

SALT LAKE COUNTY

*2001 S State Street, N1-100
Salt Lake City, UT 84114*



Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, December 5, 2023

4:00 PM

Council Chambers, N1-110

Board of Canvassers

1. Call to Order

Present: Board Member Laurie Stringham
Board Member Suzanne Harrison
Board Member Jim Bradley
Board Member Arlyn Bradshaw
Board Member Dave Alvord
Board Member Aimee Winder Newton
Board Member Ann Granato
Board Member Dea Theodore

Call In: Board Member Sheldon Stewart

2. Public Comment**3. Approval of Minutes****3.1 Approval of September 19, 2023 Board of Canvassers [23-1107](#)
Minutes**

Attachments: [091923 Board of Canvassers Minutes](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bradshaw, seconded by Council Member Harrison, that this agenda item be approved. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

4. Discussion Items**4.1 Canvass of the November 21, 2023, Special Congressional [23-1096](#)
District 2 Election**

Attachments: [Staff Report](#)
[12-05-2023 Board of Canvassers](#)

Presenter: Lannie Chapman, Clerk. (Approx.15min)

THIS BEING THE TIME heretofore set to canvass the votes of the 2023 General Election for Congressional District 2 held on December 5, 2023.

Ms. Lannie Chapman, County Clerk, submitted and reviewed the results for the 2023 General Election for Congressional District 2. (The list of results is made part of the minutes by reference.) Only a portion of Congressional District 2 is within Salt Lake County, so the results in Salt Lake County are different from the final results. She reviewed the 2023 General Election statistics, stating there was a total turnout of 160,273 voters,

or 31.2 percent, which is normal for a Municipal General Election. She reviewed the number of ballots electronically, provisionally, in-person, and by mail; previous years' statistics; the vote centers; the number of people administering the election; the sworn officers assisting with the election; the process and the ability to observe the process; and the audit. Next year, the 2024 Primary Election will be held June 25th, and the General Election will be November 5th.

Council Member Bradshaw stated he was curious how Representative Celeste Maloy was sworn into Congress, and has presumably been voting, before the election results were final.

Ms. Bridget Romano, Deputy District Attorney, stated she assumed that had something to do with the rules of the United States House of Representatives. If there was a significant degree of confidence that she won and she was sworn in, that would have been handled by the Speaker of the House or Sergeant of Arms of the United States House of Representatives, as that body determines the validity of the members who serve in the House. However, that did not stop this body from certifying the election through the Board of Canvassers' process. The County results will be rolled up into the State's final canvass, which the Lieutenant Governor will certify.

A motion was made by Council Member Bradshaw, seconded by Council Member Harrison, to approve the results of the 2023 General Election for Congressional District 2 as presented and to certify them. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

5. Other Committee Business

6. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 4:18 PM.

LANNIE CHAPMAN, COUNTY CLERK

By _____
DEPUTY CLERK

By _____
CHAIR, BOARD OF CANVASSERS