michelle DeBeaussaert – Canvasser
Janice Nearon – Canvasser

*Also Present: Roger Cardamone – Chief Election Clerk
Michael Grix – Election Department
Richard Strobl – Election Department
Frank Krycia – Assistant Corporation Counsel
Aaron Thomas – Assistant Corporation Counsel*

Call to Order

Joanne Paraventi called the meeting to order at 8:10 a.m.

Adoption of Agenda

A motion was made by Janice Nearon and seconded by Michelle DeBeaussaert to amend the agenda to move item 3 (public participation) to follow item 4 (approval of minutes) and adopt the amended agenda. The motion carried.

Approval of Minutes (November 8, 2016 Election Canvass)

A motion was made by Michelle DeBeaussaert and seconded by Janice Nearon to approve the minutes with the following changes:

- 1) The first paragraph should read “Tuesday, November 22.”
- 2) Under Approval of Minutes, it should read “A motion to accept was made by Michelle DeBeaussaert and seconded by Janice Nearon; the motion carried.”

Explanation of Recount

Roger Cardamone explained the recount procedures.

Public Participation

Joe Hunt (8306 Stanley, Warren MI 48093) spoke.

Recount of Votes Cast

The recount began at 9:00 a.m.

The following precincts were recounted:

City/Twp	Precinct	Old Seal	New Seal	Recountable
Sterling Heights	1	28117, 28118	28267, 28273	Yes
Sterling Heights	2	11278, 23448	28282, 11095	Yes
Sterling Heights	3	11921, 11922	11083, 28266	Yes
Sterling Heights	4	11252, 23405	28268, 11089	Yes
Sterling Heights	5	11283, 23409	28275, 11082	Yes
Sterling Heights	6	28142, 28143	28217, 28291	Yes
Sterling Heights	7	28124, 11255	11097, 28212	Yes
Sterling Heights	8	28136, 28149	28208, 28292	Yes
Sterling Heights	9	11289, 11290	28206, 28289	Yes
Sterling Heights	10	11901, 23421	11098, 28279	Yes
Sterling Heights	11	28144, 28145	28297, 28298	Yes
Sterling Heights	12	23436	28285	Yes
Sterling Heights	13	23403, 23427	28299, 28284	Yes
Sterling Heights	14	23417, 23451	28205, 28290	Yes
Sterling Heights	15	23455	28295	Yes
Sterling Heights	18	11281, 23411	11281, 28286	Yes
Sterling Heights	19	11298, 23401	11091, 28210	Yes

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Sterling Heights	20	11273, 23402	28207, 11094	Yes
Sterling Heights	22	28146, 23418	28293, 28294	Yes
Sterling Heights	25	11268, 28200	11096, 28203	Yes
Sterling Heights	30	23415, 23437	28296, 28202	Yes
Sterling Heights	35	11274, 23439	11182, 28201	Yes
Sterling Heights	1 (AV)	2767	11085	Yes
Sterling Heights	2 (AV)	2767	11085	Yes
Sterling Heights	3 (AV)	2767	11085	Yes
Sterling Heights	4 (AV)	9453	11074	Yes
Sterling Heights	5 (AV)	9453	11074	No
Sterling Heights	6 (AV)	9453	11074	Yes
Sterling Heights	7 (AV)	27266, 32965	28270	Yes
Sterling Heights	8 (AV)	2767	11085	Yes
Sterling Heights	9 (AV)	27266, 32965	28281	Yes
Sterling Heights	10 (AV)	27266, 32965	28281	Yes
Sterling Heights	11 (AV)	27266, 32965	28281	Yes
Sterling Heights	12 (AV)	11857, 14489	28280	Yes
Sterling Heights	13 (AV)	11857, 14489	28280	Yes
Sterling Heights	14 (AV)	11857, 14489	28271	Yes
Sterling Heights	15 (AV)	11857, 14489	28271	Yes
Sterling Heights	18 (AV)	11220	11090	Yes
Sterling Heights	19 (AV)	11220	11090	Yes
Sterling Heights	20 (AV)	11211	11087	Yes
Sterling Heights	22 (AV)	11211	11087	Yes
Sterling Heights	25 (AV)	11215	11072	Yes
Sterling Heights	30 (AV)	14483	11099	Yes
Sterling Heights	35 (AV)	28216	28272	Yes
Utica	1	9891, 20679	28300, 28204	Yes
Utica	2	8967, 8968	28209	Yes
Utica	3	90982, 363372	28214	Yes
Utica	1 (AV)	11171	11073	Yes
Utica	2 (AV)	11171	11073	Yes
Utica	3 (AV)	11171	11073	Yes
Bruce Twp	1	8755	11075	Yes
Bruce Twp	1 (AV)	8798, 8799	11086	Yes
Washington Twp	1	11950	11093	Yes
Washington Twp	1 (AV)	104556, 52525	523640	Yes

At 5:45 p.m., Roger Cardamone read the results.

For County Commissioner, District 4

43 precincts were recountable. 1 precinct was unrecountable.

Romano – Original total: 12,928; Recount total: 12,996 (excluding challenges)

Sierawski – Original total: 12,899; Recount total: 12,954 (excluding challenges)

For Utica Mayor

6 precincts were recountable. 0 precincts were unrecountable.

Czapski – Original total: 894; Recount total: 894

Dionne – Original total: 900; Recount total: 900

Wykes – Original total: 214; Recount total: 214

For Romeo Village Trustee

4 precincts were recountable. 0 precincts were unrecountable.

Bartholomew – Original total: 566; Recount total: 566

Ford – Original total: 561; Recount total: 561

Malzahn – Original total: 602; Recount total: 602

Mellen – Original total: 526; Recount total: 526

Poznanski – Original total: 565; Recount total: 565

Tornow – Original total: 341; Recount total: 341

Trapp – Original total: 308; Recount total: 308

The Board of Canvassers reviewed the nine challenges made during the recount:

Challenge	City/Twp	Precinct	Team Decision	Canvassers' Determination
1	Sterling Heights	25	Vote for Sierawski	Vote for Sierawski
2	Sterling Heights	25	Vote for Romano	No vote awarded
3	Sterling Heights	25	Vote for Sierawski	Vote for Sierawski

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4	Sterling Heights	25	Vote for Romano	Vote for Romano
5	Sterling Heights	13	Referred to County BOC	Accept recounted results
6	Sterling Heights	19	No vote awarded	No vote awarded
7	Sterling Heights	5	No vote awarded	No vote awarded
8	Sterling Heights	3	Vote for Romano	No vote awarded
9	Sterling Heights	25 (AV)	No vote awarded	No vote awarded

Roger Cardamone read the new vote totals (including challenges)

Romano – 12,997

Sierawski – 12,956

Motion to accept Recount Statements of Votes

A motion to accept the recounted results was made by Janice Nearon and seconded by Michelle DeBeaussaert.

New Business

None

Old Business

None

Public Participation

Joe Hunt (8306 Stanley, Warren MI 48093) spoke.

Karen Spranger (7520 Hudson, Warren MI 48091) spoke.

Steve Naumovski (8777 18-Mile Road, Sterling Heights MI 48313) spoke.

Judge Stephen Sierawski (40426 William, Sterling Heights MI 48313) spoke.

Joseph Romano (12236 Grindley, Sterling Heights MI 48312) spoke.

Adjournment

A motion to adjourn was made by Michelle DeBeaussaert and seconded by Janice Nearon. The motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 6:46 p.m.

Joanne Paraventi
Chair

Sarah Stovall
Vice Chair

Michelle DeBeaussaert
Canvasser

Janice Nearon
Canvasser

Carmella Sabaugh
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