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PURSUANT TO THE ILLINOIS ELECTION CODE, 10 ILCS 5/22-9.1, A SUMMARY OF THE PROCESS FOR DISCOVERY RECOUNTS IS AS FOLLOWS:

- ALL REPORTED RESULTS ARE UNOFFICIAL, UNTIL THE ELECTION CANVASS.
- LATE VOTE-BY-MAIL BALLOTS CAN STILL BE ACCEPTED, AS LONG AS THE POSTMARK IS ON OR BEFORE ELECTION DAY 6/28/22, OR IN ABSENCE OF A POSTMARK, THE CERTIFICATION SIGNATURE IS DATED ON OR BEFORE ELECTION DAY 6/28/22.
- QUALIFYING LATE VOTE-BY-MAIL BALLOTS MUST ALSO BE VERIFIED BY A TEAM OF BI-PARTISAN ELECTION JUDGES.
- ELECTION JUDGES WILL CONVENE FOR BALLOT VERIFICATION ON 6/29/22 AT 12 PM, 7/1/22 AT 12 PM, 7/5/22 AT 12 PM, 7/7/22 AT 10 AM, AND 7/12/22 AT 10 AM.
- LATE VOTE-BY-MAIL BALLOTS THAT HAVE BEEN VERIFIED BY THE ELECTION JUDGES WILL BE COUNTED TOGETHER ON 7/12/22 AT 10 AM, AND ADDED TO THE OTHER UNOFFICIAL TOTALS FROM 6/28/22.
- THE OFFICIAL CANVASS OF ELECTION RESULTS WILL BE ON 7/13/22 AT 2 PM. THE RESULTS OF THE ELECTION WILL THEN BE CONSIDERED OFFICIAL.
- CANDIDATES WHO HAVE AT LEAST 95% OF THE VOTE OF THE SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATE CAN FILE WITHIN FIVE DAYS OF THE OFFICIAL CANVASS A PETITION FOR DISCOVERY RECOUNT WITH THE ELECTION AUTHORITY.
- PETITIONS FOR DISCOVERY RECOUNT MUST INCLUDE THE SPECIFIC BALLOTS AND/OR VOTING MACHINES, ETC., IN SPECIFIED PRECINCTS, NOT EXCEEDING 25% OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF PRECINCTS WITHIN THE JURISDICTION THAT ARE TO BE EXAMINED. THE PETITION MUST ALSO INCLUDE \$10 PER PRECINCT SPECIFIED.
- EACH CANDIDATE WILL BE INFORMED OF SUCH PROCEEDINGS FOR THE DISCOVERY RECOUNT.
- THE DISCOVERY RECOUNT PROCEEDINGS WILL BE CONDUCTED BY THE ELECTION AUTHORITY, WHO SHALL EXAMINE THE BALLOTS, VOTING MACHINES, AND APPLICATIONS, AND SHALL COUNT THE BALLOTS IN THE SPECIFIED DISTRICTS.
- AT THE COMPLETION OF THE COUNT, ALL MATERIALS SHALL BE RESEALED IN THE SAME MANNER REQUIRED OF ELECTION JUDGES AT VOTE CENTERS.
- THE RESULTS OF THE DISCOVERY RECOUNT SHALL NOT CHANGE THE CERTIFIED ELECTION RESULTS—ONLY THE JUDICIAL REVIEW PROCESS CAN DO THAT.

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