

Audit of Smyrna Referendum-Polling Place Audit

On March 17th, 2020 at 1pm Kent County Director Doris Young called order the meeting, which was held at the Kent Count Office in the Absentee Room. The following persons were present at the meeting: State Commissioner of Elections Anthony Albence, Kent County Director Doris Young, Kent County Deputy Director Doug Greig, and 4 Department of Elections Staff. There were no members of the public present.

Anthony Albence prior to the audit had selected Kenton Ruritan for the Polling Place Audit during the Smyrna Referendum held on February 22, 2020 this location had 4 voting machines.

The audit consisted of 2 teams; each team had two team members who were of opposite parties to keep the audit nonpartisan. The teams manually recounted the ballots to ensure that the number of ballots processed matched the number of activation cards that were present in the secure card containers. Then they manually recounted the number of votes that each candidate received for the office of Insurance Commissioner.

The public count of machine number **XL0118020153** was 12 total. Every office had a total of 12 votes/undervotes.

The public count of machine number **XL0118050032** was 8 total. Every office had a total of 8 votes/undervotes.

The public count of machine number **XL0118040004** was 29 total. Every office had a total of 29 votes/undervotes.

The public count of machine number **XL0118030155** was 26 total. Every office had a total of 26 votes/undervotes.

The secure card containers from both all 4 machines matched the public count numbers on the respective machine tapes.

Meeting was adjourned at 1:30PM

Respectfully,

Doris J. Young

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Director