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Honorable Adrian Fontes

Secretary of State

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Secretary Fontes:

Pursuant to ARS §16-602, Graham County conducted a Hand Count for the November 5, 2024, General Election. Graham County tabulates Election Day ballots cast onsite at each Vote Center using DS200 machines, and our precinct polling locations are tabulated at Central Count using the DS850 machine. All nine precinct/vote centers were included in the random draw for selection. Early ballots were tabulated at Central Count.

Under Arizona law, the hand count of early ballots needs to include 1% of early ballots cast in Graham County. There were 9,427 early ballots counted prior to the hand count. The early ballot audit consisted of 2 batches, each containing approximately 50 ballots.

On Wednesday, November 6th at 2:00 pm, representatives from the Graham County Democratic and Republican Parties met to randomly draw, by lot, the races, vote centers and early batches for the hand count. We then reconvened Friday, November 8, 2024. There were 4 boards made up of 3 members: 6 Democrat and 6 Republican. The stacking method was used for counting.

The following precincts and early batches were selected for the hand count:

- St. Rose – Vote Center (993 ballots cast)
- Peridot – Central Count (337 ballots cast)
- Batch #44 – (50 early ballots cast)
- Batch #63 – (50 early ballots cast)

The aggregate hand count report, certified by both Political Party Chairs and which depicts the results of the hand count audit for each race, is attached. The results of each hand count were compared to the machine-determined results, and the few discrepancies found were within the acceptable margin of error.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Hannah Duderstadt".

Hannah Duderstadt
Elections Director



GRAHAM COUNTY ELECTIONS

GENERAL ELECTION
NOVEMBER 5, 2024

CERTIFICATE OF HAND COUNT - AUDIT

We, the undersigned do hereby certify on the 8th day of November 2024, a Hand Count was conducted in Graham County for the November 5, 2024, General Election. We further certify the results of the Hand Count did correspond or were within the designated margin of error with the Machine Tabulated Results as described in the subsequent documentation.

Patty Cervantz Chair
Democratic Representative Title

11/12/24 8:56 am
Date/Time

Marianne Clonts Chairman
Republican Representative Title

11/12/24 9:02 am
Date/Time

Hansel Odestad
Elections Director Signature

11/12/24 9:02 am
Date/Time



**GRAHAM COUNTY, ARIZONA
HAND COUNT
NOVEMBER 5, 2024 GENERAL ELECTION**

Hand count process to begin at 2:00pm on November 6, 2024 at the Graham County Elections Office, 921 W. Thatcher Blvd., Safford, AZ 85546.

The physical hand count will begin at 8:00 a.m. on Friday, November 8, 2024 at the Graham County Elections Office with each Party providing six members

Party order to draw by lot:

Draw First REP Draw Second DEM Draw Third

Official Vote Center Count Draw (1-9 Vote Centers)

2% of Vote Centers or 2 minimum

Vote Center draw St. Rose Vote Center draw Peridot

Number of Races to Count per Category

Presidential Elector: Presidential Elector

Federal Candidate: US. Rep. Dist. 2

Statewide Candidate: Corporation Commission

Statewide Proposition: 138

State Legislative: State Rep. Dist 19

Official Early Ballot Count Draw

1% of Early Ballots cast (1% or 5000) $9,427 = 95$ Batches are approximately 50 ballots each.

Early Batch draw #44 Early Batch draw

Early Batch draw #63 Early Batch draw

Patty Cervantez
Patty Cervantez, Democratic Party Chair

Marianne Clonts
Marianne Clonts, Republican Party Chair

Hannah Duderstadt
Hannah Duderstadt, Graham County Elections Director

AGGREGATE - VOTE CENTER HAND COUNT REPORT

Election: **2024 GENERAL ELECTION**

Race Category: PRESIDENTIAL ELECTOR

Race: Presidential Elector

Precinct & Polling Location	Hand Count Total	Machine Count Total	Absolute Difference
St. Rose			
TRUMP/VANCE	770	770	0
HARRIS/WALZ	207	207	0
OLIVER/TER MAAT	5	5	0
STEIN/WARE	1	1	0
Totals:	983	983	0

Aggregated Margin

Margin=Absolute Difference / Machine Count x 100%	0.00%
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Race Category: FEDERAL CANDIDATE

Race: U.S. Rep. Dist. 2

Precinct & Polling Location	Hand Count Total	Machine Count Total	Absolute Difference
St. Rose			
CRANE, ELI	0	0	0
NEZ, JONATHAN	0	0	0
Totals:	0	0	0

Aggregated Margin

Margin=Absolute Difference / Machine Count x 100%	0.00%
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Race Category: STATE LEGISLATIVE

Race: State Rep. Dist. 19

Precinct & Polling Location	Hand Count Total	Machine Count Total	Absolute Difference
St. Rose			
DIAZ, LUPE	527	527	0
GRIFFIN, GAIL	593	593	0
FROSTROM JR., GREGG	167	167	0
Totals:	1287	1287	0

Aggregated Margin

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Additional Comments:

AGGREGATE - VOTE CENTER HAND COUNT REPORT

Election: **2024 GENERAL ELECTION**

Race Category: STATEWIDE CANDIDATE

Race: Corporation Commissioner

Precinct & Polling Location	Hand Count Total	Machine Count Total	Absolute Difference
St. Rose			
LOPEZ, RENE	581	582	1
MARQUEZ PETERSON, LEA	504	504	0
WALDEN, RACHEL	546	546	0
AGUILAR, YLENIA	180	180	0
HILL, JONATHON	120	120	0
POLACHECK, JOSHUA	102	102	0
CEASE, MIKE	31	31	0
LUXENBERG, NINA	0	0	0
Totals:	2064	2065	1

Aggregated Margin

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Race Category: STATEWIDE PROPOSITION

Race: Prop 138

Precinct & Polling Location	Hand Count Total	Machine Count Total	Absolute Difference
St. Rose			
YES	251	251	0
NO	672	672	0
Totals:	923	923	0

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Additional Comments: _____

AGGREGATE - VOTE CENTER HAND COUNT REPORT

Election: **2024 GENERAL ELECTION**

Race Category: PRESIDENTIAL ELECTOR

Race: Presidential Elector

Precinct & Polling Location	Hand Count Total	Machine Count Total	Absolute Difference
Peridot			
TRUMP/VANCE	76	76	0
HARRIS/WALZ	255	253	2
OLIVER/TER MAAT	3	3	0
STEIN/WARE	0	0	0
Totals:	334	332	2

Aggregated Margin

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Race Category: FEDERAL CANDIDATE

Race: U.S. Rep. Dist. 2

Precinct & Polling Location	Hand Count Total	Machine Count Total	Absolute Difference
Peridot			
CRANE, ELI	41	41	0
NEZ, JONATHAN	290	290	0
Totals:	331	331	0

Aggregated Margin

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Race Category: STATE LEGISLATIVE

Race: State Rep. Dist. 19

Precinct & Polling Location	Hand Count Total	Machine Count Total	Absolute Difference
Peridot			
DIAZ, LUPE	0	0	0
GRIFFIN, GAIL	0	0	0
FROSTROM JR., GREGG	0	0	0
Totals:	0	0	0

Aggregated Margin

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Additional Comments:

AGGREGATE - VOTE CENTER HAND COUNT REPORT

Election: **2024 GENERAL ELECTION**

Race Category: STATEWIDE CANDIDATE

Race: Corporation Commissioner

Precinct & Polling Location	Hand Count Total	Machine Count Total	Absolute Difference
Peridot			
LOPEZ, RENE	55	57	2
MARQUEZ PETERSON, LEA	33	33	0
WALDEN, RACHEL	41	41	0
AGUILAR, YLENIA	165	165	0
HILL, JONATHON	178	178	0
POLACHECK, JOSHUA	123	123	0
CEASE, MIKE	12	12	0
LUXENBERG, NINA	15	16	1
Totals:	622	625	3

Aggregated Margin

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Race Category: STATEWIDE PROPOSITION

Race: Prop 138

Precinct & Polling Location	Hand Count Total	Machine Count Total	Absolute Difference
Peridot			
YES	88	88	0
NO	225	225	0
Totals:	313	313	0

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Additional Comments: _____

AGGREGATE - EARLY BALLOT HAND COUNT REPORT

Election: **2024 GENERAL ELECTION**

Race Category: PRESIDENTIAL ELECTOR

Race: Presidential Elector

Precinct & Polling Location	Hand Count Total	Machine Count Total	Absolute Difference
Batch #44			
TRUMP/VANCE	38	38	0
HARRIS/WALZ	11	11	0
OLIVER/TER MAAT	0	0	0
STEIN/WARE	0	0	0
Totals:	49	49	0

Aggregated Margin

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Race Category: FEDERAL CANDIDATE

Race: U.S. Rep. Dist. 2

Precinct & Polling Location	Hand Count Total	Machine Count Total	Absolute Difference
Batch #44			
CRANE, ELI	1	1	0
NEZ, JONATHAN	4	4	0
Totals:	5	5	0

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Race Category: STATE LEGISLATIVE

Race: State Rep. Dist. 19

Precinct & Polling Location	Hand Count Total	Machine Count Total	Absolute Difference
Batch #44			
DIAZ, LUPE	28	28	0
GRIFFIN, GAIL	36	36	0
FROSTROM JR., GREGG	5	5	0
Totals:	69	69	0

Aggregated Margin

Margin=Absolute Difference / Machine Count x 100%	0.00%
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AGGREGATE - EARLY BALLOT HAND COUNT REPORT

Election: **2024 GENERAL ELECTION**

Race Category: STATEWIDE CANDIDATE

Race: Corporation Commissioner

Precinct & Polling Location	Hand Count Total	Machine Count Total	Absolute Difference
Batch #44			
LOPEZ, RENE	33	33	0
MARQUEZ PETERSON, LEA	30	30	0
WALDEN, RACHEL	32	32	0
AGUILAR, YLENIA	8	8	0
HILL, JONATHON	8	8	0
POLACHECK, JOSHUA	9	9	0
CEASE, MIKE	0	0	0
LUXENBERG, NINA	1	1	0
Totals:	121	121	0

Aggregated Margin

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Race Category: STATEWIDE PROPOSITION

Race: Prop 138

Precinct & Polling Location	Hand Count Total	Machine Count Total	Absolute Difference
Batch #44			
YES	11	11	0
NO	35	35	0
Totals:	46	46	0

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AGGREGATE - EARLY BALLOT HAND COUNT REPORT

Election: **2024 GENERAL ELECTION**

Race Category: PRESIDENTIAL ELECTOR

Race: Presidential Elector

Precinct & Polling Location	Hand Count Total	Machine Count Total	Absolute Difference
Batch #63			
TRUMP/VANCE	32	32	0
HARRIS/WALZ	18	18	0
OLIVER/TER MAAT	0	0	0
STEIN/WARE	0	0	0
Totals:	50	50	0

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Race Category: FEDERAL CANDIDATE

Race: U.S. Rep. Dist. 2

Precinct & Polling Location	Hand Count Total	Machine Count Total	Absolute Difference
Batch #63			
CRANE, ELI	0	0	0
NEZ, JONATHAN	1	1	0
Totals:	1	1	0

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Race Category: STATE LEGISLATIVE

Race: State Rep. Dist. 19

Precinct & Polling Location	Hand Count Total	Machine Count Total	Absolute Difference
Batch #63			
DIAZ, LUPE	32	32	0
GRIFFIN, GAIL	31	31	0
FROSTROM JR., GREGG	15	15	0
Totals:	78	78	0

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Additional Comments: _____

AGGREGATE - EARLY BALLOT HAND COUNT REPORT

Election: **2024 GENERAL ELECTION**

Race Category: STATEWIDE CANDIDATE

Race: Corporation Commissioner

Precinct & Polling Location	Hand Count Total	Machine Count Total	Absolute Difference
Batch #63			
LOPEZ, RENE	30	30	0
MARQUEZ PETERSON, LEA	29	29	0
WALDEN, RACHEL	33	33	0
AGUILAR, YLENIA	14	14	0
HILL, JONATHON	15	15	0
POLACHECK, JOSHUA	12	12	0
CEASE, MIKE	1	1	0
LUXENBERG, NINA	1	1	0
Totals:	135	135	0

Aggregated Margin

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Race Category: STATEWIDE PROPOSITION

Race: Prop 138

Precinct & Polling Location	Hand Count Total	Machine Count Total	Absolute Difference
Batch #63			
YES	17	17	0
NO	29	29	0
Totals:	46	46	0

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