

**FORD COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' MEETING MINUTES**  
**SPECIAL C MEETING OF August 12, 2020**  
**MEETING NUMBER 2020-32**  
**COMMISSION CHAMBERS**  
**8:30 A.M.**



The Board of County Commissioners met in special session in the Commission Chambers at the Ford County Government Center.

Those present were:

Chris Boys, Chairman  
 Ken W. Snook, Commissioner  
 Shawn Tasset, Commissioner

J.D. Gilbert, County Administrator  
 Debbie Cox, County Clerk

Chairman Boys opened the Special Meeting to canvass the votes of the August 4, 2020 Primary election. Ford County Clerk/Election Officer presented the results of the Primary Election Audit. There were three races audited for Precinct One, Two of the races had the same number of votes as the machine counted. One race, the Ford County Clerk showed one more vote for Debbie Cox than what the machine counted. It was determined the oval was to light for the machine to pick up. MS Cox, then presented the report of the August 4, 2020. Ms. Cox is recommending counting 50 Provisional ballots.

| <b>Turn Out by Polling Location</b> | <b>Cards Cast 1835 at polls</b> | <b>Reg Voter 14,423</b> |
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| <b>Hoover Pavilion</b> | <b>343</b> | <b>4,798</b> |
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PCT 1, PCT 2, PCT 3, PCT 11, Concord TWP, Dodge-3 TWP, Enterprise TWP H115 & H119, Fairview TWP, Grandview TWP-2 H115 & H119, Richland TWP, Wilburn TWP

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| <b>Knights of Columbus Hall</b> | <b>934</b> | <b>7,737</b> |
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PCT 4, PCT 5, PCT 6, PCT 7, PCT 8, PCT 9, PCT 10, Dodge TWP H115 & H119, Dodge TWP W H119, Grandview TWP H115, Grandview TWP East H119, Royal TWP

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| <b>Bucklin Library</b> | <b>212</b> | <b>637</b> |
| Bucklin City           |            |            |
| Bucklin Twp            |            |            |
| Sodville Twp           |            |            |
| Bloom Twp              |            |            |

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| <b>Spearville</b> | <b>215</b> | <b>934</b> |
| Spearville City   |            |            |
| Spearville Tw     |            |            |
| Wheatland Twp     |            |            |

Ford 75 218

Ford City  
Ford Twp

**TOTAL POLLING**

**Hand Counted 46**  
**Late Mail ballots counted 28**

**TOTAL ADVANCE & MAIL OUT RETURNED**

IN OFFICE VOTING 490  
MAIL BALLOTS RETURNED  
Counted Election Night 1337  
**GRAND TOTAL ALL 3,680**

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**Provisionals Cast – 80**

I am recommending that you count 50. This recommendation is based on the Provisional Chart provided in the Election Standards prepared by the Secretary of State's Office. I have attached a break down report by reason.

**Reasons for Provisionals****Recommended to count**

- 2-Name Change
- 14- Address Change
- 6 -Voted in Wrong Precinct (These will be a partial count)
- 2 -Clerical error
- 24- Asked for their Ballot by mail and then decided to vote at the polls
- 1- voted at touch screen destroyed ballot did not put in tally machine.
- 1- registered at the DVM on time we did not receive it in time.

**Not Count**

- 19- Not in poll book-not registered
- 1- Mail Ballot not signed- Contacted did not want to come in to sign
- 5- Received late (not postmarked in time)
- 2- Voted Wrong Party (wanted to vote the party they were not registered as)
- 1- was working in Ford County wanted to vote ( from other County)
- 1- turned in mail ballot to office then went to polls
- 1-Two ballots in one envelope two names signed on envelope

with the addition of the Provisional ballots, the total for the August 4, 2020, election will be 3,730 votes cast.

Chairman Boys moved to approve the counting of 50 Provisional ballots. Commissioner Snook seconded the motion. **Motion passes 3-0.**

**Adjournment**

Chairman Boys moved to adjourn at 8:36 am. Commissioner Snook seconded the motion.

**Motion carried 3-0.**

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
FORD COUNTY, KANSAS**

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Chris Boys, Chairman

**ATTEST:**

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Debbie Cox, County Clerk