Minutes

Audit of Sussex County School Board Election Voting Machines - Round 1, 2, and 3

The meeting was called to order by Kenneth McDowell at 10:00 a.m. on July 24, 2020. Mr. McDowell gave a brief overview regarding what each round of the audit would entail. There were no questions, so the audits commenced.

All Election Districts and machine numbers for each audit were randomly selected by Commissioner Albence at a prior date. Staff immediately paired up and began the audit at 10:15 a.m. The first round of audits consisted of a manual recount of Lord Baltimore Elementary School from the Indian River School District for the votes cast on machine SC1044. All votes were the same as reported.

Round 2 of the audits began at the same time. It consisted of a manual recount of Laurel Highschool. There were three machines SC1052, SC1053, and SC1054. All counts were the same as reported.

Round 3 of the audits began the same time as the other two and consisted a recount of all votes cast at the Woodbridge Early Learning Center polling location. There were three machines including SC1055, SC1056, and SC1057. All votes were the same as reported.

Kenneth McDowell verified the results and took public comments. There were no comments or discussion. Mr. McDowell thanked Commissioner Albence and the members of Sussex County staff that assisted with the audit and adjourned at 11:45 a.m.

Kenneth McDowell

Director

Jean Turner

Deputy Director