

Oath of County Auditor or Supervisor of Elections

STATE OF WASHINGTON)
COUNTY OF Cowlitz) ss.

I solemnly swear that the returns of the General Election held on November 4, 2008, in Cowlitz County, State of Washington, have been in no way altered and that they are the same as when they were deposited in my office.

Kristina Swanson
County Auditor or Supervisor of Elections

Subscribed and sworn to me this 25th day of November, 2008

Arif Swanson
Chairman, County Legislative Authority

Certification of the Canvassing Board

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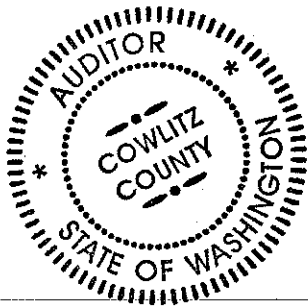
The undersigned officers designated by law as constituting the Canvassing Board for the County of Cowlitz, State of Washington, hereby certify that this is a full, true and correct copy of the Abstract of Votes including the cumulative results, precinct results, and a reconciliation report of votes cast at the General Election held on November 4, 2008, in 48,993 County, State of Washington, and that the following are the true and reconciled numbers of voters and votes counted.

Witness our hands and official seal this 25th day of November, 2008

Kristina Swanson
County Auditor or Supervisor of Elections

Arif Swanson
Chairman, County Legislative Authority

[Signature]
County Prosecuting Attorney



County Cowlitz

Date of Completion 11/25/2008

**Certification Reconciliation Report
General Election
November 4, 2008**

Registration

Total number of active registered voters in all precincts	_55,331_
Total number of inactive registered voters in all precincts	_ 7,725_
Total registered voters in all precincts	_63,056_

Total absentee ballots counted (includes absentee, VBM, federal write-in, overseas, out of state, and service ballots)	_45,642_
Total poll site ballots counted (includes poll site and provisional ballots)	_ 51_
Total Ballots counted	_45,793_

Absentee and VBM Ballots

The total number of absentee/VBM ballots originally issued	_54,747_
The total number of absentee/VBM ballots received	_46,084_
The total number of absentee/VBM ballots rejected	_ 291_
The total number of absentee/VBM ballots counted	_45,793_

Federal Write-In Ballots

The total number of federal write-in ballots counted	_ 9_
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Out-of-State, Overseas, and Service Voters

The total number of out-of-state, overseas, and service voters' ballots issued	_509_
The total number of out-of-state, overseas, and service voters' ballots received	_ 139_
The total number of out-of-state, overseas, and service voters' ballots rejected	_ 24_
The total number of out-of-state, overseas, and service voters' ballots counted	_ 115_

Provisional Ballots

The total number of provisional ballots issued (by this county)	_ 41_
The total number of provisional ballots rejected (includes sending to other counties)	_ 12_
The total number of provisional ballots received from other counties	_ 48_
The total number of provisional ballots counted	_ 51_

OFFICIAL RESULTS

SUMMARY REPORT
RUN DATE:11/25/08COWLITZ COUNTY
GENERAL ELECTION
NOVEMBER 4, 2008

(ELECTION TOTALS)

	VOTES	PERCENT
PRECINCTS COUNTED (92 OF 92)	92	100.00
REGISTERED VOTERS - TOTAL COWLITZ COUNTY	55,331	
BALLOTS CAST - TOTAL COWLITZ COUNTY . . .	45,793	
VOTER TURNOUT - TOTAL COWLITZ COUNTY . . .		82.76
I 985		
VOTE FOR 1		
YES	16,225	37.52
NO.	27,022	62.48
I 1000		
VOTE FOR 1		
YES	24,675	55.77
NO.	19,573	44.23
I 1029		
VOTE FOR 1		
YES	32,446	73.65
NO.	11,606	26.35
PRESIDENT/ VICEPRESIDENT COWLITZ COUNTY		
VOTE FOR 1		
Barack Obama / Joe Biden	24,597	54.05
John McCain / Sarah Palin	19,554	42.96
Ralph Nader / Matt Gonzalez	645	1.42
Gloria La Riva / Eugene Puryear	16	.04
James E. Harris / Alyson Kennedy.	11	.02
Bob Barr / Wayne A. Root	144	.32
Chuck Baldwin / Darrell L. Castle	191	.42
Cynthia McKinney/Rosa Clemente	71	.16
WRITE-IN.	283	.62
U.S. REPRESENTATIVE 3RD CONGRESSIONAL DIST.		
VOTE FOR 1		
Brian Baird.	29,102	66.52
Michael Delavar	14,523	33.20
WRITE-IN.	122	.28
GOVERNOR COWLITZ COUNTY		
VOTE FOR 1		
Christine Gregoire	20,723	46.28
Dino Rossi	23,954	53.49
WRITE-IN.	103	.23
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR COWLITZ COUNTY		
VOTE FOR 1		
Brad Owen	25,234	59.20
Marcia McCraw	17,280	40.54
WRITE-IN.	109	.26

SECRETARY OF STATE COWLITZ COUNTY

VOTE FOR 1

Sam Reed.	22,850	53.76
Jason Osgood	19,543	45.98
WRITE-IN.	114	.27

STATE TREASURER COWLITZ COUNTY

VOTE FOR 1

Allan Martin	19,187	45.90
Jim McIntire	22,517	53.87
WRITE-IN.	95	.23

STATE AUDITOR COWLITZ COUNTY

VOTE FOR 1

Brian Sonntag	25,017	59.69
J. Richard (Dick) McEntee	16,811	40.11
WRITE-IN.	83	.20

ATTORNEY GENERAL COWLITZ COUNTY

VOTE FOR 1

Rob McKenna.	21,566	51.45
John Ladenburg.	20,250	48.31
WRITE-IN.	97	.23

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS COWLITZ COUNTY

VOTE FOR 1

Doug Sutherland	21,964	52.25
Peter J. Goldmark.	19,988	47.55
WRITE-IN.	85	.20

SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION COWLITZ COUNTY

VOTE FOR 1

Teresa (Terry) Bergeson.	20,832	54.16
Randy Dorn	17,378	45.18
WRITE-IN.	252	.66

INSURANCE COMMISSIONER COWLITZ COUNTY

VOTE FOR 1

Mike Kreidler	24,100	58.83
John R. Adams	16,771	40.94
WRITE-IN.	97	.24

STATE SENATOR LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT 18

VOTE FOR 1

Joseph Zarelli.	6,801	54.75
Jon Haugen	5,600	45.08
WRITE-IN.	21	.17

STATE REPRESENTATIVE POS. 1 LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT 18

VOTE FOR 1

Jaime Herrera	6,967	57.02
Vanessa Duplessie.	5,238	42.87
WRITE-IN.	14	.11

STATE REPRESENTATIVE POS. 2 LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT 18

VOTE FOR 1

Ed Orcutt	7,856	63.81
Jonathan Fant	4,431	35.99
WRITE-IN.	25	.20

STATE SENATOR LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT 19

VOTE FOR 1

Brian Hatfield.	23,663	97.19
WRITE-IN.	685	2.81

STATE REPRESENTATIVE POS. 1 LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT 19

VOTE FOR 1

Dean Takko	23,324	97.21
WRITE-IN.	670	2.79

STATE REPRESENTATIVE POS. 2 LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT 19

VOTE FOR 1

Brian E. Blake.	22,900	97.39
WRITE-IN.	614	2.61

COWLITZ COUNTY COMMISSIONER

VOTE FOR 1

Tom Wilson	19,944	47.20
Kathleen A. Johnson	22,126	52.36
WRITE-IN.	185	.44

COWLITZ COUNTY COMMISSIONER

VOTE FOR 1

George Raiter	25,339	60.91
Rama Mitchell Jr..	16,149	38.82
WRITE-IN.	112	.27

PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT COMMISSIONER COWLITZ COUNTY

VOTE FOR 1

Merritt (Buz) Ketcham	31,118	98.15
WRITE-IN.	586	1.85

JUSTICE POSITION NO. 3

VOTE FOR 1

Mary Fairhurst.	30,195	98.16
WRITE-IN.	567	1.84

JUSTICE POSITION NO. 4

VOTE FOR 1

Charles W. Johnson	30,081	98.36
WRITE-IN.	503	1.64

JUSTICE POSITION NO. 7

VOTE FOR 1

Debra L. Stephens.	30,131	98.34
WRITE-IN.	508	1.66

JUDGE POSITION NO. 1 COWLITZ COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT

VOTE FOR 1

James E.F.X. Warne	30,799	98.01
WRITE-IN.	625	1.99

JUDGE POSITION NO. 2 COWLITZ COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT

VOTE FOR 1

Stephen M. Warning	31,042	98.10
WRITE-IN.	602	1.90

JUDGE POSITION NO. 3 COWLITZ COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT

VOTE FOR 1

Jill M. Johanson	30,988	97.80
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WRITE-IN.	696	2.20
JUDGE POSITION NO. 4 COWLITZ COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT		
VOTE FOR 1		
Jim Stonier.	31,306	98.35
WRITE-IN.	524	1.65
COUNCIL POSITION 1 CITY OF KELSO		
VOTE FOR 1		
Rick Roberson	2,979	98.25
WRITE-IN.	53	1.75
COUNCIL POSITION 5 CITY OF KELSO		
VOTE FOR 1		
Gerald P. Malella.	2,957	97.69
WRITE-IN.	70	2.31
City of Castle Rock		
VOTE FOR 1		
YES	480	59.55
NO.	326	40.45
CRSD CASTLE ROCK SCHOOL		
VOTE FOR 1		
APPROVED.	2,622	65.65
REJECTED.	1,372	34.35
FIRE 6 FIRE PROTECTION DIST. NO. 6		
VOTE FOR 1		
APPROVED.	1,516	36.81
REJECTED.	2,602	63.19
CUBS COWLITZ TRANSIT AUTHORITY		
VOTE FOR 1		
YES	9,533	52.63
NO.	8,581	47.37