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The Salem County Board of Elections (SC BoE) performed a post-election audit consistent with the provisions of N.J.S.A. 19:61-9 and the guidelines promulgated by the New Jersey Secretary of State's Office on Tuesday, November 20, 2023. The audit was available to the public via in-person observation at The Salem County Complex, 110 Fifth St. Salem NJ 08079, as advertised with the South Jersey Times.

The Salem County Board of Elections conducted a hand-to-eye count of the voter-verifiable paper records created during the voting process of the November 7, 2023, General Election.

Pursuant to the statute, counties with fewer than 100 districts shall audit at least 2 units to be randomly selected. Audit units pulled from, included: voter verified paper audit trails from each voting machine used in Early Voting and on Election Day, vote by mail ballots by municipality / ward; and provisional ballots by municipality/ward.

As provided for in the statute, the following 2 audit units were randomly selected for audit on Monday, November 20,2023 at 11:00am

- Batch Unit pull 1.  
Tabulator: 10  
Batch: 66  
number of ballots: 9  
Type of ballots: Mail  
Municipality: Upper Pittsgrove
- Batch Unit pull 2.  
Tabulator: 10  
Batch: 75  
number of ballots: 9  
Type of ballots: Mail  
Municipality: Pilesgrove

The following took part in the hand-to-eye counting process for this audit:

\* Shannon Berger

\* Ravae Loper

\* Jesse Austin

\*Debra Hackett

Overseers were Registrars, Shannon Berger, Ravae Loper, and Deputy Registrars, Jesse Austin, and Phillip Bobbitt

Additionally, Salem County Board of Elections Chairwoman, Dana Mulligan as well as Commissioner William Higgins were present to oversee the entire audit proceedings.

In each instance, the hand- to- eye audit was 100% consistent with the reported numbers. Any paper ballot which contained an overvote for a particular contest recorded it as an overvote but did not count a vote. Undervotes were recorded by the vote tabulation system and were reconciled during the audit.

Respectfully Submitted on November 27nd, by: Registrar Ravae Loper Salem County Board of Elections.