

Butler County Board of Elections
Board Meeting Minutes
November 28, 2023

The Butler County Board of Elections met on Tuesday, November 28, 2023, at 9:00 a.m., for a special meeting. Roll call was taken, and present were Chairman Frank Cloud, Member mariann penska, Member Todd Hall, Member Chris Wunnenberg III, Director Nicole Unzicker, Deputy Director Eric Corbin, Early Voting Administrator Stephanie Webb, and Poll Worker Administrator/Executive Assistant Melissa Trotta.

Under New Business, Director Unzicker presented the November 7, 2023, General Election Results to be certified. Member Hall moved to certify the November 7, 2023, General Election Results; seconded by Member penska. Roll Call:

Chairman Cloud	yea
Member penska	yea
Member Hall	yea
Member Wunnenberg	yea

All in favor; motion carried.

Member Hall made a motion to order an automatic recount in accordance with Ohio Revised Code 3515.011 for the following: Issue 9 Proposed Tax Levy (Additional) Ross Township Police District; seconded by Member penska. Roll Call

Chairman Cloud	yea
Member penska	yea
Member Hall	yea
Member Wunnenberg	yea

All in favor; motion carried.

Chairman Cloud stated the selection of the precincts will be held on Monday, December 4, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. during the board meeting and the recount will begin at 1:30 p.m.

Deputy Director Corbin stated the audit will be conducted by tabulator and that each tabulator has an equal chance of being selected. He explained that the board members must randomly select tabulators until five percent of the total votes have been selected for the audit per Ohio Secretary of State Directive 2022-15. Member Hall confirmed a total of 117,145 ballots were cast for the November 7, 2023, General Election, and the board will need to select a total of 5,933 votes to meet the five percent of total votes cast and that each tabulator has an equal chance of being selected. Deputy Director Corbin stated the following issues and race will be audited: State Issue 1, State Issue 2, and Butler County Educational Service Center.

Members of the board pulled the following tabulators until the five percent threshold was met.

November 7, 2023 General Election Audit
Batch Selection

117,145 Total Ballots Cast
5,857 5% of Ballots Cast

Progress Indication	Batches Selected	Ballots Selected	Percent of Total Ballots	Remaining Ballots to Select
Enough batches have been selected	55	5,933	5.06%	76 Over

Draw Number	Tabulator Name	Batch	Ballots Cast	Percent of all votes
2273	PROV ICC 2	6	97	0.08%
2240	ABS ICC 2	41	164	0.14%
2009	TALAWANDA MIDDLE SCHOOL-ICX 14	1	41	0.03%
2293	P@P ICC 3	15	13	0.01%
2173	ABSENTEE 33	1	668	0.57%
2230	ABS ICC 2	31	123	0.10%
1056	BOGAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL-ICX 12	1	61	0.05%
1213	EDGEWOOD MIDDLE SCHOOL-ICX 12	1	79	0.07%
1223	EDGEWOOD MIDDLE SCHOOL-ICX 22	1	23	0.02%
2078	WAYNE TWP FIRE DEPT-ICX 10	1	57	0.05%
2000	TALAWANDA MIDDLE SCHOOL-ICX 5	1	72	0.06%
1741	MIAMI UNIVERSITY - HAMILTON-ICX 11	1	45	0.04%
1476	HERITAGE EARLY CHILDHOOD-ICX 6	1	69	0.06%
1233	EDGEWOOD MIDDLE SCHOOL-ICX 32	1	61	0.05%
2068	WAYNE TOWNSHIP HALL-ICX 3	1	86	0.07%
1359	FAIRFIELD SOUTH ELEMENTARY-ICX 12	1	107	0.09%
2124	WILSON MIDDLE SCHOOL-ICX 8	1	56	0.05%
1657	LAKOTA WEST FRESHMAN SCHOOL-ICX 20	1	108	0.09%
2134	WYANDOT EARLY CHILDHOOD-ICX 7	1	39	0.03%
1944	ROSS MIDDLE SCHOOL-ICX 6	1	104	0.09%
2012	UNION ELEMENTARY SCHOOL-ICX 3	1	30	0.03%
2170	ABSENTEE 30	1	900	0.77%
1914	RIDGEWAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL-ICX 9	1	48	0.04%
2064	VOICE OF AMERICA - METRO PARKS-ICX 18	1	52	0.04%
1055	BOGAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL-ICX 11	1	80	0.07%
1430	HAMILTON CHRISTIAN CENTER-ICX 5	1	109	0.09%
1603	LAKOTA EAST HIGH SCHOOL-ICX 12	1	11	0.01%
1835	MORGAN TWP COMMUNITY CTR-ICX 1	1	49	0.04%
2018	UNION ELEMENTARY SCHOOL-ICX 9	1	153	0.13%
1970	SHAWNEE EARLY CHILDHOOD SCHOOL-ICX 12	1	102	0.09%
1831	MORGAN TOWNSHIP ADMINISTRATION-ICX 5	1	134	0.11%
1830	MORGAN TOWNSHIP ADMINISTRATION-ICX 4	1	117	0.10%
1834	MORGAN TOWNSHIP ADMINISTRATION-ICX 8	1	121	0.10%
2029	VANGORDEN ELEM SCHOOL-ICX 4	1	105	0.09%
2143	ABSENTEE 3	1	58	0.05%
1673	LAKOTA WEST HIGH SCHOOL-ICX 9	1	142	0.12%
2220	ABS ICC 2	21	117	0.10%
1128	CHEROKEE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL-ICX 1	1	109	0.09%
1808	MONROE NAZARENE CHURCH-ICX 3	1	127	0.11%
1028	AMANDA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL-ICX 11	1	30	0.03%
1129	CHEROKEE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL-ICX 2	1	66	0.06%
1290	FAIRFIELD GREENS SOUTH TRACE-ICX 2	1	109	0.09%
1127	CENTRAL ACADEMY-ICX 10	1	108	0.09%
1915	RIDGEWAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL-ICX 10	1	70	0.06%
1450	HAMILTON FRESHMAN SCHOOL-ICX 14	1	95	0.08%
1117	BUTLER TECH LIBERTY TWP CAMPUS-ICX 12	1	110	0.09%
1916	RIDGEWAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL-ICX 11	1	42	0.04%
1193	CREEKVIEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL-ICX 9	1	81	0.07%
1032	BOARD OF ELECTIONS-ICX 4	1	25	0.02%
1449	HAMILTON FRESHMAN SCHOOL-ICX 13	1	91	0.08%

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1059	BRIDGEPORT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL-ICX 2	1	76	0.06%
2137	WYANDOT EARLY CHILDHOOD-ICX 10	1	86	0.07%
1789	MILLER RIDGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL-ICX 9	1	115	0.10%
1971	SHAWNEE EARLY CHILDHOOD SCHOOL-ICX 13	1	91	0.08%
2117	WILSON MIDDLE SCHOOL-ICX 1	1	101	0.09%
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With no further business, Member Hall moved to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Member Wunnenberg. Roll call:

Chairman Cloud yea

Member penska yea

Member Hall yea

Member Wunnenberg yea

All in favor; motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 9:30 a.m.

Frank Cloud, Chairman

Nicole Unzicker, Director

Todd Hall, Member

Chris Wunnenberg III, Member

mariann penska, Member