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March 19, 2024 Kalispell Levy Election Canvass Report

Canvass Process Overview:

Title 13, section 15-401 calls for the governing body to serve as the Board of County Canvassers. The canvass process evaluates the comparison of the number of ballots voted to the number of ballots tabulated. The canvass includes reviewing returns, auditing records of votes cast, reviewing totals and declaring or certifying the results. In Flathead County, the secretary to the Board of County Commissioners keeps minutes of the proceedings on behalf of the County Election Administrator.

Election Summary:

- 17,376 City of Kalispell residents were eligible to vote, including 4,994 inactive voters (inactive voters do not receive mailed ballots).
- 12,382 ballots were mailed to City of Kalispell residents on February 28, 2024. This was an all-mail ballot election.
- 5,863 ballots were tabulated. This includes the following:
 - 5,854 affirmation envelopes with verified signatures were accepted. One of these envelopes did not contain a ballot.
 - Two ballots issued to City of Kalispell property owners.
 - Five provisional ballots tabulated on Monday, March 25, 2024.
- Results are as follows:
 - 3,370 "FOR" votes, or approximately 57.5% of the total votes cast
 - 2,487 "AGAINST" votes, or approximately 42.5% of the total votes cast
- The total voter turnout was approximately 47%.

Statistics

TOTAL

Election Day Precincts Reporting	1 of 1
Precincts Complete	0 of 1
Precincts Partially Reported	1 of 1
Absentee/ Early Precincts Reporting	0 of 1
Registered Voters - Total	0
Ballots Cast - Total	5,863
Paper Ballots Cast - Total	5,863
Cards Cast - Total	0
Ballots Cast - Blank	3
Paper Ballots Cast - Blank	3
Cards Cast - Blank	3
Voter Turnout - Total	0.00%

KALISPELL EMERGENCY RESPONDER LEVY

Vote For 1

TOTAL

FOR	3,370
AGAINST	2,487
Total Votes Cast	5,857
Overvotes	3
Undervotes	3

Ballot Stage/Status in Date Range

County: FLATHEAD
User Name: CTA785

Election: 1 Elections Selected
Received: to

Date: 3/28/2024 8:54:30 AM
Report No: BP-034

Count	Status
5854	Accepted
53	Canceled
4	Received
138	Rejected
5939	Sent
447	Undeliverable

Kalispell City Mill Levy Election
Tuesday, March 19, 2024

Land Ownership Ballot Tracking

Total Requests Received	2
Total Requests Approved	2
Total Requests Rejected	0
Total Ballots Issued	2
Total Ballots Accepted	2
Total Ballots Rejected	0
Total Ballots Undeliverable	0
Total Ballots Voided	0

Date: 3/20/2024

Election Team Member 1 Name: Sarah Madeksiak

Election Team Member 1 Signature: *Sjmadeksiak*

Election Team Member 2 Name: Caitlyn Long

Election Team Member 2 Signature: *Caitlyn Long*

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Provisional Ballot Count Report
Monday, March 25, 2024

Total Rejected Ballots (Per BP-34)	<u>106</u>
Total Provisional Accepted	<u>5</u>
Total Provisional Rejected	<u>103</u>
Total Missing Signatures	<u>46</u>
Total Signature Mismatches	<u>56</u>
Total Unresolved Provisional Registration	<u>1</u>
Total Discrepancy	<u>2</u>

Explanation of Discrepancy Total: Two ballots were received but not entered as "Rejected" in ElectMT. Both voters were contacted and informed. Voter missing signature on ballot came into the office to resolve. Voter that is provisionally registered was not resolved but was sent a voter registration application to update their information.

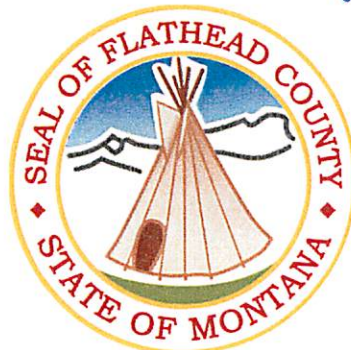
Date: 3/26/2024

Provisional Ballot Processing Team Member 1 Name Sarah Madeksiak

Provisional Ballot Processing Team Member 1 Sign *Symadeksiak*

Provisional Ballot Processing Team Member 2 Name Caitlyn Long

Provisional Ballot Processing Team Member 2 Sign *Caitlyn Long*





Canvass of Votes and Declaration of Results

TO BE FILED IN ELECTION OFFICE

CANVASS OF VOTES CAST AT THE KALISPELL LEVY ELECTION
HELD IN KALISPELL, FLATHEAD COUNTY
ON THE 19th DAY OF MARCH 2024.

OFFICE	NAME of CANDIDATE/ISSUE	WARD	NUMBER OF VOTES	TOTALS
Kalispell Emergency Responder Levy	FOR	City of Kalispell	3,370	3,370
Kalispell Emergency Responder Levy	AGAINST	City of Kalispell	2,487	2,487
Kalispell Emergency Responder Levy	TOTAL VOTES CAST	City of Kalispell	5,857	5,857

STATE OF MONTANA
County of FLATHEAD

We hereby certify that this constitutes a full, true, and complete canvass of the number of votes cast, and declaration of results in each district of said city of Kalispell for the issue enumerated and we hereby declare the Kalispell Emergency Levy passed as having received the highest number of votes.

Attest my hand and the seal of said County, hereto affixed this 2nd day of April 2024

Board of Canvassers:

Signature Brad Abell, District One

Signature Pamela Holmquist, District Two

Signature Randy Brodehl, District Three

Signature of Debbie Pierson, Election Administrator