

**CITY OF SHEBOYGAN**  
**MUNICIPAL BOARD OF CANVASSERS MINUTES**

**Friday, April 05, 2024**

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**BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:** City Clerk Meredith DeBruin, Chief Inspector Martha Leppanen, Chief Inspector Kris Williams

**STAFF/OFFICIALS PRESENT:** Election Specialist Sherrill Smith, Election Specialist Jessica Grosshuesch

**ATTENDEES:** Russ Otten, Joe Heidemann, Judith Pool, Arthur DeJong, Jon Dolson, Tom Reinthaler, Marcia Reinthaler, Wayne Briesbach

**OPENING OF MEETING**

1. Call to Order  
Meeting was called to Order at 8:30 a.m.
2. Roll Call  
Roll call was completed.
3. Pledge of Allegiance  
The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

**ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION**

4. Reconcile April 2, 2024 Presidential Preference Vote, Nonpartisan Office and Referendum

Ward 19 (District 10) – Christ Lutheran Church (Polling location)

Review poll list certification

Last voter number (A-L poll book): 170

Last voter number (M-Z poll book): 155

Total number of voters: 325

Page (A-L poll book): 36

Page (M-Z poll book): 62

Absentee voters indicated: 110

Provisionals: 0

Reviewed tapes.

Machine Unit #15 number of ballots: 229

Machine Unit #7 number of ballots: 96

Total number of ballots: 325

Difference of 0. Reviewed Inspectors' Statement.

Ward 20 (District 10) – Christ Lutheran Church (Polling location)

Review poll list certification

Last voter number (A-L poll book): 281

Last voter number (M-Z poll book): 298

Total number of voters: 579

Page (A-L poll book): 8

Page (M-Z poll book): 111

Absentee voters indicated: 177

Provisionals: 0  
Reviewed tapes.  
Machine Unit #15 number of ballots: 411  
Machine Unit #7 number of ballots: 168  
Total number of ballots: 579  
Difference of 0. Reviewed Inspectors' Statement.

Reviewed total votes for each Candidate for District 10:  
Marcia L. Reinthaler = 407  
Joseph V. Heidemann = 411  
Board of Canvassers certified for Office of Alderperson – District 10 the candidate with the highest number of votes was Joseph V. Heidemann.

Ward 15 (District 8) – Bethany Reformed Church (Polling location)

Review poll list certification  
Last voter number (A-L poll book): 115  
Last voter number (M-Z poll book): 104  
Total number of voters: 219  
Page (A-L poll book): 9  
Page (M-Z poll book): 87  
Absentee voters indicated: 66  
Provisionals: 0  
Reviewed tapes.  
Machine serial #\*\*77 number of ballots: 105  
Machine serial #\*\*48 number of ballots: 96  
Total number of ballots: 219  
Difference of 0. Reviewed Inspectors' Statement.

Ward 16 (District 8) – Bethany Reformed Church (Polling location)

Review poll list certification  
Last voter number (A-L poll book): 232  
Last voter number (M-Z poll book): 231  
Total number of voters: 463  
Page (A-L poll book): 24  
Page (M-Z poll book): 138  
Absentee voters indicated: 131  
Provisionals: 0  
Reviewed tapes.  
Machine serial #\*\*77 number of ballots: 446  
Machine serial #\*\*48 number of ballots: 17  
Total number of ballots: 463  
Difference of 0. Reviewed Inspectors' Statement.

Review total votes for each Candidate for District 8:  
Zachary Rust = 378  
Jesse Roethel = 251  
Board of Canvassers certified for Office of Alderperson – District 8 the candidate with the highest number of votes was Zachary Rust.

Ward 11 (District 6) – Kiwanis Fieldhouse (Polling location)

Review poll list certification

Last voter number: 193  
Page: 71  
Absentee voters indicated: 43  
Provisionals: 0  
Reviewed tape.  
Ballots: 193  
Difference of 0. Reviewed Inspectors' Statement.

Ward 12 (District 6) – Good Shepherd Lutheran Church (Polling location)  
Review poll list certification  
Last voter number (A-L poll book): 183  
Last voter number (M-Z poll book): 184  
Total number of voters: 367  
Page (A-L poll book): 35  
Page (M-Z poll book): 73  
Absentee voters indicated: 88  
Provisionals: 0  
Reviewed tapes.  
Machine serial #\*\*48 number of ballots: 282  
Machine serial #\*\*77 of ballots: 85  
Total number of ballots: 367  
Difference of 0. Reviewed Inspectors' Statement.

Reviewed total votes for each Candidate for District 6:  
Joseph Vugrinovich = 116  
Dean Dekker = 360  
Board of Canvassers certified for Office of Alderperson – District 6 the candidate with the highest number of votes was Dean Dekker.

Ward 7 (District 4) – Sheboygan eFree Church (Polling location)  
Review poll list certification  
Last voter number: 200  
Page: 113  
Absentee voters indicated: 46  
Provisionals: 0  
Reviewed tapes.  
Machine Unit #9 number of ballots: 105  
Machine Unit #17 number of ballots: 41  
Machine Unit #4 number of ballots: 56  
Total number of ballots: 202  
Difference of 2. Reviewed Inspectors' Statement.

Ward 8 (District 4) – Sheboygan eFree Church (Polling location)  
Review poll list certification  
Last voter number: 184  
Page: 8  
Absentee voters indicated: 40  
Provisionals: 0  
Reviewed tapes.  
Machine Unit #9 number of ballots: 97  
Machine Unit #17 number of ballots: 45

Machine Unit #4 number of ballots: 40  
Total number of ballots: 182  
Difference of 2. Reviewed Inspectors' Statement.

Board discussed two ballot discrepancy in each ward at same location. Board determined two voters were likely given absentee ballot for Ward 7 instead of Ward 8.

Reviewed total votes for each Candidate for District 4:

Robert La Fave = 101

Deb Yochis = 63

Board of Canvassers certified for Office of Alderperson – District 4 the candidate with the highest number of votes was Robert La Fave.

Ward 3 (District 2) – First Congregational Church (Polling location)

Review poll list certification

Last voter number (A-L poll book): 242

Last voter number (M-Z poll book): 208

Total number of voters: 450

Page (A-L poll book): 34

Page (M-Z poll book): 136

Absentee voters indicated: 164

Provisionals: 0

Reviewed tapes.

Machine Unit #2 number of ballots: 73

Machine Unit #12 number of ballots: 376

Total number of ballots: 449

Difference of 1. Reviewed Inspectors' Statement. Per Statement, one absentee certification envelope was returned to poll without a ballot inside.

Ward 4 (District 2) – First Congregational Church (Polling location)

Review poll list certification

Last voter number (A-L poll book): 385

Last voter number (M-Z poll book): 348

Total number of voters: 733

Page (A-L poll book): 35

Page (M-Z poll book): 157

Absentee voters indicated: 154

Provisionals: 0

Reviewed tapes.

Machine Unit #3 number of ballots: 643

Machine Unit #12 number of ballots: 90

Total number of ballots: 733

Difference of 0. Reviewed Inspectors' Statement.

Reviewed total votes for each Candidate for District 2:

John Belanger = 604

Roberta Filicky-Peneski = 524

Board of Canvassers certified for Office of Alderperson – District 2 the candidate with the highest number of votes was John Belanger.

Completed and signed the Certification of the Board of Canvassers.

**CLOSING OF MEETING**

5. Adjourn

Meeting was adjourned at 09:47 a.m.