

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA,  
COUNTY OF GILMER, TO-WIT:

At a Special Session of the County Commission of Gilmer County, West Virginia, held at the courthouse thereof on Tuesday, 13<sup>th</sup> day of November 2018.

PRESENT: Larry B. Chapman, President, John D. Bennett and Brian Kennedy Commissioners thereof.

A quorum being present, the meeting was called to order by President Larry B. Chapman at 9:00 a.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

See file for list of people present for all or portions of the County Commission meeting.

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Commissioner John D. Bennett entered a motion to set the fee for recount at \$300.00. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

The Commission this day sitting as a Board of Canvassers proceeded to canvass the returns of the General Election, which was held November 6, 2018, precinct by precinct this being the day set by law to canvass said returns.

After canvassing each precinct, Commission President Larry B. Chapman randomly drew Precinct 12 as the precinct to hand count. Pursuant to the hand count there were no changes in the results.

There were Sixteen (16) provisional ballots by the election officials and the board of canvassers made the decision concerning each ballot. The Board of Canvassers counted ten (10) of the provisional ballots. Letters were sent to each person voting a provisional ballot to inform them of the status of their vote.

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Pursuant to West Virginia Code 304a-28, the County Commission sitting as a Board of Canvassers randomly drew 15% of 10 precincts to hand count for the canvass. Precinct 12 was hand counted and the variance was none. The code allows a variance of 1% difference with hand count. The total votes for Precinct 12 were 184, which allowed for 1% variance of 1.84 votes and the hand count had a variance of none.

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There being a total of 2,050 ballots cast at the November 6, 2018, General Election with a total of five provisional ballots not counted, the total number of ballots counted was 2,050 being a 44.19% turnout for the November 6, 2018, General Election.

A motion was entered by Commissioner Brian Kennedy, that the results of the November 6, 2018, General Election as determined by the Board of Canvassers, be publicly declared November 13, 2018 at 11:25 a.m. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

The results of the November 6, 2018, General Election were so declared by the Board of Canvassers.

The Board of Canvasser will meet on Friday, November 16, 2018 to certify the returns of the November 6, 2018 General Election as official.

The results of the election for the 2018 General Election were filed with Secretary of State as required by law.

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The Commission having completed the business of the present term, a motion for adjournment was entered by Commissioner Brian Kennedy at 11:25 a.m. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

Ordered that the Commission does now adjourn and to meet again in Regular Session on November 16, 2018.

Larry B. Chapman, President

November 13, 2018