

**Lincoln County Board of Canvass**  
**Tuesday, August 16, 2016**  
**Lincoln County Service Center, 801 N. Sales St., Merrill WI - Room 258**

County Clerk Christopher J Marlowe called the Lincoln County Board of Canvass to order at 9:00 a.m. on August 16, 2016, with the following members present: County Clerk Christopher J Marlowe, Joan Schroeder, Democratic representative and Charlene Woller, Republican representative.

The Board of Canvass meeting notice was posted per Wisconsin Statutes. The following are the findings upon the review of the reports:

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| Town of Birch:        | All Absentee Ballots must be referenced with a number and the letter "A" (in red).  |
| Town of Bradley:      | Incident log should include clear and narrative descriptions of all incidents.  |
| Town of Corning:      | No incidents  |
| Town of Harding:      | All Absentee Ballots must be referenced with a number and the letter "A" (in red). Not clear on Incident log whether ballots were remade or reissued.                                     |
| Town of Harrison:     | All Absentee Ballots must be referenced with a number and the letter "A" (in red).  |
| Town of King:         | No incidents  |
| Town of Merrill:      | Remade and Reissued ballots were not indicated on the Certificate of Ballots.   |
| Town of Pine River:   | At least one Inspector, preferably the Chief, should initial all incidents in the Incident log. Missed two poll book signatures. This was noted in the poll book.                         |
| Town of Rock Falls:   | No incidents  |
| Town of Russell:      | All Absentee Ballots must be referenced with a number and the letter "A" (in red).  |
| Town of Schley:       | No incidents  |
| Town of Scott:        | All Absentee Ballots must be referenced with a number and the letter "A" (in red).  |
| Town of Skanawan:     | Absentee Ballot Log – voter number not indicated. Remade ABS ballots not recorded on the Certificate of Ballots. Incident reasons should be recorded in the log and not on the poll book. |
| Town of Somo:         | No incidents  |
| Town of Tomahawk:     | No Zero Tape. No hand counts needed.  |
| Town of Wilson:       | No incidents  |
| City of Merrill – D1: | No issues noted.  |

- City of Merrill – D2: All Absentee Ballots must be referenced with a number and the letter “A” (in red). No explanation given in the inspector log as to why ballots were spoiled.
- City of Merrill – D3: MBOC paperwork incomplete
- City of Merrill – D4: MBOC paperwork incomplete. No zero tape.
- City of Merrill – D5: Inspector Statement: Ballots are optical scan not hand counted. All Absentee Ballots must be referenced with a number and the letter “A” (in red).
- City of Merrill – D6: No incidents
- City of Merrill – D7: No incidents
- City of Merrill – D8: No incidents
- City of Tomahawk – W 1/2: No incidents
- City of Tomahawk – W 3/4: No incidents
- City of Tomahawk – W 5/6: No incidents

Note: Many precincts are not circling the last voter. This helps the Board of Canvass complete their meeting in a timely fashion. All results were certified and meeting adjourned at 12:15.

M/S Schroeder/Woller to adjourn the Lincoln County Board of Canvass for the April 7, 2016 election. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote. Meeting adjourned at 2:50 p.m.

Christopher J Marlowe, County Clerk