

REPORT OF 1% MANUAL TALLY

[Elections Code section 15360]

County: Butte

Election: Presidential Primary March 5, 2024

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Manual tally method used: ☐ One Part [section 15360(a)(1)]

☒ Two Part [section 15360(a)(2)]

Date and time notice provided (attach copy of the notice):

January 25, 2024 at 8 a.m.

Internet website where additional information about the manual tally is posted, if applicable:

<https://buttevotes.net/DocumentCenter/View/2213>

Date and time the manual tally commenced, beginning with the random selection of precincts and batches (must be after the close of the polls on Election Day):

March 11, 2024 at 9 a.m.

Date and time the manual tally finished:

March 12, 2024 at 12 p.m.

Estimated number of members of the public who observed the process:

2

Total number of ballots counted in this election (official canvass numbers):

Polling place / vote center ballots (including provisionals)	660
Vote-by-mail ballots	55362

Total number of ballots manually tallied:

Polling place / vote center ballots (including provisionals)	1
Vote-by-mail ballots	602

Precincts in the county for this election (attach list describing all precincts with the number of ballots in each, indicating whether ballots are polling place / vote center, vote-by-mail, or provisional): Precinct Turnout Canvass Attached

Total number of precincts in the election	88
Total number of precincts selected for the manual tally	N/A

Batches of vote-by-mail or provisional ballots (attach list describing each batch with the number of ballots in each, indicating whether ballots are polling place / vote center, vote-by-mail, or provisional): Batched Loaded Report Attached

Total number of batches in the election	369
Total number of batches selected for the manual tally	5

Method used to choose precincts and batch of ballots to manually tally (include description of random selection method):

Each batch is assigned a number in order of tabulation. Members of the Manual Tally Board roll three 10-sided dice, generating a random number that will determine which associated batch will be drawn. Numbers are generated until the number of cumulative ballots in the randomly drawn batches is greater than one-percent of the ballots canvassed in the semifinal official canvass. Additionally, one vote center batch and one batch containing contests not included in the random selection are also chosen.

attach additional pages if necessary

Description of any discrepancies noted (include details about each discrepancy and how each was resolved; also include anything unusual observed during the manual tally process or anything that may improve the manual tally process):

None.

attach additional pages if necessary

This report is submitted pursuant to Elections Code section 15360(f).

Submitted on this date: March 22, 2024 by:

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Logic and Accuracy Testing

Tabulation equipment will be tested for logic and accuracy on January 30th, at 9:00am.

Vote By Mail Processing

Starting on February 12th, voted ballot return envelope signatures will be verified against voter registration records.

February 20th will be the first day voted ballots returned as “good” will be opened and tabulated.

Election results will not be released until 8:15pm election night, March 5th. Semi-Unofficial Results will be released after 8:15pm via hardcopy, phone and on the website at www.ButteVotes.net.

Official Canvass

The official canvass process will begin March 6th and continue until complete.

One Percent Manual Tally Selection of Batches

At each election, one percent of the ballot batches shall be hand tallied. Random selection of batches will occur at 9:00am on March 11th.

The hand tally will begin March 11th at 10:00am and continue until complete.

Central Count

Butte County is a central count county. This means that all of the processes listed above will take place at the Hall of Records, 155 Nelson Avenue in Oroville, CA.