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The Honorable Jan Brewer
Arizona Secretary of State
1700 West Washington, 7th Floor
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

Dear Secretary Brewer:

Mohave County has completed the precinct hand count and early ballot audit for the November 4, 2008 General Election. Please consider the following as Mohave County's official report of the process:

Early Ballot Audit – 1% or a total of 250 early ballots were audited from various precincts.

Hand Count Precinct Draw was conducted November 5, 2008. The precincts selected were precincts 5 and 17.

Races selected were: Presidential Electors; Arizona Corporation Commissioner; State Legislative District 2 – Senate; Federal Candidate – U.S. Representative District 2; and Statewide Proposition 105.

The Precinct Hand Count and Early Ballot Audit margin of error results were less than the required margins of 1% and 2% respectively.

Attached is a summary of the machine counts, hand counts and percentage differences.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "A. Tempert", is written over a horizontal line.

Allen P. Tempert, Director

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Precinct Hand Count Margin Summary

Date of Election: November 4, 2008
Race Category: Presidential Electors
Precincts: 5 and 17
Hand Count Round #1
Specific Race - President

Candidate	Hand Count Total	Machine Total	Absolute Difference
Obama	101	101	0
McCain	666	666	0
Barr	20	20	0
McKinney	9	9	0
Nader	66	66	0
Total	862	862	0

Accessible Voting Device

Candidate	Hand Count Total	Machine Total	Absolute Difference
Obama	0	0	0
McCain	34	34	0
Barr	1	1	0
McKinney	5	5	0
Nader	5	5	0
Total	45	45	0

Summary

Total Absolute Difference = Sum of All Absolute Difference for Worksheet = 0

Total machine Count = Sum of All Machine Totals for Worksheet = 907

Margin: 0 %

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Precinct Hand Count Margin Summary

Date of Election: November 4, 2008
Race Category: Statewide Candidates
Precincts: 5 and 17
Hand Count Round #1
Specific Race – Corporation Commission

Candidate	Hand Count Total	Machine Total	Absolute Difference
George	142	142	0
Kennedy	128	127	1
Newman	137	137	0
McClure	530	530	0
Stump	671	670	1
Wong	487	487	0
Total	2095	2093	2

Accessible Voting Device

Candidate	Hand Count Total	Machine Total	Absolute Difference
George	0	0	0
Kennedy	0	0	0
Newman	3	3	0
McClure	32	32	0
Stump	42	42	0
Wong	32	32	0
Total	109	109	0

Summary

Total Absolute Difference = Sum of All Absolute Difference for Worksheet = 2

Total machine Count = Sum of All Machine Totals for Worksheet = 2202

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Precinct Hand Count Margin Summary

Date of Election: November 4, 2008
Race Category: Federal Candidate
Precincts: 5 and 17
Hand Count Round #1
Specific Race – U.S. Representative in Congress Dist. 2

Candidate	Hand Count Total	Machine Total	Absolute Difference
Thrasher	97	97	0
Franks	756	756	0
Gammill	28	28	0
Crum	6	6	0
Total	887	887	0

Accessible Voting Device

Candidate	Hand Count Total	Machine Total	Absolute Difference
Thrasher	0	0	0
Franks	40	40	0
Gammill	3	3	0
Crum	1	1	0
Total	44	44	0

Summary

Total Absolute Difference = Sum of All Absolute Difference for Worksheet = 0

Total machine Count = Sum of All Machine Totals for Worksheet = 931

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Precinct Hand Count Margin Summary

Date of Election: November 4, 2008
Race Category: State Legislative
Precincts: 5 and 17
Hand Count Round #1
Specific Race – State Senator District 2

Legislative District #2 does not exist in either precinct #5 or #17 so no hand count was conducted.

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Precinct Hand Count Margin Summary

Date of Election: November 4, 2008
Race Category: State Ballot Measure
Precincts: 5 and 17
Hand Count Round #1
Specific Race – Proposition 105

Candidate	Hand Count Total	Machine Total	Absolute Difference
Yes	177	177	0
No	842	841	1
Total	1019	1018	1

Accessible Voting Device

Candidate	Hand Count Total	Machine Total	Absolute Difference
Yes	5	5	0
No	43	43	0
Total	48	48	0

Summary

Total Absolute Difference = Sum of All Absolute Difference for Worksheet = 1

Total machine Count = Sum of All Machine Totals for Worksheet = 1066

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Early Ballot Audit Margin Summary

Date of Election: November 4, 2008
Race Category: Presidential Electors
Specific Race – President
Optical Scan: Batch 3

Candidate	Hand Count Total	Machine Total	Absolute Difference
Obama	52	52	0
McCain	69	69	0
Barr	3	3	0
McKinney	0	0	0
Nader	0	0	0
Total	124	124	0

Optical Scan: Batch 4

Candidate	Hand Count Total	Machine Total	Absolute Difference
Obama	44	44	0
McCain	73	73	0
Barr	0	0	0
McKinney	1	1	0
Nader	2	2	0
Total	120	120	0

Summary

Total Optical Scan Batches 3 and 4

Total Absolute Difference = Sum of All Absolute Difference for Worksheet = 0

Total machine Count = Sum of All Machine Totals for Worksheet = 244

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Accessible Voting Device:

Candidate	Hand Count Total	Machine Total	Absolute Difference
Obama	22	22	0
McCain	16	16	0
Barr	0	0	0
McKinney	1	1	0
Nader	1	1	0
Total	40	40	0

Summary

Total Absolute Difference = Sum of All Absolute Difference for Worksheet = 0

Total machine Count = Sum of All Machine Totals for Worksheet = 40

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Early Ballot Audit Margin Summary

Date of Election: November 4, 2008
Race Category: State Ballot Measure
Specific Race – Proposition 105
Optical Scan: Batch 3

Candidate	Hand Count Total	Machine Total	Absolute Difference
Yes	55	52	3
No	58	58	0
Total	113	110	3

Optical Scan: Batch 4

Candidate	Hand Count Total	Machine Total	Absolute Difference
Yes	42	42	0
No	77	76	1
Total	119	118	1

Summary

Total Optical Scan Batches 3 and 4

Total Absolute Difference = Sum of All Absolute Difference for Worksheet = 4

Total machine Count = Sum of All Machine Totals for Worksheet = 228

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Accessible Voting Device:

Candidate	Hand Count Total	Machine Total	Absolute Difference
Yes	18	16	0
No	16	16	0
Total	34	34	0

Summary

Total Absolute Difference = Sum of All Absolute Difference for Worksheet = 0

Total machine Count = Sum of All Machine Totals for Worksheet = 34

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Note: The Democratic and Republican party members were satisfied with the precinct hand count and early ballot audit results and chose not to finish the early ballot audit for the statewide candidate, federal candidate and state legislative candidate categories.