



Oath of Authenticity

STATE OF WASHINGTON)
) ss.
COUNTY OF WHATCOM)

I solemnly swear that the unofficial returns and supporting documentation of the General Election held on November 8, 2022, in Whatcom County, State of Washington, are true and correct.

Diana Bradrick

Diana Bradrick, County Auditor

Subscribed and sworn before me this 29th day of November 2022.

Todd Donovan

Todd Donovan, County Council Chair, County Legislative Authority (witness)

Royce Buckingham

Royce Buckingham, County Civil Deputy Prosecuting Attorney (witness)

Certification of the Canvassing Board

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COUNTY OF WHATCOM)

The undersigned officers designated by law as constituting the Canvassing Board for the County of Whatcom, State of Washington, hereby certify that this is a full, true, and correct copy of the Abstract of Votes including the number of registered eligible voters, cumulative results, precinct results, and report of votes cast at the General Election held on November 8, 2022, in Whatcom County, State of Washington

Witness our hands and official seal this 29th day of November 2022.

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Whatcom County Auditor

Reconciliation Form

General information

County name: Whatcom
Election date: 11/8/2022

Registered voters eligible to participate

Active registered voters: 157,683
Inactive registered voters: 15,028

Category Reconciliation (detailed accounting of ballots)

	Issued (number of voters issued ballots)	Credited voters in VoteWA (envelopes containing ballots)	Ballots Accepted (Counted / Tabulated)	Ballots not counted		Discrepancy (If zero, category balances)
				Ballots forwarded to other counties	Ballots Rejected	
UOCAVA	3,021	1,267	1,247	N/A	20	0
Federal write-in	N/A	20	20	N/A	0	0
Provisional	0	0	0	0	0	0
DREs	0	0	0	N/A	0	0
All voters not reported in above categories	161,682	111,072	110,524	0	549	(1)
Total for all voter categories	164,703	112,359	111,791	0	569	(1)

Summary

Reconciliation

Overall Ballot Reconciliation

Ballots Received	112,359
Ballots Accepted	111,791
Ballots Not Counted	569
Discrepancy	(1)

Voters credited to ballots counted

Credited voters in VoteWA	111,754
Credited envelopes without ballots	0
Voters not credited in VoteWA (examples: FWAB or ACP)	36
Total valid ballots	111,790
Discrepancy	(1)

Additional Information

Replacement Ballots

Requested	5,617
Issued	5,617
Returned	3,743
Counted	3,695
Rejected	48

Return method

Email	646
Fax	19
Deposited at staffed, unstaffed deposit sites and voting centers	78,312
Non-UOCAVA returned by Fax or Email	0

Generation method

VoteWA	3,098
Other online programs	0
PDF originating from county	0
Non-UOCAVA ballots issued electronically	0

AVU

Estimated number of paper ballots printed by AVU	3
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Category discrepancy explanation

One more ballot was counted than ballots accepted. Research was conducted to locate the discrepancy as follows: totals for each batch of ballots matched, rejected ballots were balanced, Address Confidentiality Program & Federal Write-in Absentee Ballot's were reviewed, invalid ballots were reviewed, cure letters were audited. Reconciliation data was analyzed by OSOS and no discrepancies were located in the following areas: Voters with a ballot, but no voting history; Voters with voting history, but no accepted ballot; Voters where the accepted ballot county does not match the voting history county; Voters with more than one voting credit for this election.

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Report prepared by: Amy Grasher

Date: November 29, 2022

Contact number: 360-778-5102

Reconciliation Form

Data entry

General information	
County name	Whatcom
Election date	11/8/2022

Registered voters eligible to participate	
Number of ACTIVE registered voters	157,683
Number of INACTIVE registered voters	15,028
Total registered voters eligible to participate	172,711

VoteWA	
How many voters were credited in VoteWA?	111,754
How many envelopes without ballots were credited, including ballots of other elections?	-
How many valid voters were NOT credited in VoteWA (ACP, FWAB)?	36
Adjusted number of valid voters	111,790

Ballots issued	
What was the total number of ballots issued?	164,703
Of the total number above, how many UOCAVA ballots were issued?	3,021
Of the total number above, how many provisional ballots were issued?	-
Of the total number above, how many DRE ballots were issued?	-

Voted ballots received	
How many voted ballots (in total) did you receive?	112,359
Of the number above, how many UOCAVA ballots did you receive?	1,267
Of the number above, how many Federal write-in ballots did you receive?	20
Of the number above, how many provisional ballots did you receive?	-
Of the number above, how DRE ballots were cast?	-

Ballots Accepted

How many ballots (in total) were counted/tabulated?

111,791

Of the number above, how many UOCAVA ballots were counted/tabulated?

1,247

Of the number above, how many Federal Write-in ballots were counted/tabulated?

20

Of the number above, how many provisional ballots were counted/tabulated?

-

Of the number above, how many DRE ballots were counted/tabulated?

-

Ballots NOT Counted/Tabulated

Forwarded ballots

Total ballots forwarded to other counties?

-

Of the total number above, how many of the forwarded ballots were provisional ballots?

-

Of the total number above, how many of the forwarded ballots were late transfer?

-

Rejected ballots

Total ballots rejected

569

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of a missing signature?

57

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of the signature didn't match?

247

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of the ballot was Postmarked too late?

246

Of the total above, how many were rejected because they were returned electronically and no hardcopy was received?

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Of the total above, how many were rejected other reasons?

19

Total UOCAVA ballots rejected

20

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of a missing signature?

12

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of the signature didn't match?

4

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of the ballot was Postmarked too late?

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected other reasons?

4

Total Federal Write-in Absentee ballots rejected

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of a missing signature?

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of the signature didn't match?

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of the ballot was Postmarked too late?

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected other reasons?

-

Total provisional ballots rejected

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of a missing signature?

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of the signature didn't match?

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected because of the ballot was Postmarked too late?

-

Of the total above, how many were rejected other reasons?

-

Total DRE ballots rejected

-

Additional Information

Replacement Ballots

How many replacement ballots were requested?	5,617
How many replacement ballots were issued?	5,617
How many replacement ballots were received?	3,743
How many replacement ballots were counted?	3,695
How many replacement ballots were rejected?	48

Ballot generation method

How many ballots were generated through VoteWA?	3,098
How many ballots were generated through other online programs?	-
How many ballots were generated through a PDF originating from the county?	-
How many non-UOCAVA ballots were issued by email, fax, or online program?	

Ballots returned

In total, how many ballots were returned by E-mail?	646
In total, how many ballots were returned by fax?	19
How many non-UOCAVA ballots were returned by E-Mail or fax?	
How many ballots were deposited at staffed or unstaffed deposit sites and voting centers?	78,312

AVU

Please provide an estimate of the number of paper ballots printed by AVU	3
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Signature

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11/29/22

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Completing this form fulfils the requirements in RCW 29A.60.235 and 2011 c 10 s 62

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Summary Report
Whatcom County, Washington
General Election - November 08, 2022

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All Precincts, All Districts, All ScanStations, All Contests, All Boxes
Total Ballots Cast: 111791, Registered Voters: 157683, Overall Turnout: 70.90%

Choice	Votes	Vote %
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All Precincts

Advisory Vote No. 39 (Vote for 1)

111791 ballots (8 over voted ballots, 8 overvotes, 6212 undervotes), 157683 registered voters, turnout 70.90%

Repealed	58376	55.30%
Maintained	47195	44.70%
Total	105571	100.00%
Overvotes	8	
Undervotes	6212	

Advisory Vote No. 40 (Vote for 1)

111791 ballots (2 over voted ballots, 2 overvotes, 6983 undervotes), 157683 registered voters, turnout 70.90%

Repealed	51663	49.29%
Maintained	53143	50.71%
Total	104806	100.00%
Overvotes	2	
Undervotes	6983	

WC Proposition 2022-5 Children's Initiative Levy Lid Lift (Vote for 1)

111791 ballots (4 over voted ballots, 4 overvotes, 3227 undervotes), 157683 registered voters, turnout 70.90%

Yes	54290	50.01%
No	54270	49.99%
Total	108560	100.00%
Overvotes	4	
Undervotes	3227	

WC Proposition 2022-6 Regular Property Tax Levy EMS (Vote for 1)

111791 ballots (2 over voted ballots, 2 overvotes, 3693 undervotes), 157683 registered voters, turnout 70.90%

Yes	69129	63.95%
No	38967	36.05%
Total	108096	100.00%
Overvotes	2	
Undervotes	3693	

U.S. Senator (Vote for 1)

111791 ballots (2 over voted ballots, 2 overvotes, 619 undervotes), 157683 registered voters, turnout 70.90%

Patty Murray	65950	59.32%
Tiffany Smiley	45038	40.51%
Write-in	182	0.16%
Total	111170	100.00%
Overvotes	2	
Undervotes	619	

Congressional District 2 U.S. Representative (Vote for 1)

111791 ballots (6 over voted ballots, 6 overvotes, 1111 undervotes), 157683 registered voters, turnout 70.90%

Rick Larsen	66798	60.36%
Dan Matthews	43663	39.45%
Write-in	213	0.19%
Total	110674	100.00%
Overvotes	6	
Undervotes	1111	

Secretary of State (Vote for 1)

111791 ballots (4 over voted ballots, 4 overvotes, 4941 undervotes), 157683 registered voters, turnout 70.90%

Steve Hobbs	53022	49.62%
Julie Anderson	45671	42.74%
Write-in	8153	7.63%
Total	106846	100.00%
Overvotes	4	
Undervotes	4941	

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Choice	Votes	Vote %
LD 40 State Representative Position 1 (Vote for 1)		
35830 ballots (0 over voted ballots, 0 overvotes, 892 undervotes), 48534 registered voters, turnout 73.82%		
Debra Lekanoff	27115	77.61%
Shannon Perkes	7760	22.21%
Write-in	63	0.18%
Total	34938	100.00%
Overvotes	0	
Undervotes	892	
LD 40 State Representative Position 2 (Vote for 1)		
35830 ballots (5 over voted ballots, 5 overvotes, 4753 undervotes), 48534 registered voters, turnout 73.82%		
Alex Ramel	24623	79.24%
Trevor Smith	5926	19.07%
Write-in	523	1.68%
Total	31072	100.00%
Overvotes	5	
Undervotes	4753	
LD 42 State Senator (Vote for 1)		
75959 ballots (4 over voted ballots, 4 overvotes, 589 undervotes), 109148 registered voters, turnout 69.59%		
Sharon Shewmake	38098	50.55%
Simon Sefzik	37193	49.35%
Write-in	75	0.10%
Total	75366	100.00%
Overvotes	4	
Undervotes	589	
LD 42 State Representative Position 1 (Vote for 1)		
75959 ballots (2 over voted ballots, 2 overvotes, 767 undervotes), 109148 registered voters, turnout 69.59%		
Alicia Rule	38871	51.70%
Tawsha (Dykstra) Thompson	36220	48.17%
Write-in	99	0.13%
Total	75190	100.00%
Overvotes	2	
Undervotes	767	
LD 42 State Representative Position 2 (Vote for 1)		
75959 ballots (2 over voted ballots, 2 overvotes, 1076 undervotes), 109148 registered voters, turnout 69.59%		
Joe Timmons	38381	51.26%
Dan Johnson	36429	48.65%
Write-in	71	0.09%
Total	74881	100.00%
Overvotes	2	
Undervotes	1076	
Prosecuting Attorney (Vote for 1)		
111791 ballots (3 over voted ballots, 3 overvotes, 36174 undervotes), 157683 registered voters, turnout 70.90%		
Eric Richey	72417	95.77%
Write-in	3197	4.23%
Total	75614	100.00%
Overvotes	3	
Undervotes	36174	
Supreme Court Justice Position 1 (Vote for 1)		
111791 ballots (1 over voted ballots, 1 overvotes, 40432 undervotes), 157683 registered voters, turnout 70.90%		
Mary I. Yu	69650	97.61%
Write-in	1708	2.39%
Total	71358	100.00%
Overvotes	1	
Undervotes	40432	

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Choice	Votes	Vote %
Supreme Court Justice Position 5 (Vote for 1)		
111791 ballots (2 over voted ballots, 2 overvotes, 41222 undervotes), 157683 registered voters, turnout 70.90%		
Barbara Madsen	69099	97.92%
Write-in	1468	2.08%
Total	70567	100.00%
Overvotes	2	
Undervotes	41222	
Supreme Court Justice Position 6 (Vote for 1)		
111791 ballots (2 over voted ballots, 2 overvotes, 41372 undervotes), 157683 registered voters, turnout 70.90%		
G. Helen Whitener	68982	97.96%
Write-in	1435	2.04%
Total	70417	100.00%
Overvotes	2	
Undervotes	41372	
Whatcom County District Court Judge Position 1 (Vote for 1)		
111791 ballots (3 over voted ballots, 3 overvotes, 42334 undervotes), 157683 registered voters, turnout 70.90%		
Angela Anderson	68134	98.10%
Write-in	1320	1.90%
Total	69454	100.00%
Overvotes	3	
Undervotes	42334	
Whatcom County District Court Judge Position 2 (Vote for 1)		
111791 ballots (24 over voted ballots, 24 overvotes, 18431 undervotes), 157683 registered voters, turnout 70.90%		
Jonathan Rands	58146	62.30%
Gordon M. Jenkins	34690	37.17%
Write-in	500	0.54%
Total	93336	100.00%
Overvotes	24	
Undervotes	18431	
PUD No. 1 Commissioner District 3 (Vote for 1)		
111789 ballots (14 over voted ballots, 14 overvotes, 23445 undervotes), 157682 registered voters, turnout 70.90%		
Jaime Arnett	46145	52.24%
Eric Davidson	41593	47.09%
Write-in	592	0.67%
Total	88330	100.00%
Overvotes	14	
Undervotes	23445	
City of Lynden Proposition 2022-4 Renewal Transportation (Vote for 1)		
7966 ballots (0 over voted ballots, 0 overvotes, 418 undervotes), 10721 registered voters, turnout 74.30%		
Yes	4498	59.59%
No	3050	40.41%
Total	7548	100.00%
Overvotes	0	
Undervotes	418	
NVSD 506 Proposition 2022-7 Director Districts (Vote for 1)		
4858 ballots (0 over voted ballots, 0 overvotes, 434 undervotes), 7069 registered voters, turnout 68.72%		
Approved	3238	73.19%
Rejected	1186	26.81%
Total	4424	100.00%
Overvotes	0	
Undervotes	434	