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Please be advised that notice is hereby given that an **Order for Automatic Recount of the 2021 Regular Local Election** has been received by the Santa Fe County Clerk, Katharine E. Clark. The recount will be held at the Santa Fe Clerk's Warehouse, 2600 Galisteo Road, Santa Fe NM, beginning at 9:00 am on Tuesday, November 30, 2021.

If Judge Ellington is unable to attend the recount in person, he may appoint a Special Master to act on his behalf as outlined in 1-14-20 NMSA 1978.

For any questions please contact the Clerk's office at 505-986-6280 or [clerk@santafecountynm.gov](mailto:clerk@santafecountynm.gov).

Katharine E. Clark  
Santa Fe County Clerk



# New Mexico State Canvassing Board

## 2021 Regular Local Election

### **Order for Automatic Recount**

**WHEREAS**, NMSA 1978, Section 1-14-24(A)(3) provides that an automatic recount of the vote is required when the canvass of returns for an election in certain offices indicates that the margin between the two candidates receiving the greatest number of votes for the office is less than one percent of the total votes cast for that office in that election;

**WHEREAS**, on Tuesday, November 23, 2021, the Office of the New Mexico Secretary of State notified the New Mexico State Canvassing Board that based upon the results of the November 2, 2021, Regular Local Election, an automatic recount is required for ten local races and one multicounty capital improvement tax question;

**WHEREAS**, the canvass of returns for the November 2, 2021 Regular Local Election, for Municipal Judge, City of Anthony, between Sarah G. Holguin and Rafael H. Ramos, resulted in a margin of 0.79 percent, which is less than one percent of the total vote, and therefore an automatic recount is required in that contest;

**WHEREAS**, the canvass of returns for the November 2, 2021 Regular Local Election, for Municipal Judge, City of Belen, between Keith D. Norwood and Yvette Padilla, resulted in a margin of 0.07 percent, which is less than one percent of the total vote, and therefore an automatic recount is required in that contest;

**WHEREAS**, the canvass of returns for the November 2, 2021 Regular Local Election, for Councilor At-Large, City of Lordsburg, between Manuel D.V. Saucedo and Irene A. Galvan, resulted in a margin of 0.44 percent, which is less than one percent of the total vote, and therefore an automatic recount is required in that contest;

**WHEREAS**, the canvass of returns for the November 2, 2021 Regular Local Election, for Councilor At-Large, Village of Fort Sumner, between Tim N. Archuleta and John Delbert Marquez, resulted in a margin of 0.00 percent, which is less than one percent of the total vote, and therefore an automatic recount is required in that contest;

**WHEREAS**, the canvass of returns for the November 2, 2021 Regular Local Election, for Councilor At-Large, Village of House Positions 1 & 2, between Anita M. Allen and Steven Edward Foust, resulted in a margin of 0.00 percent, which is less than one percent of the total vote, and therefore an automatic recount is required in that contest;

**WHEREAS**, the canvass of returns for the November 2, 2021 Regular Local Election, for Councilor At-Large, Village of House Position 3, between Ronald W. McGee and John B. Snipes, resulted in a margin of 0.00 percent, which is less than one percent of the total vote, and therefore an automatic recount is required in that contest;



**WHEREAS**, the canvass of returns for the November 2, 2021 Regular Local Election, for School Board Member, District 5 Aztec ED District 625, between Paul R. Marken and Amanda Michelle Miller, resulted in a margin of 0.32 percent, which is less than one percent of the total vote, and therefore an automatic recount is required in that contest;

**WHEREAS**, the canvass of returns for the November 2, 2021 Regular Local Election, for School Board Member, District 5 Bloomfield ED District 665, between Ben Woody, Jr and Veronica Desbah Tso, resulted in a margin of 0.40 percent, which is less than one percent of the total vote, and therefore an automatic recount is required in that contest;

**WHEREAS**, the canvass of returns for the November 2, 2021 Regular Local Election, for School Board Member, Position 5, Clayton Municipal School Board, between Owida C. Franz and Michael L. Barnes, resulted in a margin of 0.16 percent, which is less than one percent of the total vote, and therefore an automatic recount is required in that contest;

**WHEREAS**, the canvass of returns for the November 2, 2021 Regular Local Election, for School Board Member, Position 4, Dulce Independent School District 21, between Phillip D. Salazar and Wesley Leland Vigil, resulted in a margin of 0.00 percent, which is less than one percent of the total vote, and therefore an automatic recount is required in that contest;

**WHEREAS**, Section 1-13-15, provides that the New Mexico State Canvassing Board is the proper canvassing board for the Capital Improvements Tax Question, Moriarty-Edgewood School District which includes three counties;

**WHEREAS**, the canvass of returns for the November 2, 2021 Regular Local Election for the Capital Improvements Tax Question, Moriarty-Edgewood School District, resulted in a margin of 0.42 percent, which is less than half of one percent of the total votes cast for that office in Bernalillo County, Santa Fe County and Torrance County;

**WHEREAS**, on Tuesday, November 23, 2021, the Secretary of State, pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 1-14-24(B), properly notified the New Mexico State Canvassing Board that, based upon the results of the November 2, 2021 Regular Local Election, an automatic recount is required for Municipal Judge, City of Belen; Municipal Judge, City of Anthony; Councilor At-Large, City of Lordsburg; Councilor At-Large, Village of Fort Sumner; Councilor At-Large, Village of House Positions 1 & 2; Councilor At-Large, Village of House Position 3; School Board Member, District 5 Aztec ED District 625; School Board Member, District 5 Bloomfield ED District 665; School Board Member, Position 5, Clayton Municipal School Board; School Board Member, Position 4, Dulce Independent School District 21; and Capital Improvements Tax Question, Moriarty-Edgewood School District.

**NOW THEREFORE IT IS ORDERED THAT:**

- A. Pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 1-14-24, an automatic recount shall be conducted for Municipal Judge, City of Belen; Municipal Judge, City of Anthony; Councilor At-Large, Village of Fort Sumner; Councilor At-Large, Lordsburg; Councilor At-Large, House Positions 1 & 2; Councilor At-Large, House Position 3; School Board Member, Position 4, Dulce Independent School District 21; School Board Member, District 5 Aztec ED District 625; School Board Member, District 5 Bloomfield ED District 665; School Board Member,

Position 5, Clayton Municipal School Board; and Capital Improvements Tax Question, Moriarty-Edgewood School District.

**B.** The recount for Municipal Judge, City of Anthony, shall commence at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, November 30, 2021, in the affected counties as outlined herein:

- Doña Ana County Precincts 011, 012, 080, 157, 158, 159 and 160;

**C.** The recount for Municipal Judge, City of Belen, shall commence at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, November 30, 2021, in the affected counties as outlined herein:

- Valencia County Precincts 007, 020, 021, 023, 025, 026, 027, 031, 035, 051, 052 and 053;

**D.** The recount for Councilor At-Large, City of Lordsburg, shall commence at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, November 30, 2021, in the affected counties as outlined herein:

- Hidalgo County Precincts 001, 002, and 003;

**E.** The recount for Councilor At-Large, Village of Fort Sumner, shall commence at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, November 30, 2021, in the affected counties as outlined herein:

- De Baca County Precincts 002, 003, and 004;

**F.** The recount for Councilor At-Large, Village of House Positions 1 & 2, shall commence at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, November 30, 2021, in the affected counties as outlined herein:

- Quay County Precinct 001

**G.** The recount for Councilor At-Large, Village of House Position 3, shall commence at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, November 30, 2021, in the affected counties as outlined herein:

- Quay County Precinct 001

**H.** The recount for School Board Member, District 5 Aztec ED District 625, shall commence at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, November 30, 2021, in the affected counties as outlined herein:

- San Juan County Precincts 062, 064, 068, 069, 073, 074, and 076;

**I.** The recount for School Board Member, District 5 Bloomfield ED District 665, shall commence at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, November 30, 2021, in the affected counties as outlined herein:

- San Juan County Precincts 014, 016, 019, 077, 078, and 079;

**J.** The recount for School Board Member, Position 5, Clayton Municipal School Board, shall commence at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, November 30, 2021, in the affected counties as outlined herein:



- Union County Precincts 004, 006, 007, 008, and 009;

**K.** The recount for School Board Member, Position 4, Dulce Independent School District 21, shall commence at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, November 30, 2021, in the affected counties as outlined herein:

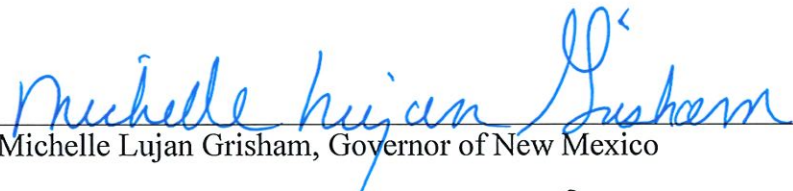
- Rio Arriba County Precincts 001, 002, 003, 010, 022, and 023;

**L.** The recount for Capital Improvements Tax Question, Moriarty-Edgewood School District, shall commence at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, November 30, 2021, in the affected counties as outlined herein:

- Bernalillo County Precincts 553, 557, 571, 577, 578, 579, 595, 596, and 597;
- Santa Fe County Precincts 015, 016, 017, 018, 019, 073, 084, 085, 115, 125, and 148;
- Torrance County Precincts 005, 006, 007, 011, 013, 015, 017, 018, and 019;

**M.** The New Mexico Secretary of State shall prescribe the conduct and procedures of the recount pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 1-14-24(C).

**Approved by the New Mexico State Canvassing Board this 23th day of November, 2021:**

  
Michelle Lujan Grisham, Governor of New Mexico

  
Maggie Toulouse Oliver, New Mexico Secretary of State

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Michael E. Vigil, Chief Justice of the New Mexico Supreme Court