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PROCEEDINGS OF STATE PRIMARY ELECTION September 8, 2016

Rena Richard, Warden, declared the polls open at 7:00 am.

Throughout the day, election clerks on duty at the check-in table for precinct one were Ida Jette, Agnita Knott, and Robyn Sharp. Elections clerks on duty at the check-in table for precinct two were Richard Robinson, Karen Varney, Kathy Ramsey and Elaine Picard. Carol Owczarzak, Patricia Phyllis, Betty Consigli and Kathy Langin were on duty at the checkout table for precinct one throughout the day. Also, Lynne Gruber, Harriet Fougere, Kelly Carey and Mary Bradford were on duty at the checkout table for precinct two throughout the day.

At 8:01 pm the results of the election were printed from each of the two Accu-Vote tabulation machines. There were 358 Democratic votes (177 for precinct one and 175 for precinct two), 500 Republican votes (231 for precinct one and 267 precinct two). The following are the results of the election:

Democratic Ballot	Candidate	Precinct 1	Precinct 2	Total
Representative in Congress	James P. McGovern, Worcester MA	59	39	97
	Blanks	4	0	4
Councillor	Matthew CJ Vance, Gardner MA	53	36	89
	Blanks	10	2	12
Senator in General Court	Michael O. Moore, Millbury MA	59	38	97
	Blanks	4	0	4
Representative in General Court	Blanks	63	38	101
Sheriff	Blanks	63	38	101

Republican Ballot	Candidate	Precinct 1	Precinct 2	Total
Representative in Congress	Write Ins	0	3	3
	Blanks	52	45	97
Councillor	Jennie L. Cassie, Oxford MA	38	33	71
	Blanks	14	15	29

Senator in General Court	Mesfin H. Beshir, Worcester MA	34	32	66
	Blanks	18	16	34
Representative in General Court	David Muradian, Jr, Grafton MA	52	45	97
	Blanks	3	0	3
Sheriff	Lewis G. Evangelidis, Rutland MA	40	37	77
	Blanks	12	11	23

There were zero ballots cast for Green party and one ballot cast for United Independent. Results for United Independent were write ins.

The total number of ballots voted was 202 out of 5,358 (254 inactive) (4% turnout). This included 44 absentee ballots. Warden Rena Richard read the unofficial results of the election at 8:25 pm. The used and unused ballots were sealed in separate containers and deposited in the town vault at 8:35 pm.

Attest:

Kelly A. McElreath,
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