

TOWN CLERK & ELECTIONS

TOWN CLERK

The following annual report of the Town Clerk for the year ending December 31, 2008 is herewith submitted in accordance with Section 3 of Article 3, Title I of the Town By-Laws. During 2008, the Annual Election of Town Officers, the Annual Town Meeting, the State Primary and the State Election were prepared for and conducted by the Town Clerk's Office.

The Town has twenty-one AccuVote machines, one for each precinct, and a main counting system located in the Town Clerk's Office. This system consists of paper ballots to be marked by the voters and inserted into the AccuVote machines, which automatically tally the votes appearing on the paper ballots. When the polls close, the precinct totals are immediately printed at the precinct, posted, announced, and then transferred to the Town Clerk's Office on a memory card, where the precinct totals are accumulated by entering the memory cards into the main counting system. Finally, the complete official Town results are printed and announced.

Town Meeting Members whose terms were to expire at the Annual Town Election were notified of that fact and of the provision of law which allows them to become candidates for re-election by giving written notice thereof to the Town Clerk. Nomination papers were issued to candidates for Town offices including Town Meeting Members, and after being certified by the Registrars of Voters were filed with the Town Clerk. A meeting was held by the Registrars of Voters, as required by law, to draw names for position on the official ballot for the Annual Town Election.

Candidates for Town offices, except Town Meeting Members, were notified of the requirements of the law regarding the filing of periodic statements of campaign receipts and expenditures with the Town Clerk's Office. Incumbents and candidates for election during the previous year, who had campaign finance activity, a balance and/or liability were also notified of the requirements of filing annual reports.

Upon application, absentee ballots were issued for the Presidential Primary, the Special State Election, the Annual Town Election, the State Primary and the State (Presidential) Election. Applications for absentee ballots were automatically sent to all persons who had filed physicians' certificates of permanent physical disability, as required by law. Many residents took advantage of the provision of law which allowed them to vote in person in the Town Clerk's Office prior to the elections if they were to be out of town or otherwise unavailable to vote in person at the polls on the day of the elections. More than 4,500 absentee ballots were issued in 2008.

The Annual Town Meeting began on April 28, 2008 and continued for nine sessions, dissolving on May 28, 2008. A total of seventy-three warrant articles were acted upon. The first article of the Annual Town Meeting is

the Annual Town Election. Meetings were held prior to the Annual Town Meeting to fill vacancies in the town meeting membership (caused by resignation, removal from town, or death) until the next Annual Town Election.

Certificates of all appropriations voted at all Town Meetings and the provisions for meeting them were sent to the Board of Assessors and the Comptroller, as required by law. Certified copies of all votes authorizing indebtedness were sent to the Director of Accounts. The Secretary of the Commonwealth was notified of the acceptance by the Town Meeting of any provisions of the General Laws. In addition, certified copies of all votes passed at all Town Meetings were sent to the departments affected.

All the amendments to the Town By-Laws and Zoning Bylaws as voted at the Annual Town Meeting were submitted to the Attorney General and were approved within the statutory period provided. They were then advertised for two successive weeks in the local newspaper, as required by law, following which they took effect.

A summary of the Annual Town Meeting appears in the Legislative section of this Annual Report. A complete record of the actions taken is contained in the Records of Elections and Town Meetings in the Town Clerk's Office as well as online at arlingtonma.gov/elections.

Births, deaths and marriages were recorded and copies forwarded to the Secretary of the Commonwealth monthly. Certified copies of these vital statistics and all other documents recorded in the Town Clerk's Office were made available upon request.

A total of 1,411 dogs were licensed and 295 sporting (conservation) licenses issued by the Town Clerk's Office. Certain licenses granted by the Board of Selectmen were issued. Raffle and bazaar permits and gasoline permit renewals were issued, financing statements, utility pole locations, cemetery deeds, and business certificates were recorded. Decisions of the Zoning Board of Appeals, decisions on requests for Special Permits from the Redevelopment Board and Amendments to the Traffic Rules and Orders were also placed on file in this office.

The Department of Revenue was notified of all licenses and permits issued and business certificates filed. Street permit, drainlayer, blasting, and other surety bonds covering contractors were also placed on file in this office. Oaths of office were administered to all elected or appointed Town officials and each was given copies of excerpts from the Open Meeting Law and the Conflict of Interest Law. Notices of meetings of all boards, committees or commissions were publicly posted upon receipt, as required by the Open Meeting Law. Town officials and departments were notified of all Legislative Acts affecting them.

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Fees Collected			
	2008	2007	2006
Marriage Intentions	\$ 5,875.00	\$6,225.00	\$5,776.00
Miscellaneous Certificates	\$36,090.40	\$41,521.00	\$42,801.40
Renewal of Gasoline Permits	\$ 1,345.00	\$4,830.00	\$625.00
Miscellaneous Books	\$ 565.00	\$415.00	\$574.00
Miscellaneous Violations	\$ 2,595.00	\$1,560.00	\$508.00
Duplicate Dog Tags	\$ 62.00	\$52.00	\$40.00
Miscellaneous Licenses	\$ 600.00	\$590.00	\$750.00
Dog Licenses	\$14,085.00	\$12,605.00	\$10,805.00
Conservation Licenses	\$ 5,397.40	\$5,877.00	\$6,255.95
Municipal Town Fees	\$ 194.00	\$208.00	\$223.00
TOTAL	\$66,808.80	\$73,883.00	\$73,426.35

Fines were collected for citations issued under Section 21D of Chapter 40, General Laws, for violations of the Town By-Laws. Citations for persons who did not pay the penalties within the required time (twenty-one days) were referred to the Clerk of the District Court of Middlesex for further action.

Your attention is directed to the following vital statistics of the Town, which are recorded at this time. It should be noted, however, that the summaries of births and deaths are incomplete, inasmuch as records thereof pertaining to Arlington residents are still being received by our office from the cities and towns where these events occurred.

Vital Statistics		
	2008	2007
Births	574	466
Deaths	365	334
Marriages	226	239

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

As mandated by law, a combined Annual Town and School Census was conducted during the months of January and February 2008. The census was conducted entirely by mail, with computer preprinted forms sent to each household in Arlington requesting that information contained therein be confirmed or corrected. The census forms contained the names of all persons residing in Arlington. Once returned to the Registrars' Office, all census and voter information was entered and continually updated in the Town's computer database by the Registrars' Office. A list of persons from birth to twenty-one years of age was transmitted to the School Committee.

The Jury Commissioner obtained juror information directly from the Massachusetts Voter Registration Information System from data entered into the system by this office. The Annual True List of Persons, seventeen years of age and over, was published as required by law. In accordance with the True List information that had been presented, notices were sent by first-class mail, as required by law, to persons whose names were to be removed from the voting list because they had not been reported as residing in Arlington on January 1, 2008. Those who proved residence were reinstated. The total of registered voters upon completion of the annual revision of the voting list was 28,676, including

14,123 enrolled Democrats, 2,418 enrolled Republicans, 60 enrolled Green Rainbow, 9 enrolled Working Families and 11,964 unenrolled voters. In addition to the voters enrolled in the four political parties and those who were unenrolled, the following number of voters were enrolled in these legal political designations: 0 – America First Party, 9 – American Independent, 1 – Constitution Party, 2 – Green Party USA, 13 – Interdependent Third Party, 76 – Libertarian. The following designations had no enrollees: America First Party, American Independent, Conservative, Natural Law Party, New Alliance, New World Council, Prohibition, Rainbow Coalition, Reform Party, Timesizing not Downsizing, Veterans Party America, We the People, and World Citizens Party. Voters who enroll in a political designation may not vote in any state or presidential primary. Cards were mailed to voters acknowledging receipt of change or cancellation of political party enrollments received during the year by this office.

Throughout the year, daily sessions for registration of voters were held during regular business hours in the Office of the Town Clerk. Special sessions were also held until 8:00 P.M. on the last day to register voters for the Presidential Primary, Special State Election, Annual Town Election, State Primary and State (Presidential) Election.

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Mail-in voter registrations have eliminated the requirement that special evening and Saturday sessions for the registration of voters be held except for the final day prior to the deadline for registration for primaries and elections. Special forms for mail-in voter registration were made available at various locations throughout Arlington and all other cities and towns in the State.

In addition, persons were allowed to fill out voter registration affidavits at public offices throughout

Massachusetts, such as the Registry of Motor Vehicles, Social Security, Welfare, Medicaid, Food Stamps, Military Recruitment Offices, and other State and Federal departmental offices. These affidavits were forwarded through the computer or by mail to the Registrars of Voters or Election Commissioners of the voters' places of residence. As required by law, acknowledgement forms were sent to persons who registered to vote at special locations, or mailed in registration affidavits, notifying them of their precincts and voting places.

The Board certified voter signatures appearing on nomination papers filed by, or on behalf of candidates seeking offices at the Annual Town Election, Special State Primary and Special State Election. Also, petitions for articles to be inserted in the warrant for the 2008 Annual Town Meeting and applications for absentee ballots for the Annual Town Election. After nomination papers for the Annual Town Election had been certified by the Registrars of Voters and filed with the Town Clerk, the Registrars of Voters held a meeting to draw names for the order of position on the official ballot for the election, as required by law.

During the year, the information contained on approximately 20,000 census forms of residents of the Town on January 1 was transferred to their individual master cards. These cards provide a complete official record of residence for all persons seventeen years of age or older from the time they first become residents of the Town. From such information, certificates of residence are issued daily to establish eligibility for attendance at state and regional schools, colleges and universities, receipt of old age assistance, veterans' services, social security, employment in state or federal civil service, and for many other purposes. In addition, Registered Voters' Certificates were issued throughout the year from the Board's records for identification purposes and for proof of citizenship.

During the Annual Town Election, the Registrars of Voters were in session throughout the entire time the polls were open to assist voters who had questions relating to registration, name and/or address changes, precincts, polling places, and other problems arising during that time. After the polls closed, the Registrars assisted in the tabulation of the ballots until the final results were announced.

Registered Voters in Arlington			
	2008	2007	2006
Total Registered Voters	28,676	28,071	25,704
Democrats	14,123	13,857	12,852
Unenrolled (Independent)	11,964	11,612	10,368
Republican	2,418	2,419	2,315
Libertarian	76	86	91
Green Rainbow	60	65	91
All Others <25	9	23	16

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TOWN MEETING MEMBERS

PRECINCT ONE – THREE YEARS (4)

*Elizabeth McGaffigan, 32 Silk Street.....	98
*Paul J. McGaffigan, 32 Silk Street	91
*Kevin M. Mills, 28 Mystic Valley Parkway	94
Others.....	4
Blanks.....	345

PRECINCT TWO – THREE YEARS (4)

*William Hayner, 19 Putnam Road	183
*Elsie C. Fiore, 58 Mott Street.....	228
*Peter J. Fiore, 58 Mott Street.....	208
*Joseph P. Carabello, Jr, 156 Lake Street.....	221
Others.....	5
Blanks.....	407

PRECINCT THREE – THREE YEARS (4)

*Alexander S. Hoffinger, 66 Waldo Road	118
*Jean M. Griffin, 42 Oxford Street	98
*Allan Tosti, 38 Teel Street.....	117
*Charles J. Simas, 42 Oxford Street.....	92
Others.....	2
Blanks.....	289

PRECINCT FOUR – THREE YEARS (4)

*Ryan J. Ferrara, 94 Varnum Street	91
*George Laite, 25 Lafayette.....	115
*Patricia A. Costa, 82 Milton Street	108
Others.....	6
Blanks.....	340

PRECINCT FIVE – THREE YEARS (4)

*Patricia A. Egan, 132 Webster Street.....	134
Others.....	31
Blanks.....	611

PRECINCT SIX – THREE YEARS (4)

*Joan A.M. Gearin, 382 Mass. Ave #703.....	147
*Emilio J. Rosselli, 14 Lake Street	154
Others.....	19
Blanks.....	556

PRECINCT SEVEN – THREE YEARS (4)

*Laurence O. McKinney, 32 Foster Street....	104
*Kenneth W. Hughes, 20 Webster Street	138
*Walter R. Smith, 19 Tufts Street.....	115
*William J. Kennedy, 18 Webster Street.....	133
Others.....	1
Blanks.....	321

PRECINCT EIGHT – THREE YEARS (4)

*Carol L. Band, 57 Bartlett Avenue	287
*John D. Leone, 51 Irving Street	317
*Clarissa Rowe, 54 Brantwood Road	332
*William R. Berkowitz, 12 Pelham Terrace ...	323
Others.....	27
Blanks.....	494

PRECINCT NINE – THREE YEARS (4)

*Pauline Y. Hallee, 47 Maynard Street	238
*A. Michael Ruderman, 9 Alton Street.....	199
*Patricia E. Lieberson, 5 Mystic Lake Drive...	211
*Others	28
Blanks.....	772

PRECINCT TEN – THREE YEARS (4)

*David B. Curren, 61 Hillsdale Road	188
*Peter B. Howard, 12 Woodland Street.....	229
C. MacQuarrie Klein, 54 Newport Street	185
*William E. Shea, 9 Lincoln Street.....	223
*Jane L. Howard, 12 Woodland Street	259
Others.....	5
Blanks.....	687

PRECINCT ELEVEN – THREE YEARS (4)

*Robert E. Greeley, 38 Edgehill Road	268
*Kevin F. Greeley, 363 Mystic Street	284
*Thomas Caccavaro, Jr, 28 Ridge Street	287
*Joyce H. Radochia, 45 Columbia Road	259
Others.....	12
Blanks.....	694

PRECINCT TWELVE – THREE YEARS (4)

*Tom Dumyahn, 8 Fountain Road	332
*Michael J. Cayer, 191 Newport Street.....	344
*Marlene Rockmore, 18 Perkins Street	339
*Lisa A. Bielefeld, 132 Mt Vernon Street.....	319
Others.....	8
Blanks.....	782

PRECINCT THIRTEEN – THREE YEARS (4)

*Stephen J. Gilligan, 77 Falmouth Road	280
*Marie A. Krepelka, 12 Mohawk Road.....	318
*Maria N. Harrington, 74 Columbia Road	161
Paul J. Bayer, 15 Oldham Road	153
*Michael T. Healy, 1 Hodge Road	231
GlennB. McElhoe, 2 Morningside Drive.....	120
Others.....	5
Blanks.....	664

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PRECINCT FOURTEEN – THREE YEARS (4)

*Robert Glen Hillis, 17 Mount Vernon Street	142
*Gwenyth R.A. Hooper, 1 School St. #102	171
*Diane M. Mahon.....	210
Evelyn Smith DeMille.....	118
*John F. Maher, 990 Mass Ave #44.....	146
Others.....	0
Blanks.....	481

PRECINCT FIFTEEN – THREE YEARS (4)

*Barbara C. Cutler, 7 Teresa Circle	207
*Richard C. Fanning, 57 Yerxa Road.....	244
Charles N. Chamallas.....	195
*Nancy A. Mara, 63 Epping Street.....	231
*Brian E. Lavalle, 46 Oak Hill Drive.....	228
Others.....	3
Blanks.....	880

PRECINCT SIXTEEN – THREE YEARS (4)

*Andrew E. O'Brien, 109 Hillside Avenue	224
*Robert K. Garrity, 275 Park Avenue	226
*William J. Kenney Jr, 28 Wilbur Avenue	210
*Leslie A. Oringer, 63 Hillside Avenue	223
Others.....	7
Blanks.....	578

PRECINCT SEVENTEEN – THREE YEARS (4)

*Joan L. Banks, 65 Brattle Street.....	89
*William K. Burke, 2 Old Colony Lane	79
Others.....	8
Blanks.....	276

PRECINCT EIGHTEEN – THREE YEARS (4)

*Shirley M. Canniff, 71 Hathaway Circle.....	242
*John V. Belskis, 196 Wollaston Avenue	200
*Charles D. Gallagher, 16 Shelley Road	179
F.E. Bernardin, III.....	86
*Joseph J. Santore Jr., 8 Browning Road.....	182
Others.....	0
Blanks.....	571

PRECINCT NINETEEN – THREE YEARS (4)

*Jeanne M. Leary, 425 Summer Street	194
*Daniel J. Farrelly, 38 Ronald Road	190
*John R. Murray, 34 Thesda Road	234
Marc Aaron Butler.....	152
*Edward D. Trembley, 78 Wright Street.....	205
Others.....	3
Blanks.....	646

PRECINCT TWENTY – THREE YEARS (4)

*Christopher A. Gibbons, 45 Wilbur Avenue..	160
*Peter T. Fuller, 7 Kilsythe Road.....	163
*Robert L. Tosi, Sr, 14 Inverness Road	161
*Robert L. Tosi, Jr, 14 Inverness Road	163
Others.....	1
Blanks.....	340

PRECINCT TWENTY-ONE – THREE YEARS (4)

*Walter C. Phillips, 2 Crescent Hill Avenue....	175
*John W. May, 11 Colonial Village Drive #1...	157
*Ralph E. Elwell, 21 Montague Street	182
Others.....	38
Blanks.....	540

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BALLOT QUESTION THIS QUESTION IS BINDING

Shall the Board of Selectmen be granted the authority to reduce from 99 to 50 the minimum seating capacity for restaurants and function rooms for the sale therein of all alcohol beverages to be consumed on the premises?

Yes _____ No _____

Summary: the Board of Selectmen currently has the authority to issue up to ten licenses for the sale of all alcohol licenses to restaurants in the Town. An affirmative vote under this question would permit the Board to issue licenses to those restaurants that do not meet the minimum seat requirement for 99 patrons but do have a minimum of 50 seats. The Board believes that such a reduction will benefit smaller restaurants in Town and would enhance the dining experience of those patrons who want to consume alcoholic beverage in conjunction with their meal.

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	Total
*Yes	69	161	123	72	101	124	108	304	185	291	257	343	279	213	282	232	64	211	2496	140	175	3980
No	35	76	28	51	45	42	45	49	84	51	88	65	116	60	91	62	29	71	82	70	54	1294
Blanks	54	76	28	42	48	53	50	92	93	102	106	123	88	44	124	73	20	83	78	37	44	1458

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REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT – FIFTEENTH MIDDLESEX DISTRICT

Precinct	14	17	20	21	Total
Jay R. Kaufman	287	145	282	277	991
Others	1	2	2	1	6
Blanks	82	33	81	91	287

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT – TWENTY-FOURTH MIDDLESEX DISTRICT

Precinct	2	4	Total
William Brownsberger	356	282	569
Others	2	1	3
Blanks	127	68	195

REGISTER OF PROBATE – MIDDLESEX COUNTY

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	Total
John R. Buonomo	125	228	127	152	164	144	129	216	249	231	227	315	223	175	253	230	87	200	240	199	170	4094
Others	27	27	33	24	54	24	34	59	44	51	31	38	32	28	41	18	13	27	32	17	21	675
Blanks	105	230	120	106	141	129	122	244	162	221	239	300	236	167	197	189	80	188	223	149	178	3726

REPUBLICAN PARTY

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	Total
Jeffrey K. Beatty	14	19	6	17	13	13	19	16	36	20	24	32	38	21	16	36	17	37	29	18	15	456
Others	1	0	1	0	2	1	3	0	5	2	4	2	1	2	4	1	1	2	2	1	1	36
Blanks	3	3	0	1	5	1	0	3	5	7	1	1	8	0	1	2	3	3	2	3	2	54

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS – SEVENTH DISTRICT

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	Total
John Cunningham	14	20	7	17	15	15	19	14	40	20	26	31	41	22	17	33	19	35	28	18	16	467
Others	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	2	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	10
Blanks	3	2	0	1	5	0	2	5	6	8	2	4	4	0	4	5	1	6	5	4	2	69

COUNCILLOR – SIXTH DISTRICT

No Candidate

SENATOR IN GENERAL COURT – FOURTH MIDDLESEX DISTRICT

No Candidate

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT – TWENTY-THIRD MIDDLESEX DISTRICT

No Candidate

REGISTER OF PROBATE – MIDDLESEX COUNTY

No Candidate

WORKING FAMILIES PARTY

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

No Candidate	
All others	7
Blanks	17
Total Votes Cast	24

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS – SEVENTH DISTRICT

No Candidate

All others	10
Blanks	14
Total Votes Cast	24

COUNCILLOR – SIXTH DISTRICT

No Candidate

Others	6
Blanks	18
Total	24

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SENATOR IN GENERAL COURT – FOURTH MIDDLESEX DISTRICT

No Candidate	
Others	11
Blanks	13
Total	24

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT – FIFTEENTH MIDDLESEX DISTRICT

No Candidate	
Others	5
Blanks	0
Total	5

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT – TWENTY-THIRD MIDDLESEX DISTRICT

No Candidate	
Others	5
Blanks	13
Total	18

GREEN-RAINBOW PARTY

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

No Candidate	
All Others	2
Blanks	1
Total votes cast	3

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS – SEVENTH DISTRICT

No Candidate	
All Others	1
Blanks	2
Total votes cast	3

COUNCILLOR – SIXTH DISTRICT

No Candidate	
All Others	1
Blanks	2
Total	3

SENATOR IN GENERAL COURT – FOURTH MIDDLESEX DISTRICT

No Candidate	
All Others	2
Blanks	1
Total	3

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT – FIFTEENTH MIDDLESEX DISTRICT

No Candidate	
All Others	0
Blanks	0
Total	0

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT – TWENTY-THIRD MIDDLESEX DISTRICT

No Candidate	
All Others	2
Blanks	1
Total	3

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT – TWENTY-FOURTH MIDDLESEX DISTRICT

No Candidate	
All Others	0
Blanks	0
Total	0

REGISTER OF ROBATE – MIDDLESEX COUNTY

No Candidate	
All Others	2
Blanks	1
Total	3

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SEPTEMBER 16, 2008 – STATE PRIMARY WRITE-IN VOTES

REGISTER OF PROBATE

Paula E. Mattaliano 193 - Democratic Ballot
28 Cornell Street 12 - Republican Ballot
Arlington, MA 02474

John A. Alperta 63 - Democratic Ballot
13 Oxford Road 3 - Republican Ballot
Billerica, MA 01862

Richard Covino 4 - Democratic Ballot
86 Gerald Avenue
Brockton, MA 02302

Sean T. O'Donovan 96 – Working Family Ballot
30 Warwick Street 3 - Republican Ballot
Somerville, MA 02145

John Warren Lambert 8 - Democratic Ballot
5 Beverly Road 19 - Republican Ballot
Natick, MA 01760

Thomas B. Concannon, Jr 104 - Democratic Ballot
8 Bacon Street
Newton, MA

Teresa Walsh 9 - Democratic Ballot
35 Hutchinson Road
Arlington, MA 02474

STATE SENATOR

Brion Cangiamila 3 - Democratic Ballot
2 Sylvan Road 70 - Republican Ballot
Billerica, MA 01821

STATE ELECTION – NOVEMBER 4, 2008

Total number of Registered Voters - 30,122

Total of ballots cast (25,447) - 25,488

(includes 41 hand counted)

84% of registered voters

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	Total
	832	1214	1177	1113	1162	1249	1082	1344	1285	1315	1275	1421	1308	1165	1386	1273	854	1275	1305	1227	1226	25,488

PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	Total
Baldwin & Castle	1	2	0	1	2	1	1	1	2	3	2	1	1	1	1	2	0	1	1	2	2	28
Barr & Root	2	6	7	11	6	11	3	9	2	3	2	1	1	1	1	2	3	5	5	5	8	135
McCain & Palin	186	318	214	209	317	248	235	218	377	275	391	362	541	245	404	316	187	450	365	274	275	6407
McKinney & Clemente	1	4	7	5	1	6	7	8	3	1	1	4	3	4	6	1	6	1	1	7	3	80
Nader & Gonzalez	6	9	10	8	10	12	10	12	12	11	6	6	8	18	5	9	8	8	9	16	13	206
Obama & Biden	622	860	927	867	807	956	819	1085	863	1014	855	1027	737	875	953	923	637	799	911	917	912	18365
Others	5	10	5	7	12	9	3	5	11	5	6	2	6	9	7	10	9	8	5	2	7	143
Blanks	9	5	7	5	7	6	4	6	10	4	7	9	3	7	2	7	4	3	8	4	6	123

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QUESTION 3 – PROTECT GREYHOUNDS (law)

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	Total
YES	503	707	777	663	687	800	690	895	769	810	696	846	803	721	795	813	543	717	747	783	772	15437
NO	287	473	352	408	429	394	344	405	450	457	532	538	559	401	539	428	281	512	523	393	416	9121
Blanks	42	34	48	42	46	55	48	44	66	48	47	37	46	43	52	32	30	46	35	51	38	930

QUESTION 4 – GREENHOUSE EMISSIONS

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	Total
YES	595	852	896	827	807	916	823	1046	890	963	909	1021	846	849	993	929	635	847	935	865	931	18376
NO	115	175	157	133	177	152	120	146	196	178	181	206	240	150	200	192	102	219	187	166	148	3540
Blanks	122	187	124	153	178	181	139	152	200	173	185	194	222	166	193	152	117	208	183	196	147	3572

Total number of absentee ballots mailed - 2,502

Total number rejected - 51

Total number not returned - 185