

UNIFORM VOTING SYSTEM PILOT ELECTION – CLEAR BALLOT

SUPERVISOR JUDGE EVALUATION FORM

NAME OF COUNTY: X

VSPC NAME AND NUMBER: # _____

SUPERVISOR JUDGES NAME(S): Connie L. Reutkauf
Jim WALTER

Instructions: In most instances, you will be asked to “grade” your experience with various aspects of this voting system by assigning a letter grade of A, B, C, D, F, or N/A. Each letter grade has the following meaning:

- A Excellent or superior
- B Very good
- C Good or acceptable
- D Inferior or not very good
- F Failure; unacceptable
- N/A Didn't use, didn't need or not sure

As used in this evaluation form, the term “voting equipment” means the hardware and software associated with the Clear Access ballot marking device. The computers and peripheral hardware that election judges use to access and work in webSCORE are not a part or component of the voting equipment.

Please return this form to the county elections division at the conclusion of the election.

A. Daily Logs

1. Each day, how many voters asked for additional instruction about using the voting equipment?

Please provide answers to this question for each day of VSPC operations on the log attached as Table 1.

2. Each day, how many voting equipment malfunctions did you experience or observe in your VSPC?

Please provide answers to this question for each day of VSPC operations on the log attached as Table 2.

3. Each day, how many in-person voters spoiled one or more ballots because they made an incorrect voting choice when using the Clear Access ballot marking device?

Please provide answers to this question for each day of VSPC operations on the log attached as Table 3.

B. Voting Equipment Training

1. In total, how many hours of training did you receive to be a supervisor judge for the 2015 Coordinated Election?

Answer: 5.5 hours

2. Of the total hours of the supervisor judge training you received, how many hours were primarily devoted to training you how to use and operate the voting equipment?

Answer: 1 hours

3. Grade the quality of the voting equipment training you received:

Circle one: A B C D F N/A

4. Grade the thoroughness of the voting equipment training you received:

Circle one: A B C D F N/A

5. Please describe any specific positive or negative aspects of, and any suggestions you have to improve, the training you received about using this voting equipment:

None - Equipment operation is straight-forward.
Were able to train-up other judges with
minimal effort - training was much simpler
than previous equipment (HART). We had no
malfunctions or difficulty with Clear Ballot system

C. Voting Equipment Use

1. Please grade the ease of starting or turning on the voting equipment before the VSPC opened each day:

Circle one: A B C D F N/A

Please describe any specific positive or negative aspects of starting or turning on the voting equipment each day: Quite straight forward.

2. Not Applicable

3. Please grade the ease of instructing voters to use the Clear Access ballot marking devices:

Circle one: A B C D F N/A

Please describe any specific positive or negative aspects relating to the ease of using the Clear Access ballot marking device:

No issues. Voters had positive experience with equipment - increasing font size for elderly and sight-challenged voters well received. Even non-computer-literate voters seemed to enjoy use of this system (ClearBallot).

4. Not applicable.

5. Based on your observations, did the voting equipment permit voters to mark and cast their ballots in private?

Circle one:

Yes

No

Please describe any specific positive or negative aspects of this voting equipment relating to voter privacy:

Voters appreciated getting a printed ballot using Clear Ballot. This was contrasted to previous DRE (HART).

6. Please grade the ease of shutting down the voting equipment when the VSPC closed each day or evening:

Circle one:

A

B

C

D

F

N/A

Please describe any specific positive or negative aspects of shutting down the voting equipment when the VSPC closed each day:

No issues

D. Errors, Difficulties and Complaints

1. Did any voting equipment ever operate too slowly?

Circle one: Yes

No

If yes, please list the component and describe the situation: _____

2. Were you or other judges required to reboot any voting equipment because it was not working properly?

Circle one: Yes

No

If yes, how many times? _____

3. Did any voting equipment regularly fail?

Circle one: Yes

No

Please list the components and describe the failure: No Failures

4. Did you have to ask or contact a county elections department staff member or voting system provider representative for instructions or guidance due to problem(s) with or question(s) regarding the voting equipment?

Circle one: Yes

No

If yes, how many times? _____

Please describe the reasons you asked questions of or sought guidance from county elections department staff members or system provider representatives regarding problems with or questions regarding the voting equipment:

E. Results and Reconciliation

1. Please grade the ease of reconciling the number of ballots marked or tabulated by the voting equipment and the number of voters who received in-person voting credit in SCORE, both on a daily basis and after 7PM on Election Day:

Circle one:

A

B

C

D

F

N/A

Please describe any strengths or weaknesses of the voting equipment that you experienced or observed in reconciling the number of ballots marked or tabulated by the voting equipment with the number of voters who received in-person voting credit in SCORE: We weren't involved with reconciliation

2. Please grade your confidence that the voting equipment was operating correctly:

Circle one:

A

B

C

D

F

N/A

Please describe any problems you observed or experienced: _____

3. Not applicable.

4. Please grade the ease of reporting results to the county elections department:

Circle one: A B C D F N/A

Please describe any strengths or weaknesses of the ballot scanners with regard to tabulating results: Not involved with reporting to DEO.

F. Additional Comments

1. Please provide any additional comments regarding other strengths or weaknesses, and positive or negative aspects, of this voting equipment that you observed or experienced. Please feel free to attach additional pages to this evaluation form, if necessary.

Clear Ballot equipment worked well. Positive experience by all voters we assisted. So positive that most voters willing to fill-out the requested follow-up survey! font size change very appreciated by voters needing larger sizing.

Table 1

Each day, how many voters asked for additional instruction about using the voting equipment?

Date	Number of voters requesting instruction	Describe the nature of the voters' questions	State the manner in which you addressed the voters' questions
10/26	0	—	—
10/27	0	—	—
10/28	0	—	—
10/29	0	—	—

Date	Number of voters requesting instruction	Describe the nature of the voters' questions	State the manner in which you addressed the voters' questions
10/30	0	—	—
10/31	0	—	—
11/2	0	—	—
11/3	0	—	—

Table 2

Please list the number of voting system malfunctions you experienced or observed each day and briefly describe the malfunctions and the actions you took to resolve them.

Date	Number of malfunctions	Briefly describe the malfunctions and the components affected	Briefly describe how you or other election judges addressed or resolved the malfunctions
10/26	0	—	—
10/27	0	—	—
10/28	0	—	—
10/29	0	—	—

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10/30	0	-	-
10/31	0	-	-
11/2	0	-	-
11/3	0	-	-

Table 3

For each day of VSPC operations, please state the number of in-person voters who spoiled one or more ballots because they made an incorrect voting choice when using the Clear Access ballot marking device.

Date and Day	Number of voters who spoiled one or more Clear Access ballots
10/26/2015 MONDAY	0
10/27/2015 TUESDAY	0
10/28/2015 WEDNESDAY	0
10/29/2015 THURSDAY	0
10/30/2015 FRIDAY	0
10/31/2015 SATURDAY	0
11/02/2015 MONDAY	0
11/03/2015 TUESDAY – ELECTION DAY	0