### **REPORT OF 1% MANUAL TALLY**

[Elections Code section 15360]

| County: Stanislaus  |                              | RECEIVED California Secretary of State Elections Division |
|---|------------------------------|---|
| Election: 3/5/24 Pres   | idential Primary Election    | MAR 22 2024   |
| 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 17, 2024 - Schedule of Activities / Februa  | ry 23, 2024 - Public         | Notice of 1% Manual Tally                                 |
| Internet website where additional information about the ma  | anual tally is posted, if ap | pplicable:  |
| https://www.stanvote.com/calendars/ https://  | //www.stanvote.com           | /public_notices.shtm                                      |
| Date and time the manual tally commenced, beginning with after the close of the polls on Election Day): | the random selection of      | precincts and batches (must be                            |
| Thursday, March 7, 2024, at 11:00 a.m.  |                              | · ·   |
| Date and time the manual tally finished:  |                              |   |
| Tuesday, March12, 2024, approximately 3:30 p.m  | •                            |   |
| Estimated number of members of the public who observed to   | the process:                 |   |
| Zero  |                              |   |
| Total number of ballots counted in this election (official canvass numbers):                            |                              |   |
| Polling place / vote center ballots (including provisionals)  | 5,619                        |   |
| Vote-by-mail ballots  | 80,315                       |   |
| Total number of ballots manually tallied:   |                              |   |
| Polling place / vote center ballots (including provisionals)  | VC-18 / 20 ballot ca         | ards  |
| Vote-by-mail ballots  | VBM / 986 ballot ca          | ards  |
|   |                              |   |

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):

| Total number of precincts in the election               | 32 vote centers |
|---|-----------------|
| Total number of precincts selected for the manual tally | 1 vote center   |

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):

| Total number of batches in the election               | 1,240 batches scanned at time of draw |
|---|---------------------------------------|
| Total number of batches selected for the manual tally | 17 batches were manually tallied      |

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

Random.org - Random Number Generator (RNG)

Vote center draw - Vote centers were assigned number 1-32. RNG drew one random number between 1-32, corresponding vote center was manually tallied.

VBM draw - 1,240 total batches were scanned at time of draw, 14 batches were drawn at random and 3 additional batches were also manually tallied to ensure all contests in Stanislaus County were included as part of the manual tally process.

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):

1% manual tally results matched the machine results with 100% accuracy, no discrepancies found.

attach additional pages if necessary

| This report is submitted pursuant to Elections Code section 1536 | 60(f).    |          |
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| Submitted on this date: March 21, 2024 by:                       |           | 1/2      |
| Elections Official Name: Donna Linder S                          | ignature: | me fullo |
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#### OFFICE OF COUNTY CLERK-RECORDER



DONNA LINDER County Clerk-Recorder, Registrar of Voters & Commissioner of Civil Marriage

# REGISTRAR OF VOTERS ELECTIONS DIVISION:

Dear Election Observer,

January 17, 2024

1021 "I" Street, Suite 101, Modesto, CA 95354 Telephone: 209.525.5200, español: 209.525.5230 Toll-free: 833.772.2260, TTY: 833.646.2136

The following is a schedule of activities for the Tuesday, March 5, 2024, Presidential Primary Election.

Tuesday, January 23, 2024 until completed

8 am–5 pm Logic and Accuracy Testing

Elections Office at 1021 I Street, Modesto Elections Warehouse 909 Oakdale Rd, Modesto **Check in required at the Elections Office** 

Elections Office at 1021 I Street, Modesto

Monday, February 5, 2024 until February 29, 2024

8 am-5 pm

First day ballots to be mailed

May begin Processing VBM ballots

Saturday, February 24 to Monday, March 4, 2024

8 am to 5 pm

6 Vote Centers locations open

Various locations, Countywide

Saturday, March 2 to Monday, March 4. 2024

8 am to 5 pm

25 Vote Center locations open

Various locations, Countywide

Tuesday, March 5, 2024

7 am

Vote Center locations open

Various locations, Countywide

7 pm

Observer Tour of Elections Office

Elections Office at 1021 I Street, Modesto

8 pm

Vote Centers locations close

Drop Boxes locked

Various locations, Countywide

8:15 pm

Vote by mail ballot result available

Elections Office at 1021 I Street, Modesto

8 pm-closing

Vote Centers return ballots received

Elections Warehouse 909 Oakdale Rd, Modesto

8 pm until 3/12

Postmarked mailed ballots accepted

Elections Office at 1021 I Street, Modesto

Until 5 pm 2 days prior to

Certification

or to N

Missing signatures and Non matching signatures Elections Office at 1021 I Street, Modesto ACCEPT SIGNATURE VERIFICATION STATEMENT &

UNSIGNED BALLOT ENVELOPE STATEMENT

online at stanvote.com

**NOTE:** Results of the first ballots counted will be released starting at approximately 8:15 pm on Election Day at the Election Office and on our web site <a href="https://www.stanvote.com">www.stanvote.com</a> Continuous updates will be released throughout the canvass process until the election count is completed.

#### Wednesday, March 6, 2024

9 am

Canvass of Vote can commence

Elections Office at 1021 I Street, Modesto

#### Thursday, March 7, 2024

11 am

1% Manual Tally Selection of Precincts

Elections Office at 1021 I Street, Modesto

The canvass will continue daily, except Saturday, Sunday and holidays until complete.

This schedule is provided for your convenience to observe the election process. The schedule will be followed as closely as possible. Questions? Call me (209) 525-5211 or the Elections Office at (209) 525-5201. Sincerely,

Donna Linder

Stanislaus County Clerk-Recorder, Registrar of Voters



#### OFFICE OF COUNTY CLERK-RECORDER

Donna Linder

COUNTY CLERK-RECORDER REGISTRAR OF VOTERS & COMMISSIONER OF CIVIL MARRIAGE

REGISTRAR OF VOTERS ELECTIONS DIVISION:

Telephone: (209) 525-5200, ESPAÑOL: (209) 525-5230 TOLL-FREE: (833) 772-2260, TTY: (833) 646-2136 Facsimile: (209) 525-5802

# PUBLIC NOTICE OF THE 1% MANUAL TALLY Presidential Primary Election - March 5, 2024

Pursuant to California Elections Code 15360, The Stanislaus County Registrar of Voters will conduct a random drawing to determine which ballots will be hand counted in the 1% Manual Tally to verify accuracy of the ballot counting equipment used at vote centers and at our central count location.

- For vote center ballots: 1% of the vote centers will be randomly selected and all ballots cast at that location will be hand tallied.
- For vote by mail ballots: 1% of batches scanned at the central count location during the semifinal canvass will be randomly selected.
  - Central count utilized three color coded scanning groups: Yellow, Green and Pink. Each grouping will be drawn separately to ensure 1% of batches is randomly drawn from each scanning group.
- In addition, for each contest not included in the initial group of randomly selected batches, an additional batch shall be counted. The tally of the additional batch shall apply only to the contest(s) not previously hand tallied.

All processes related to the 1% Manual Tally will be conducted at the central count location at the Stanislaus County Registrar of Voters office located at 1021 "I" Street, Suite 101, Modesto, CA 95354. Canvass activities are open to the public.

#### The 1% Manual Tally schedule is as follows:

Random drawing to select batches and vote centers to be included in the hand tally

Thursday, March 7, 2024, at 11:00 a.m.

#### 1% Manual Tally Daily Process

• The manual tally will begin no later than Wednesday, March 13, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. and will continue daily until completed. The process will be conducted each day, until completed, during normal business hours, Monday through Friday, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., except for breaks and lunch hours, unless otherwise posted, and, if needed, manual tally hours could be extended, including evenings until 8:00 p.m. and/or on weekends and holidays.

If you would like to attend or observe the 1% Manual Tally process, please contact the administrative team at stanvote@stancounty.com or call (209) 525-5211.

Dated: February 23, 2024

51-8034 PUBLIC NOTICE - 1% Manual Tally

# Stanislaus

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Donna Linder COUNTY CLERK-RECORDER REGISTRAR OF VOTERS & COMMISSIONER OF CIVIL MARRIAGE

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## 1% Post Election Manual Tally Report

Presidential Primary Election - March 5, 2024

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- For vote center ballots: 1% of the vote centers will be randomly selected and all ballots cast at that location will be hand counted.
- For vote by mail ballots: 1% of batches scanned at the central count location during the semifinal canvass will be randomly selected. Additional batches may be pulled to include any contest that was not in the random draw to ensure every contest in this election is included in the hand count process.
  - o Central count utilized three color coded scanning groups: Yellow, Green and Pink. Each grouping will be drawn separately to ensure 1% of batches is randomly drawn from each scanning group.

| 399 Yellow Batches |                             |
|--------------------|-----------------------------|
| Draw               |                             |
| #                  | Batch Number - Ballot Cards |
| 1                  | Yellow 18 - 83              |
| 2                  | Yellow 253 - 38             |
| 3                  | Yellow 294 - 79             |
| 4                  | Yellow 208 - 91             |

| 415 Pink Batches |                             |
|------------------|-----------------------------|
| Draw             |                             |
| #                | Batch Number - Ballot Cards |
| 1                | Pink 233 - 48               |
| 2                | Pink 95 - 28                |
| 3                | Pink 309 - 57               |
| 4                | Pink 356 - 34               |
| 5                | Pink 176 - 99               |

| 426 Green Batches |                             |
|-------------------|-----------------------------|
| Draw              |                             |
| #                 | Batch Number - Ballot Cards |
| 1                 | Green 191 - 34              |
| 2                 | Green 241 - 41              |
| 3                 | Green 220 - 8               |
| 4                 | Green 375 - 53              |
| 5                 | Green 357 - 62              |

|      | 32 Vote Centers            |
|------|----------------------------|
| Draw |                            |
| #    | Vote Center - Ballot Cards |
| 1    | VC-18 Stanislaus County    |
| _    | Agricultural Center - 20   |

#### Additional batches pulled to hand tally contests not included in random draw:

Green 566 - 61 U.S. Representative - District 9

Green 484 - 80 Republican County Central Committee - District 3

Yellow 491 - 90 Riverbank Unified School District - Measure N

1% manual tally results matched the machine results with 100% accuracy. **Elections Code 15360(e)**