

REPORT OF 1% MANUAL TALLY

[Elections Code section 15360]

County: Kern

Election: 6/2/2026 State Primary

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):

Wednesday, June 3, 9:00 am

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

Kernvote.com

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):

June 8, 9:00am

Date and time the manual tally finished:

June 12, 12:00pm

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

3

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

Polling place / vote center ballots (including provisionals)	14318
Vote-by-mail ballots	134,874

Total number of ballots manually tallied:

Polling place / vote center ballots (including provisionals)	66
Vote-by-mail ballots	1699

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	399
Total number of precincts selected for the manual tally	4

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	1385
Total number of batches selected for the manual tally	17

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

Lottery style ball drawing. Buckets for hundreds, tens, and ones were drawn from to draw a number that corresponded to precincts/VBM batches.

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):

Batch 10002020 had two contests with discrepancies during the tally. Upon review, one contest for State Superintendent was tabulated as an undervote due to the voter using light pencil to mark the bubble causing the selection to not be read. Another ballot had a vote for the Secretary of State contest tabulated as an undervote due to the voter marking their selection outside of the bubble. To resolve this, both selections were enhanced and the VBM batch was ran through the tabulator again. The batch went through the adjudication process. The tabulated counts and the tally were then reconciled.

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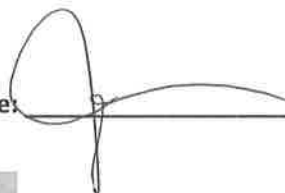
This report is submitted pursuant to Elections Code section 15360(f).

Submitted on this date: 6/26/26 by:

Elections Official Name:

Joanna Luna

Signature:



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**PUBLIC NOTICE
1% MANUAL TALLY****June 2, 2026, Statewide Direct Primary Election**

Pursuant to California Elections Code 15360, a manual tally of at least one percent of the precincts and one percent of the vote by mail ballots, selected at random, is required as part of the post-Election Day canvass of the election.

The One Percent Manual Tally is a key procedure in the canvass of an election and takes place during the Official Canvass of the Vote. This process ensures the accuracy of the vote before the official results are certified.

The public is invited to observe as the Kern County Elections Division conducts the following election activities for the June 2, Statewide Direct Primary Election.

Random Selection:**Date: Monday, June 8, 2026****Time: 9:00 am****Location: Elections Division, 1115 Truxtun Ave., 1st Floor****Manual Tally:**

The manual tally of votes on these selected precincts and vote by mail ballots will commence on:

Date: Tuesday, June 9, 2026**Time: 9:00 am****Location: Elections Division, 1115 Truxtun Ave., 1st Floor**

For any questions, please contact us by calling (661) 868-3590 or emailing elections@kerncounty.com.

