



Prowers County Hospital

PROWERS MEDICAL CENTER

401 Kendall Drive • Lamar, CO 81052-3993

March 7, 2012

Colorado Division of Local Government
1313 Sherman Street, Room 521
Denver, CO 81052

Re: Prowers County Hospital District - Recall Election

To Whom It May Concern:

Please find the Certificate of Results and a copy of the Designated Election Official's Certificate of Election Returns and Statement of Ballot enclosed for the recall election held on February 7, 2012.

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding the enclosed or if you need any further information.

Thank you,

Audrey Kane

Audrey Kane
Designated Election Official

Enclosed



Mission Statement

Prowers Medical Center is an organization of dedicated professionals committed to providing healing and preventative services to those we serve.

Vision Statement

Prowers Medical Center will be the leading healthcare resource for the diverse populations of the region.

**CANVASS BOARD'S
CERTIFICATE OF OFFICIAL ABSTRACT OF VOTES CAST
(CERTIFICATE OF RESULTS)**

**FOR THE RECALL ELECTION HELD ON FEBRUARY, 2012
PROWERS COUNTY HOSPITALDISTRICT
PROWERS COUNTY, COLORADO**

1-10-203, 1-11-103, and 32-1-104(1), CRS

Each of the undersigned members of the Canvass Board of the Prowers County Hospital District certifies that the following is a true and correct abstract of the votes cast at the recall election of the Prowers County Hospital District, at which time the eligible electors of the Prowers County Hospital District voted as indicated on the attached Judges' Certificate of Election Returns, and as a result of which the eligible electors chose the following results:

Candace (Candy) Ruedeman was retained as a board member Yes No

Marjorie (Marge) Campbell was retained as a board member Yes No

Successor Candidate(s) are required: Yes No

If Successor Candidate(s) are required, the Successor Candidate(s) is/are:

<u>N/A</u> (name)	_____	Term: To fill re remaining
	(address)	remaining term of

<u>N/A</u> (name)	_____	remaining term of
	(address)	_____

The votes cast for and against each ballot question submitted were as follows:

BALLOT QUESTION 100: "Shall Candace (Candy) Ruedeman, member of the Board of Directors of the Prowers County Hospital District be recalled?"

Number of **YES** votes cast: 624

Number of **NO** votes cast: 1,481

BALLOT QUESTION 101: "Shall Marjorie (Marge) Campbell, member of the Board of Directors of the Prowers County Hospital District be recalled?"

Number of **YES** votes cast: 695

Number of **NO** votes cast: 1,407

BALLOT QUESTION 102: "I cast my vote to elect the following to replace Candace (Candy) Ruedeman or Marjorie (Marge) Campbell as a member of the Board of Directors of the Prowers County Hospital District if the highest number of votes cast for Question 100, Question 101, or both is yes"

Number of votes cast for Sandra Summers	<u>481</u>
Number of votes cast for Karl Clifford Nieschburg	<u>794</u>
Number of votes cast for Kathleen (Kathy) R. Henderson	<u>441</u>
Number votes cast for write-in candidate <u>N/A</u>	_____
Number votes cast for write-in candidate <u>N/A</u>	_____
Number votes cast for write-in candidate <u>N/A</u>	_____

CERTIFIED this 7th day of February, 2012.

Audrey Kane
Designated Election Official
John P. ...
Canvasser
Chester J. ...
Canvasser

Contact Person for the District:
Business Address of the District:
Telephone Number:

Audrey Kane
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PROCEDURAL INSTRUCTIONS: The canvassers meet to survey the returns and certify the results. They do not recount the ballots, unless there is a formal recount. No later than seven days after the election, the canvass board shall certify the official abstract of votes cast which the DEO uses to certify the election (results). This form must be filed with the Division of Local Government within 30 days after the election and must be posted in the office of the DEO. The DEO shall notify the candidates of their election; after the oath and bond are filed, the DEO shall make and deliver a formal certificate to the elected directors.

**DESIGNATED ELECTION OFFICIAL'S CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION RETURNS
and STATEMENT OF BALLOTS**

MAIL BALLOT ELECTION

1-7.5-107, C.R.S.

JUDGES' CERTIFICATE OF RETURNS:

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED by the undersigned DESIGNATED ELECTION OFFICIAL, who conducted the election held in the Prowers County Hospital District, in Prowers County, Colorado, on the 7th day of February, 2012, that the poll was opened the polls at 7:00 a.m., and kept open continuously until the hour of 7:00 p.m. on said date, after which the ballots cast on the ballot questions were counted, and the ballots cast for successor candidates for Directors of said District were counted,

That the votes cast for and against each ballot question submitted were as follows:

Ballot Question 100: Shall Candace (Candy) Ruedeman, member of the Board of Directors of the Prowers County Hospital District be recalled:

YES	<u>624</u> (Numeric)	<u>Six hundred twenty-four</u> (Spelled out)
NO	<u>1,481</u> (Numeric)	<u>One thousand four hundred eighty-one</u> (Spelled out)

Ballot Question 101: Shall Marjorie (Marge) Campbell, member of the Board of Directors of the Prowers County Hospital District be recalled:

YES	<u>695</u> (Numeric)	<u>Six hundred ninety-five</u> (Spelled out)
NO	<u>1,407</u> (Numeric)	<u>One thousand four hundred seven</u> (Spelled out)

Ballot Question 102: I cast my vote to elect the following to replace Candace (Candy) Ruedeman or Marjorie (Marge) Campbell as a member of the Board of Directors of the Prowers County Hospital District if the highest number of votes cast for Question 100, Question 101, or both is yes:

<u>Successor Candidate for Director</u>	<u>Total Votes Cast</u> (Numeric)	<u>Total Votes Cast</u> (Spelled out)
SANDRA SUMMERS	<u>481</u>	<u>Four hundred eighty-one</u>
KARL CLIFFORD NIESCHBURG	<u>794</u>	<u>Seven hundred ninety-four</u>
KATHLEEN (KATHY) R. HENDERSON	<u>441</u>	<u>Four hundred forty-one</u>

**DESIGNATED ELECTION OFFICIAL'S CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION RETURNS
and STATEMENT OF BALLOTS, con't.**

MAIL BALLOT ELECTION

STATEMENT OF BALLOTS:

It is hereby identified and specified that:

TOTAL Number of Mail Ballots Issued to Voters:	<u>4,707</u> (Numeric)	<u>Four thousand seven hundred seven</u> (Spelled out)
Ballots Returned Undeliverable:	<u>92</u> (Numeric)	<u>Ninety-two</u> (Spelled out)
Total Number of Ballots Voted:	<u>2,114</u> (Numeric)	<u>Two thousand one hundred fourteen</u> (Spelled out)
Total Voted Provisional Ballots:	<u>0</u> (Numeric)	<u>Zero</u> (Spelled out)
Total Voted Challenged Ballots:	<u>0</u> (Numeric)	<u>Zero</u> (Spelled out)
<u>Delivered to Voter, Not Cast:</u>		
Spoiled:	<u>16</u> (Numeric)	<u>Sixteen</u> (Spelled out)
Rejected:	<u>11</u> (Numeric)	<u>Eleven</u> (Spelled out)
Defective:	<u>0</u> (Numeric)	<u>Zero</u> (Spelled out)
Not Returned:	<u>2,474</u> (Numeric)	<u>Two thousand four hundred seventy-four</u> (Spelled out)
<u>Not Delivered to Voter, Not Cast (Unused):</u>		
Official:	<u>2,793</u> (Numeric)	<u>Two thousand seven hundred ninety-three</u> (Spelled out)

Certified this 7th day of February, 2012.

Audrey Kane
AUDREY KANE, Designated Election Official