

Pierce County General Election - November 6, 2018

Canvassing Board Report presented November 21, 2018

Status Report - Statistics as of November 21, 2018

Voter Statistics	
Total number of active registered voters in all precincts	499,164
Total number of inactive registered voters in all precincts	62,264
Total registered voters in all precincts	561,428

Ballot Statistics	
Total number of ballots returned	334,507
Total ballots counted	330,916
(Includes overseas, service voters, email ballots, and Address Confidentiality Program ballots)	
Ballot Statistics (See report 1 and 2 for detail)	
Ballots returned by mail	190,994
Ballots returned at drop boxes (including Voting Centers)	142,671
Ballots returned electronically (fax and email)	842

Voter Turnout Statistics	
Total ballots counted	330,916
Overall turnout percentage	66.29%

Challenge Ballot Statistics	
Unsigned ballot envelopes	
Total unsigned ballot envelopes received	816
Signature updates received and processed	149
Outstanding letters sent to voters with no response	667
Signature Discrepancies**	
Total signature discrepancies received	3,163
Signature discrepancies resolved and processed	365
Outstanding letters sent to voters with no response	2,798
**Includes signatures that do not match and wrong signers	
Other Ballots Challenged (includes cancelled after ballot was issued, marked as deceased or moved, missing ID, returned empty envelope, or no signature on file)	
	109
Total ballots currently challenged	3,574

Ballots Rejected - no challenge code applied	
Returned ballot in secrecy only, no declaration	209
Returned wrong election	279
Total ballots rejected - no challenge code applied	488

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To Be Canvassed

Ballots

Voter Intent Unclear - Refer to Voter Intent Statewide Standards on What is a Vote

Total ballots to be canvassed 21

Envelopes to be canvassed

Postmark Canvass 3

Witnessing questions 2

Signature Question - Eballot 1

Two ballots in envelope, one signature 3

Total envelopes to be canvassed 9

Random Check of Ballots

Per RCW 29A.60.170(4) a random audit of batches is required. On November 8, 2018 the political party observer coordinators requested the required audit of ballots be conducted for the 26th Legislative District State Senator. Our system uses five digital scanners and one central count server. A random batch from each scanner was drawn, hand tallied, and compared to the machine report. All results of the hand tally for the chosen race matched the machine report.

Ballots Received Too Late

Ballots postmarked too late 1432

Ballots received too late at drop box 6