



STATEMENT ON ELECTION CERTIFICATION

OCTOBER 17, 2024

The Prince William County Electoral Board seeks to assure its citizens they stand ready to thoroughly review and certify results after the election, overseeing a voting process that is accurate, fair, and transparent.

Polling places utilize ballot scanners that are certified by the State Department of Elections and thoroughly tested before each election. Prior to this election, ballot scanners were tested with more than 10,000 ballots in a process overseen by Electoral Board members, the General Registrar, and observers. After this election, a statewide audit will be performed to verify the results, a process the public is welcome to observe and which the Board will oversee. PWC continues to be one of the few counties in the nation to post all results tapes online for full transparency.

Governor Glenn Youngkin stated in a recent Executive Order that the “Virginia model for securing elections has proven itself over the past few years.” As Board members appointed by different parties, we may disagree in our politics, but we agree Virginia has a proven voting process and we cooperate in a bipartisan way to make sure elections are fair and accurate.

At the direction of a unanimous Board, the Office of Elections has feverishly recruited election officers the last two years to ensure that polling places are well-staffed with equal numbers of Republicans and Democrats. The Board has unanimously supported the expansion of evening and Sunday voting that served more than 4,000 voters this past Sunday. The Board has asked our General Registrar to review topics of concern surrounding election integrity and security on repeated occasions, only to find time and again that the process is working.

We have tremendous confidence in the integrity and competence of our General Registrar, the Office of Elections staff, and the 1,000+ bipartisan election officers who execute this election. They are not only painstaking in their work but are creating models for election transparency. We observe every aspect of their work in carrying out our Electoral Board duties.

As a Board, our focus is to ensure the orderly operation of elections, not attempting to change the law, an honor vested in the officials elected by the process we oversee. Our good faith in that process and dutiful compliance with the law ensures a fair and accurate process for all our voters and is essential for the preservation of our Republic.

The PWC Electoral Board will make sure Virginia’s laws are upheld for our voters, verify accurate results are reported, and certify those results in a public process after a thorough review. We encourage all citizens to vote with pride and confidence in this historic election. Thank you.

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Prince William County Electoral Board