



Milwaukee County Election Commission

Milwaukee County
Courthouse
Election Commission
Room G10
414-278-4060

Meeting Minutes

Chairperson: Tim Posnanski
Elections Director: Michelle R. Hawley
County Clerk: George L. Christenson

Thursday, April 4, 2024

9:00 AM

Courthouse Rm G7/Microsoft Teams
901 N. 9th Street
Milwaukee, WI

The Milwaukee County Board of Election Commissioners met as the County Board of Canvassers on Thursday, April 4, 2024 to convene the canvass of the April 2, 2024 Spring Election and Presidential Preference Election.

The meeting was convened by Chairman Posnanski at 9:02 a.m.

Deputy Clerk Stefan Dostanic called the roll:

Chairman Tim Posnanski – Present
Commissioner Dawn Martin – Present
Commissioner Helmut Fritz – Present

Quorum was established. Also present: County Clerk George Christenson, Elections Director Michelle Hawley, Deputy Elections Director Niko Owens, Information Coordinator Dan Benson, and members of the Elections Commission staff.

Elections Director Hawley delivered a brief update regarding election day and reported the unofficial election results. A total of 165,073 ballots were cast in this election and voter turnout was 34 percent. Unofficial election results may be found on the Election Commission webpage. The Board was also provided an update related to the county website going down on election night.

Elections Director Hawley provided the reporting units for the voluntary, independent audit which will be performed during the canvass. A report will be provided to the Board during the meeting to conclude the canvass related to the following reporting units:

- Village of Brown Deer (Wards 5,6)
- City of Cudahy (Wards 10,11,12)
- City of St. Francis (Wards 1,2,3,4)

Chairman Posnanski ordered the commencement of the County Canvass. The canvass will be conducted at the County Courthouse, Room G7 and is open to the public daily from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

The Milwaukee County Board of Election Commissioners will reconvene to certify the election results, sign Certificates of Election, and close the canvass. The deadline to certify results is April 12.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:07 a.m. by Chairman Posnanski.