

# November 5, 2024 General Election Canvass Report

#### **Canvass of Election**

November 26, 2024, 9 a.m.

Arapahoe County Administration Building – Clerk and Recorder's Conference Room

#### Members of the Canvass Board:

Joan Lopez
Arapahoe County Clerk and Recorder and Designated Election Official

Don Sheehan
Arapahoe County Republican Party

Jane Ringer
Arapahoe County Democratic Party

#### **Documents Presented to Canvass Board:**

Canvass Report
Official Summary Report of Results
Statement of Votes Cast by Precinct
Discrepancy & Cures Report
UOCAVA Method of Voting Report
Write-In Candidates Report

#### Additional Documents Available for Inspection by Email:

Colorado Revised Statues Concerning Canvass Secretary of State Election Rule 10 Concerning Canvass

#### **Duties of the Canvass Board**

In accordance with Colorado Secretary of State Election Rule 10.3:

- **10.3.1** The canvass board must make its determinations by majority vote in accordance with section 1-10-101.5(1)(c), C.R.S.
- **10.3.2** The canvass board's only duties are to:
  - (a) Conduct the canvass and certify the official abstract of votes in accordance with section 1-10-101.5, C.R.S., by:
    - (1) Reconciling the number of ballots counted to the number of ballots cast; and
    - (2) Reconciling the number of ballots cast to the number of voters who voted.
  - (b) Observe the post-election audit in accordance with section 1-7-514(4), C.R.S., and Election Rule 25.2 or 25.3;
  - (c) In coordination with the county clerk, investigate and report discrepancies found in the audit under section 1-7-514(2), C.R.S.; and
  - (d) Conduct any recount in accordance with section 1-10.5-107, C.R.S., and this Rule. The canvass board's role in conducting a recount includes selecting ballots for the random test, observing the recounting of ballots, and certifying the results.
- **10.3.3** The canvass board may not perform duties typically reserved for election judges while canvassing the results, including:
  - (2) Determining voter intent;
  - (b) Evaluating voter eligibility, including reviewing signatures that have been accepted or rejected; and
  - (c) Requesting new logs or reports that were not created to conduct the election.

| Voter Registration on Election Day            |         |
|---|---------|
| Total Registered Voters (include pre-reg):    | 490,648 |
| Active Registered Voters (include pre-reg):   | 438,046 |
| Eligible Active Registered Voters (18+ only): | 429,903 |

Source: SCORE Voter Registration System DP-003

| Ballot Reconciliation                                 |         |
|---|---------|
| Canvass Requirement: Rules 10.3.2(a), 10.5.1(c) & (f) |         |
| Mail Ballots Accepted in SCORE:                       | 305,820 |
| Provisional Ballots Accepted in SCORE:                | 18      |
| Flat and ICX Ballots (In-Person) Accepted in SCORE:   | 25,138  |
| Total Ballots Accepted in SCORE:                      | 330,976 |
| Mail Ballots Tabulated on ICC:                        | 305,871 |
| Flat and ICX Ballots (In-Person) Tabulated on ICC:    | 25,077  |
| Total Ballots Tabulated:                              | 330,948 |
| % Turnout of Eligible Active Registered Voters:       | 76.99%  |

Sources: SCORE Reports BP-012B, BP-012C and IP-001, Official Summary Report from EMS & Statement of Votes Cast

| Tabulation Balancing             |  |
|----------------------------------|--|
| Total Ballots Tabulated on ICC   | 330,948  |
| Total Ballots Accepted in SCORE: | 330,976  |
| Difference Between SCORE and ICC | 28   |
| Discrepancy Details              |  |
| Total Amended Discrepancies      | 28 More vote credit in SCORE than ballots cast |

| Mail Ballot Acceptance and Reject   | ction                  |                        |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Canvass Requirement: Rule 10.5.1(e) |                        |                        |
|                                     | Number of Mail Ballots | % of Mail Ballots Cast |
| Accepted:                           | 305,820                | 98.62%                 |
| Rejected:                           | 4,267                  | 1.38%                  |

Source: SCORE BP-012B

| Rejection Reason                    | Total Number of Ballots |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Voted Wrong Ballot                  | 5                       |
| Two Ballots in One Envelope         | 2                       |
| Verification Affidavit Not Complete | 1                       |
| House Exception                     | 29                      |
| Empty Envelope                      | 108                     |
| No Signature                        | 145                     |
| Received After 7                    | 382                     |
| Signature Discrepancy               | 3,149                   |
| ID Required – Not Provided          | 436                     |
| Other                               | 10                      |
| Total Rejected Mail Ballots:        | 4,267                   |

Source: SCORE BP-012B

| Provisional Ballots                |                   |                   |
|------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Canvass Requirement: Rule 10.5.1(d | <i>'</i> )        |                   |
|                                    | Number of Ballots | % of Provisionals |
| Total Provisional Ballots Cast:    | 65                |                   |
| Provisional Ballots Accepted:      | 18                | 28%               |
| Provisional Ballots Rejected:      | 47                | 72%               |

| Rejection Code   | Number of Ballots |
|--|-------------------|
| RAB - Mail-In Ballot Issued/Voted:                           | 15                |
| RED - Voted in a Polling Place:                              | 0                 |
| REE - Provisional Ballot Envelope Empty:                     | 1                 |
| REV - Voted During Early Voting:                             | 0                 |
| RFE - Felon Not Eligible to Vote:                            | 0                 |
| RFS – No Federal or State Candidates or Issues to Duplicate: | 0                 |
| RID – ID Required/Not Provided:                              | 17                |
| RIN – Incomplete Registration/Unable to Confirm Eligibility: | 2                 |
| RNR – Not Registered/Cancelled:                              | 0                 |
| RNS – Affidavit Not Signed:                                  | 1                 |
| ROV – Rejected Online Voter Registration:                    | 0                 |
| RRD – Incomplete Reg/Required Information Not Provided:      | 0                 |
| RWC – Not Resident of District, County or State:             | 11                |

Source: BP-012C Provisional Ballot Statistics; Provisional Ballot records

## **Duplicated Ballots**

Canvass Requirement: Rule 10.5.1(g)

| Reason                             | Number of Ballots |
|------------------------------------|-------------------|
| 11040011                           |                   |
| Machine/Printer Damaged:           | 2,032             |
| Voter Damaged:                     | 111               |
| Voter Signed Ballot:               | 4                 |
| Accessible Ballots:                | 47                |
| Emergency Replacement Ballots:     | 62                |
| Statewide Ballots:                 | 1,356             |
| UOCAVA E-transmitted Ballot:       | 2,421             |
| Federal Write-In Absentee Ballots: | 50                |
| Total Duplicated Ballots:          | 6,083             |

Source: Ballot Duplication Log

## **Votes Cast for Each Candidate, Office, Issue and Question**

Canvass Requirement: Rule 10.5.1(a)-(c); 10.6

Please see the **Official Summary Report** for:

- The name of each candidate, office, and votes received.
- The number or letter of each ballot issue or question and votes received.
- The total number of ballots cast.

## **Ballots Cast and Voter Registration by Precinct**

Canvass Requirement: C.R.S. 1-10-101.5(b); Rule 10.6

Please see the **Statement of Votes Cast** for:

- The number of ballots cast and percentage turnout in each precinct.
- The number of active registered electors in each precinct.