## CITY OF CAMBRIDGE

#### **BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS**



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### **BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS MEETING Municipal Election** Minutes of November 8 - 9, 2023

The meeting was called to order at 9 AM on November 8, 2023 by the Chair, Commissioner Harris. Present were the Chair, Commissioner Victoria Harris, Commissioner Larry Ward, Commissioner Charles Marquardt, Commissioner Ethridge King, Executive Director Tanya Ford, and Assistant Director Lesley Waxman.

#### I. Ballot Review

The Commissioners convened to review the ballots that had been rejected by the Ballot Scanners due to various reasons. These rejected ballots were securely stored in the Auxiliary Ballot box to facilitate on a case-by-case basis to determine voter intent.

Attached are the Auxiliary ballot counts listed in Ward/Precinct order for both the City Council and School Committee.

#### II. Release of Unofficial, Preliminary Results

Following a thorough review, the Board voted on the release of the Unofficial, Preliminary results. The Chair, Commissioner Harris, announced the unofficial winners: nine City Council Candidates and the six School Committee Candidates.

Motion: Release the Unofficial, Preliminary Results

Moved: Commissioner Harris Seconded: Commissioner Ward

Passed: 4-0

#### III. Adjournment

Upon the successful conclusion of the agenda items, Commissioner Harris proposed to adjourn the meeting, a motion seconded by Commissioner Ward.

**Motion: Adjourn the Meeting** 

Moved: Commissioner Harris Seconded: Commissioner Ward

Passed: 4-0

The meeting adjourned, marking the conclusion of the proceedings at 11:45.

Attested by: *Chridge King*Ethridge A. King, Secretary A True Record

# CAMBRIDGE MUNICIPAL ELECTION - NOVEMBER 7, 2023 HAND COUNT TABULATION FORM TALLY SHEET

Motion: Mark the Hand Count ballots to reflect voter intent

**Moved: Commissioner Harris** 

**Seconded: Commissioner Marquardt** 

City Council				Sch	School Committee		
Ward/Precinct	Num of Ballots	Vote		Ward/Precinct	Num of Ballots	Vote	
1-1	3	Passed 4 - 0		1-1	0	Passed 4 - 0	
1-2	2	Passed 4 - 0		1-2	2	Passed 4 - 0	
1-3	4	Passed 4 - 0		1-3	5	Passed 4 - 0	
2-1	11	Passed 4 - 0		2-1	5	Passed 4 - 0	
2-2	10	Passed 4 - 0		2-2	6	Passed 4 - 0	
2-3	5	Passed 4 - 0		2-3	2	Passed 4 - 0	
3-1	4	Passed 4 - 0		3-1	5	Passed 4 - 0	
3-2	12	Passed 4 - 0		3-2	12	Passed 4 - 0	
3-3	6	Passed 4 - 0		3-3	7	Passed 4 - 0	
4-1	15	Passed 4 - 0		4-1	4	Passed 4 - 0	
4-2	2	Passed 4 - 0	Motion: Count the 2 City Council and 15 School Committee ballots that were marked as rejected in error	4-2	17	Passed 4 - 0	
4-3	13	Passed 4 - 0		4-3	3	Passed 4 - 0	
5-1	16	Passed 4 - 0		5-1	15	Passed 4 - 0	
5-2	0	Passed 4 - 0		5-2	0	Passed 4 - 0	
5-3	8	Passed 4 - 0		5-3	10	Passed 4 - 0	
6-1	13	Passed 4 - 0		6-1	9	Passed 4 - 0	
6-2	7	Passed 4 - 0		6-2	7	Passed 4 - 0	
6-3	16	Passed 4 - 0		6-3	7	Passed 4 - 0	
7-1	15	Passed 4 - 0	City Council Ballots #1 and #2 Passed - 3 - 1	7-1	5	Passed 4 - 0	
7-2	18	Passed 4 - 0		7-2	7	Passed 4 - 0	
7-3	2	Passed 4 - 0		7-3	2	Passed 4 - 0	
8-1	23	Passed 4 - 0		8-1	7	Passed 4 - 0	

8-2	13	Passed 4 - 0	City Council Ballots #11 Passed - 3 - 1	8-2	12	Passed 4 - 0
8-3	1	Passed 4 - 0		8-3	2	Passed 4 - 0
9-1	79	Passed 4 - 0	City Council Ballots #57 #58 #59 Passed 3 - 1	9-1	57	Passed 4 - 0
9-2	20	Passed 4 - 0		9-2	13	Passed 4 - 0
9-3	25	Passed 4 - 0		9-3	12	Passed 4 - 0
10-1	19	Passed 4 - 0		10-1	11	Passed 4 - 0
10-2	23	Passed 4 - 0		10-2	10	Passed 4 - 0
10-3	21	Passed 4 - 0		10-3	4	Passed 4 - 0
11-1	4	Passed 4 - 0		11-1	5	Passed 4 - 0
11-2	35	Passed 4 - 0		11-2	21	Passed 4 - 0
11-3	11	Passed 4 - 0		11-3	3	Passed 4 - 0