

**Lincoln County Board of Canvass**  
**Thursday, April 3, 2014**  
**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 April 3, 2014, 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:

- Town of Birch: Inspector's Statement – Ballot bag number recorded incorrectly, number is on the ballot bag.
- Town of Bradley: DS200 clock not reset at public test  
Poll Book – Last voter not circled, Absentee voters were not indicated by an "A"  
Absentee Log – No "A" indicated after voter number, Voter 24A not indicated on log as having vote counted no number on log  
Inspector's Statement – (1) No voting unit number (2) Chief inspector section not filled out, no initials or bag number (3) Last voter number indicates as 177, this is actually the page number of last voter not last voter number; incident log – descriptions not thorough enough, didn't state why ballots were remade.  
Tally Sheet – (1) tallies not totaled (2) Offices not indicated on the side tab which is to indicate office.  
Board of Canvass paperwork included? This is not to be done until after 4:00 p.m. on Friday, April 4<sup>th</sup>.
- Town of Corning: Tally Sheet – Write-ins not clarified for which supervisor's race.
- Town of Harding: Tally Sheet – Separate sheets should be used for each level of office (state/county/local/school district)
- Town of Harrison: Absentee Log – include the word none if no absentees are requested.  
Observers Log – indicate where log is coming from – check polling place indicate wards.  
Inspector's Statement – Ballot bag number not indicated. Incident log – indicate why ballot was rejected – did elector remake? If so, "X" would be code indicating elector remake. "D" would indicate remake by election official.  
Tally Sheets – not uniform.  
Poll List – last voter not circled.
- Town of King: Absentee Log – include letter "A" by voter number.  
Tally Sheets – one extra copy included school board races should be on same sheet. One sheet included both school board and supervisor race.
- Town of Merrill: DS200 Tapes – sign all ward  
Tally Sheet – separate wards and indicate under office section  
Inspector's Statement – include zeroes to indicate completion.  
Poll Book – Page of last voter 74 not 72 and voter number not circled.
- Town of Pine River: Tally Sheet – Totals not indicated. Sheet indicates both school board and county – no county races on sheet.

Absentee Log – Indicate letter “A” by number.  
Poll Book – last voter not circled, voter number must indicate letter “A” in red ink.

Town of Rock Falls: Poll Book – Absentee votes must be recorded ABS in green ink and number letter “A” in red ink. Last voter number should be circled.  
Inspector’s Statement - Not clear as to what is being described on incident log.

Town of Russell: Poll Book – Circle last voter number.  
Absentee Log – voter number not indicated as having voted.

Town of Schley: Tally Sheet – check one office per tally sheet – 22<sup>nd</sup> aldermanic district? Also sheets need to be dated.

Town of Scott: Certificate of Ballots – indicates 0 voters – even number of inspectors, clerk would not need to sign.  
Tally Sheet – write-in not indicated for what supervisor race – will not count.  
Inspector’s Statement – Poll workers need to sign and times must be logged.  
Incident log not clear on first and last incident.  
Poll Book – last voter not circled. Must indicate which voters are absentee voters with ABS in green ink by their names.

Town of Skanawan: Tally Sheet – Write-ins for Tomahawk school board race cannot be determined.

Town of Somo: Inspector’s Statement – Chief inspector should sign in only one place.  
Tally Sheet – Unable to determine write-ins for school board race because there was no specific race listed.  
Poll Book – Last voter not circled.

Town of Tomahawk: Absentee Log – Voter number logged in wrong column.

Town of Wilson: Tally Sheet – clerk section filled out.  
Absentee Log – “A2” not “A1”  
Inspector’s Statement – AutoMark serial number not needed.

City of Merrill – D1: Inspector’s Statement – Does not indicate time inspectors left. Incidents – codes listed incorrectly, explanations good.

City of Merrill – D2: Absentee Log – Indicate letter “A” after voter number. Richard missed on log.  
Inspector Statement – Chief inspector signed twice.  
Poll Book – Elector must sign book before receiving ballot.

City of Merrill – D3: Absentee Log – three outstanding not four.  
Inspector’s Statement – all workers names must be included. Incident log – was ballot remade?

City of Merrill – D4: Inspector’s Statement – voter numbers wrong, should be 180 scanned.  
Absentee Log – include “A” on log  
Poll Book – Absentee ballot numbers to be included with red letter “A”. Circle last voter number.  
Tally Sheet – there is no need to hand count all ballots that were counted by the DS200 machine. Write-ins counted incorrectly – will not be counted.

- City of Merrill – D5: Certificate of Ballots – does not include all signatures.  
 Inspector’s Statement – to include all inspectors’ signatures. Ballots were scanned not hand counted.  
 Absentee Log – include letter “A” behind voter number.  
 Poll Book – Circle last voter number.  
 Tally Sheet – Check only box which includes race on sheet – each sheet to include one level of government. Date sheets.
- City of Merrill – D6: Tally Sheet – Five extra write-ins for Mayor race.  
 Voter count exceeds DS200 count by one.  
 Inspector’s Statement – Voting unit number incorrect. Tamper proof seal not correct number. Inspector section – voter statistics not filled out. Times not complete for inspectors.
- City of Merrill – D7: Poll Book – Circle last voter number.  
 Tally Sheets – Keep races separate – county board
- City of Merrill – D8: Inspector’s Statement – Voting unit number incorrect.  
 Poll Book – Circle last voter number.  
 Tally Sheet – Tally total incorrect on Mayor race.
- City of Tomahawk – W 1/2: Certificate of Ballot – Total not stated.  
 Inspector’s Statement – Times not complete  
 Tally Sheet – Tally all numbers.
- City of Tomahawk – W 3/4: Inspector’s Statement – No times included. Chief inspector only has to sign once.  
 Tally Sheet – Do four hash marks and cross through for the fifth mark.
- City of Tomahawk – W 5/6: Inspector’s Statement – Some descriptions incomplete or insufficient.  
 Tally Sheet – Do four hash marks and cross through for the fifth mark.

M/S Woller/Schroeder to adjourn until 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, April 8, 2014 for the final canvass after the local MBOC’s have processed late arriving absentee and provisional ballots. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote. Meeting adjourned at 3:47 p.m.

Christopher J Marlowe, County Clerk

The Reconvened Lincoln County Board of Canvass was called to order by County Clerk Christopher J Marlowe at 9:00 a.m. on April 8, 2014, with the following members present: County Clerk Christopher J Marlowe, Joan Schroeder, Democratic representative, and Charlene Woller, Republican representative to review all information received from the local MBOC’s for processing of late arriving absentee and provisional ballots.

There were no late arriving absentee or outstanding provisional ballots to be processed so election night results are certified for the following:

Towns of: Bradley, King, Merrill, Pine River WD 3

City of Merrill: D-1-6, and D-8

City of Tomahawk: WD 3-4

Results certified after the local MBOC are as follows:

	<u>Election Night</u>	<u>MBOC</u>	<u>Amended Results</u>
Town of Pine River – Wards 1-2:			
Total	193	1	194
County Board Supervisor District 10:			
Loretta Baughan	114	1	115
Write-in	12	0	12
Merrill School District:			
Bill Fehrmann	21	1	22
Eric Geiss	97	1	98
Linda Yingling	90	1	91
Jeff Hetfeld	117	0	117
Kevin J. Blake	134	1	135
Jeremy Ratliff	78	0	78
Loretta Baughan	74	0	74
Write-in	0	0	0
City of Merrill – D7 W17:			
Total	166	1	167
County Board Supervisor District 7:			
Greta Rusch	85	0	85
Rob Norton	78	1	79
Write-in	0	0	0
Multi-Jurisdictional Judge:			
Merle Jim Sheridan	66	1	67
Ned R. Seubert	93	0	93
Mayor:			
William R. Bialecki	96	1	97
Write-in	41	0	41
Clerk:			
Bill Heideman	123	0	123
Stephanie Schwartzman	41	1	42
Write-in	0	0	0
Street Commissioner:			
Dick Lupton	125	1	126
Write-in	6	0	6
Aldersperson District 7:			
Rob Norton	138	1	139
Write-in	1	0	1
Merrill School District:			
Bill Fehrmann	36	1	37
Eric Geiss	90	0	1
Linda Yingling	61	0	61
Jeff Hetfeld	121	1	122
Kevin J. Blake	128	0	128
Jeremy Ratliff	74	1	75
Loretta Baughan	48	0	48
Write-in	5	0	5
City of Tomahawk W1-2:			
Total	114	1	115
County Board Supervisor District 15:			
Robert J. Lee	78	1	79
Write-in	3	0	3

Multi-Jurisdictional Judge:			
Merle Jim Sheridan	41	0	41
Ned R. Seubert	50	1	51
Write-in	0	0	0
Mayor:			
Robert J. Lee	42	1	43
Clarann M. Stocker	71	0	71
Write-in	1	0	1
Aldersperson:			
Patricia E. Haskin	81	0	81
Write-in	0	0	0
Tomahawk School Board – Birch, Bradley, Skanawan, Tomahawk, and Rock Falls:			
Kay Kissinger Wolf	85	0	85
Write-in	14	0	14
Tomahawk School Board – King and Harrison:			
Write-in	9	0	9
City of Tomahawk W5-6:			
Total	144	2	146
County Board Supervisor District 16:			
Michael Loka	118	2	120
Write-in	0	0	0
Multi-Jurisdictional Judge:			
Merle Jim Sheridan	61	0	61
Ned R. Seubert	64	2	66
Write-in	0	0	0
Mayor:			
Robert J. Lee	82	2	84
Clarann M. Stocker	60	0	60
Write-in	1	0	1
Aldersperson Wards 5 & 6:			
Steven Ding Bartz	113	2	115
Write-in	2	0	2
Tomahawk School Board – Birch, Bradley, Skanawan, Tomahawk, and Rock Falls:			
Kay Kissinger Wolf	119	2	121
Write-in	20	2	22
Tomahawk School Board – King and Harrison:			
Write-in	12	0	12

M/S Schroeder/Woller to adjourn the Lincoln County Board of Canvass for the April 1, 2014 election.  
 Motion carried by unanimous voice vote. Meeting adjourned at 11:40 a.m.

Christopher J Marlowe, County Clerk