

**Minutes of the Canvass Committee Meeting
Denali Borough Assembly
Tri-Valley Community Center
November 5, 2009**

CALL TO ORDER Chairman Armeda BULARD called the Canvass Meeting to order at 6:00PM.

ROLL CALL Canvass Committee members present: Armeda Bulard, Eileen Holmes, Baxter Mercer, John Winklmann, Clay Walker and Robert Kohlsdorf. Absent: Vickie Lausen and Teresa Usibelli. Mayor Talerico was also in attendance.

AGENDA APPROVAL MERCER MOVED to approve the agenda. Winklmann seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

PUBLIC COMMENTS There were no public comments.

COMMITTEE COMMENTS There were no committee comments.

REVIEW PRELIMINARY The canvassing committee reviewed the mailed in preliminary election results with the hand carried results.

WINKLMANN MOVED to approve the preliminary results. Holmes seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

ELECTION RESULTS The preliminary results are as follows:

ASSEMBLY CANDIDATES

SEAT B – East Central District

Clay Walker 23

SEAT F – West Central District

Cyrus L. Cooper 80

David W. Evans	47
Father Jack	1

SEAT G – North District

Robert Kohlsdorf	55
Andy Archer	1
Kay Hockin	1
Michelle Nelson	1

SEAT H – North District

Precinct	
Ballot Type	Total
Southwood, Karen	1
Mueller, Rebecca	1
Mueller, Bob	1
Everete, Howard	1
Michaels, Sid	1
Strong, Jane	1
Fabrizio, Brad	1
Patum, Paddy	1
Griffin, Karen	1
Mueller, Becky	1
Leavy, Dave	1
Muhler, Bob	1
Archer, Denna	1
Terwilliger, Tom	2
McDavid, Barry	1
Mueller, Bob	1
Rathbone, Charley	2
Thompson, Scott	2
Bailey, John	1
Taylor, Jeff	1
Howard, Beckie	1
Hockin, Josh	2
Terwillager, Tom	1
Hollis, Frank	1
Clifton, Shannon	1
Borst, Glen	1
Terwillager	1
Nelson, Don	1

SCHOOL BOARD CANDIDATES

SEAT C – West Central District

Precinct Ballot Type	Total
Stainbrook, Chris	1
Graham, William	14
Graham, Billy	8
Grahm, William	1
Friesen, Kristen	15
Chepoda, Darryl	1
Evans, David	2
Usibelli, John	1
Juhl, Joseph K.	1
Mortensen, Cameron	1
Juhl, Erin	2
Frisby, Stacy	1
Graham, Bill	6
Freisen, S	1
Yanuchi, Jeff	2
Milliken, Beth	1
King, Brittany	1
Lundgren, Dave	1
Smith, William	1
Winklmann, Pat	1
Skrivanek, Rebecca	1
Graham, Billie	1
Cook, Brian	1
Mueller, Keli	2
Stainbrook, Christopher	1
Austin-Wopple, Amanda	1
Juhl, Aaron	1
Talerico, Letita	1
Cooper, Cyrus	1
McMaster, Peter	1
MacLachlan, Cynthia	1
Cook, Donna	1
Lausen, Will	1
Grahm, Bill	1
Venechuk, Cheryl	1

Usibelli-Chepoda, Teresa	1
Friesien, Kristen	1
Friesen, Kristin	1

SEAT D – West Central District

Precinct	Ballot Type	Total
	Fresen, Kristen	33
	Evans, Donna	1
	Winkleman, Pat	1
	Menke, Mark	1
	Barker, Chip	1
	Mortenson, Cameron	1
	Friezen, Kristen	3
	Cook, Brian	3
	Wopple-Austin, Amanda	1
	Speer, Roger	1
	MacLachlan, Cyndi	1
	Usibelli, Teresa	1
	Freezan, Christan	1
	Allen, Mary	1
	Freizen, Kristen	1
	Mueller, Kelly	1
	Chepoda, Daryl Sr.	1
	Friesen, Kristin	5
	Friesen	2
	Winklmann, Pat	1
	Freisen, Kristen	3
	Mortensen, Cameron	2
	Graham, William	2
	Yanuchi, Jeff	1
	Talerico, David C.	2
	Friesien, Kristen	1
	Yanuchi, Lori	1

SEAT F – West Central District

Richard C. Hundrup	109	Cheryl Venechuk	1
John Usibelli	1	Jeff Yanuchi	1
Travis Gurht	1	Kristen Friesen	1
David Lundgren	1	Dick White	1
Barbara B. Walters	1	Rebecca Skrivanek	1
Kristen Friesen	1	Cyrus Cooper	1

SEAT H – North District

Precinct	
Ballot Type	Total
Tompson, Samatha	1
Terwilliger, Tom	2
Sutton, Leroy	1
Tohompson, R. Scott	1
Terwillager, Tom	1
Hockin, Kay	1
Hockin, Josh	1
Nelson, Becky	1
Terwilliger, Tom	1
Howard, Tom	1
Fulford, Kyle	1
Reeder, Jay	1
McDavid, Donna	1
Nenson, Becky	1
Goslar, John	1
Woolard, Wayva	1
Reyor, Michael	1
Turnipseed, Kenneth	1
Fabrizo, Brad	1
Hughes, Sylvia	1
Southwood, Karen	1
Fabrizio, Brad	2
Michaels, Mary Beth	1
Greggs, Pat	1
Stokes, Myron	1
Nelson, Michelle	1
Holmes, Eileen	1
Tadum, Paddy	1

SEAT I – North District

Precinct Ballot Type	Total
Fetzer, Keith	1
McDavid, Donna	2
Archer, Denna	1
Terwilliger, Tom	1
Terwilger, Tom	1
Johnson, Elizabeth	1
Shepherd, Stephanie	1
Keylon, Mike	1
Archer, Andy	1
Witte, Sue	1
Southwood, Karl	1
Howard, Tom	1
Terwilliger, Tom	2
Hockin, Kay	1
Hockin, Megan	1
Rathbone, Charley	2
Thompson, Scott	2
Wagner, Dale	1
Wright, Cindy	2
Turwillager, Tom	1
Turnipseed, Ken	1
Southwood, Karen	1
McPhearson, Tina	1
Michaels, Marybeth	1
Scotthorn, Cindy	1

**QUESTIONED
BALLOTS**

The Canvass Committee reviewed the questioned ballot list that was provided by the clerk.

HOLMES MOVED to accept number 2. Mercer seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

MERCER MOVED to reject number 1 because the voter was registered to vote in Anchorage. Numbers 3 and 6 were not registered in time to vote. Number 4, 5, 7 and 8 are registered in another district and therefore voted the wrong ballot. Walker seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

Since there was only one question ballot to count, the clerk suggested that the ballot be counted with the north district absentee ballots.

ABSENTEE
BALLOTS

The committee reviewed the absentee ballot list provided by the election clerk.

The absentee ballots were removed from the white identification envelope. They were removed from the secrecy sleeves and then tallied.

The clerk stated that there was only one absentee ballot from the East Central District. WINKLMANN MOVED to not count the East Central absentee ballot because it would be the only ballot in the ballot box and therefore would disclose the votes cast by that voter, and by not counting the ballot, the outcome of the election would not change. Kohlsdorf seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

WINKLMANN MOVED to consolidate the different spellings of the name Rebecca/Becky Mueller's for Assembly seat H. Holmes seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

WINKLMANN MOVED to consolidate the different spellings of the name Bob Mueller for Assembly seat H. Kohlsdorf seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

WINKLMANN MOVED to consolidate the different spellings of the name Tom Terwilliger. Mercer seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

KOHLSDORF MOVED to eliminate anyone without a first name on the consolidation list. Winklmann seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

WINKLMANN MOVED to consolidate the various spellings of William/Bill Graham for School Board seat B. Kohlsdorf seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

WINKLMANN MOVED to consolidate the various spellings for Kristen Friesen for School board seat C. Kohlsdorf seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

KOHLSDORF MOVED to consolidate Erin/Aaron Juhl for School Board seat D. Winklmann seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

WINKLMANN MOVED to consolidate Friesen for School Board seat D. Kohlsdorf seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

KOHLSDORF MOVED to not consolidate any name for Friesen without the first name. Winklmann seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

WINKLMANN MOVED to consolidate Pat Winklmann's name for School Board seat D. Mercer seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

WINKLMANN MOVED to consolidate Cameron Mortensen for School Board seat C. Kohlsdorf seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

WINKLMANN MOVED to consolidate Tom Terwilliger for Assembly seat H. Kohlsdorf seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

WINKLMANN MOVED to consolidate Brad Fabrizio for School Board seat H. Kohlsdorf seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

WINKLMANN MOVED to consolidate Tom Terwilliger for School Board seat I. Kohlsdorf seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

MERCER MOVED to consolidate Stainbrook for School Board seat C. Winklmann seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

WALKER MOVED to combine the names of Kristen Friesen for School Board seat F. Winklmann seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

RECESS The committee recessed at 7:08 PM so the staff could type the Canvass Committee report.

RECONVENED The committee reconvened at 7:35 PM and the final candidate results were read into the record.

TALLYING The final tally was as follows:

Regular ballots cast: 213

Absentee ballots cast: 19

Questioned ballots cast: 8

Total number of ballots cast in the election: 240
(Including absentee and questioned ballots)

PART I: ELECTIVE OFFICES

ASSEMBLY CANDIDATES

SEAT B – East Central District

Clay Walker	23
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SEAT F – West Central District

Cyrus L. Cooper	91
David W. Evans	50
Father Jack	1

SEAT G – North District

Robert Kohlsdorf	60
Andy Archer	1
Kay Hockin	1
Michelle Nelson	1

SEAT H – North District

Tom Terwilliger	3
Bob Mueller	3
Josh Hockin	3
Rebecca Mueller	2
Charlie Rathbone	2
Scott Thompson	2
Karen Southwood	1
Howard Everete	1
Sid Michaels	1
Jane Strong	1
Brad Fabrizio	1
Paddy Tatum	1
Karen Griffin	1
Dave Leavy	1

Donna Archer	1
Barry McDavid	1
John Bailey	1
Jeff Taylor	1
Beckie Howard	1
Frank Hollis	1
Shannon Clifton	1
Glen Borst	1
Don Nelson	1
Cyrus Cooper	1

SCHOOL BOARD CANDIDATES

SEAT C – West Central District

William Graham	33
Kristen Friesen	20
Erin Juhl	3
David Evans	2
Jeff Yanuchi	2
Keli Mueller	2
Christopher Stainbrook	2
Beth Milliken	1
Darryl Chepoda	1
John Usibelli	1
Joseph K. Juhl	1
Cameron Mortensen	1
Stacy Frisby	1
S Freisen	1
Brittany King	1
Dave Lundgren	1
William Smith	1
Pat Winklmann	1
Rebecca Skrivanek	1
Brian Cook	1
Amanda Austin-Wopple	1
Letita Talerico	1
Cyrus Cooper	1
Peter McMaster	1
Cynthia MacLachlan	1
Donna Cook	1
Will Lausen	1
Cheryl Venechuk	1
Teresa Chepoda-Usibelli	1

Beth Westphal	1
Steve Ziegman	1
Leslie Smith	1
Amy Spear	1

SEAT D – West Central District

Kristen Friesen	52
Cameron Mortensen	3
Brian Cook	3
William Graham	2
David C. Talerico	2
Pat Winklmann	2
Donna Evans	1
Mark Menke	1
Chip Barker	1
Amanda Wopple-Austin	1
Roger Speer	1
Cyndi MacLachlan	1
Teresa Usibelli	1
Mary Allen	1
Kelly Mueller	1
Daryl Chepoda Sr.	1
Jeff Yanuchi	1
Lori Yanuchi	1
Friesen	1
Ron Clark	1
Danielle Mayo	1
Rick Stickle	1
Steve Ziegman	1
David Evans	1

SEAT F – West Central District

Richard C. Hundrup	122
Kristen Friesen	2
John Usibelli	1
Travis Gurht	1
Cheryl Venechuk	1
Jeff Yanuchi	1
Cyrus Cooper	1
David Lundgren	1
Barbara B. Walters	1
Dick White	1
Rebecca Skrivanek	1

SEAT H - North District

Tom Terwilliger	4
Brad Fabrizio	3
Becky Nelson	1
Leroy Sutton	1
Scott R. Thompson	1
Kay Hockin	1
Josh Hockin	1
Tom Howard	1
Kyle Fulford	1
Jay Reeder	1
Donna McDavid	1
Samantha Thompson	1
John Goslar	1
Wayva Woolard	1
Michael Reyor	1
Kenneth Turnipseed	1
Sylvia Hughes	1
Karen Southwood	1
Marybeth Michaels	1
Pat Greggs	1
Myron Stokes	1
Michelle Nelson	1
Eileen Holmes	1
Paddy Tadum	1
Becky Nenson	1
Charles (Chip) Saylor	1

SEAT I – North District

Tom Terwilliger	7
Donna McDavid	2
Charley Rathbone	2
Scott Thompson	2
Cindy Wright	2
Keith Fetzer	1
Donna Archer	1

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Tom Howard
Kay Hockin
Megan Hockin
Dale Wagner

Ken Turnipseed	1
Karen Southwood	1
Tina McPherson	1
Marybeth Michaels	1
Cindy Scotthorn	1

CANVASS
COMMITTEE
REPORT

WINKLMANN MOVED to approve and send the Canvass Committee Report to the assembly for acceptance. Kohlsdorf seconded. The VOTE was unanimous.

PUBLIC
COMMENTS

There were no public comments.

COMMITTEE
COMMENTS

HOLMES reported that there will be a fundraiser in Anderson for a cancer survivor to raise money to help pay for medical bills.

KOHLSDORF felt that everything went well tonight.

WINKLMANN questioned how the ties for the candidate seats would be handled. The clerk informed the committee that the names would be placed in a hat and called in the order that they were drawn.

WALKER suggested prioritizing Terwilliger because he is tied on the Assembly seat H and won school board seats H and I.

WINKLMANN reported that some candidates will probably decline.

WALKER suggested asking Terwilliger if he would want the Assembly seat first before deciding on school board.

BULARD reminded the committee that the next assembly meeting will be held in Cantwell at the Community Center.

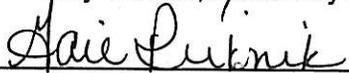
ADJOURNMENT

KOHLSDORF MOVED to adjourn. Winklmann seconded. The VOTE was unanimous. The Chair declared the Canvass Committee meeting adjourned at 7:51PM.

APPROVED:


Clay Walker, Assembly Presiding Officer

ATTEST:


Gail Pieknik, Borough Clerk

Date Approved: DECEMBER 9, 2009