**Orange County Canvassing Board Minutes**

**For the March 17, 2020, Presidential Preference Primary and Municipal Elections**

**Friday, March 20, 2020 at 1:00 p.m.**

**Attendance**

Tina Caraballo, Alternate County Judge, Chair

Victoria Siplin, County Commissioner

Bill Cowles, Supervisor of Elections

Steve Jewett, Alternate County Judge

Whitney Evers, County Attorney

Nick Shannin, SOE Attorney

Silvana Bermudez, Recording Secretary

**Public Attendees**

Marlin Daniels, Eatonville Candidate, Seat #4

Tarus C. Mack, Councilman Candidate, Seat #4

Maria Waldrop, City Clerk Maitland

Kathy Sotero, Deputy City Clerk Maitland

Cathleen Williams, Town Clerk Eatonville

Rene Cranis, City Clerk Winter Park

George Willians, Citizen of Town of Eatonville

Charles Bargaineer, Citizen of Town of Eatonville

James Bendernr, Citizen of Town of Eatonville

David Rucker

**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 March 8, 2020.

One member of the public made a formal appearance,

Marlin Daniels

Meeting Minutes from March 17, 2020, Orange County Canvassing Meeting was reviewed. **Victoria Siplin, County Commissioner, made a motion to approve the Minutes.** **Bill Cowles, Supervisor of Elections seconded the motion. All voted in favor, 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 given by Bill Cowles, Supervisor of Elections.

Bill Cowles, Supervisor of Elections, gave an update to the public attendees about the need of a recount for the Town of Eatonville, Council Seat #4, and determined the recount would take place on Monday, March 23, 2020 at 1:00 p.m.

The Canvassing Board conducted the required tasks:

1. Verify Election Results
   1. Precinct by precinct results verification
   2. Vote-by-Mail ballot reconciliation
      1. Ballots to Canvass
2. Canvass Provisional Ballots - Ballots rejected prior to 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, March 19, 2020 were rejected contingent on no pre 5:00 p.m. proof being received from the voter.
   1. Election Day and Early Voting
3. Verification of vote count changes by precinct
4. Logic & Accuracy test
   1. Post-Logic & Accuracy test for (5-DS850)

See attachment for those actions taken for each of the categories above

The first set of Unofficial Results, were presented to the Board for review and signature. **Tina Caraballo, Chair, County Judge, Victoria Siplin, County Commissioner, Bill Cowles, Supervisor of Elections signed the First Unofficial Results Certificate.**

Reviewed Canvassing Board Schedule;determined next meeting will be held on Monday, March 23, 2020 at 1:00 p.m. for Recount for the Town of Eatonville, Council Seat #4.

There being no further business, **Vitoria Siplin, County Commissioner, made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Bill Cowles, Supervisor of Elections, seconded the motion. All voted in favor, motion approved.**

The meeting adjourned 5:12 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted by:

Silvana Bermudez, Recording Secretary