

King County Canvassing Board  
**Election Summary Report**  
 August 18, 2009  
 Primary and Special Elections

**Election Summary**

Issued	<b>1,097,463</b>
Returned	<b>353,239</b>
Verified	<b>344,787</b>
Opened	<b>344,711</b>
Tabulated	<b>344,712</b>

**Statistical Percentages**

Percentage of Ballots Returned	<b>32.19%</b>	Returned / Issued
Percentage of Ballots Returned where Ballot was Tabulated	<b>97.59%</b>	Tabulated / Returned
Percentage of Ballots Received Too Late	<b>1.35%</b>	Returned too late / Returned
Percentage of Ballots Received As Undeliverable	<b>2.86%</b>	Ballots Returned As Undeliverable / Total Mail Ballots Issued

**Election Details**

Line Item	Description	Sub-Totals	Totals	Comment
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**Ballots Issued** **1097463**

1	<b>Total Number of Mail Ballots Issued</b>	<b>1097101</b>	Sum of line 1.1 and 1.2	
1.1	Number of mail ballots issued through DIMS system	1097101	Reported from DIMS	
1.2	Number of mail ballots issued outside of DIMS system			
2	<b>Total Number of Provisional Ballots Issued</b>	<b>9</b>	Sum of lines 2.1 and 2.2	
2.1	Number of Provisional ballots issued by King County	7		
2.2	Number of Provisional ballots issued by other counties	2		
3	<b>Total Number of AVU Ballots Issued</b>	<b>353</b>		

**Ballots Returned** **353239**

4	<b>Total Number of Mail Ballot Envelopes Returned</b>	<b>352877</b>	Sum of line 4.1 and 4.2	
4.1	Number of mail ballot envelopes returned and reported in DIMS	352461		

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4.2	Number of mail ballots envelopes returned and not reported in DIMS	416		Manually tracked (includes ACP/Federal Write-ins/ WANDA rejects)
5	<b>Total Number of Provisional Ballots Returned</b>		<b>9</b>	Sum of lines 5.1, 5.2, and 5.3
5.1	Number of provisional ballots returned via AVC	7		DIMS
5.2	Number of provisional ballots returned via other county	2		
5.3	Number of provisional ballots returned and not reported in DIMS	0		Reconciliation reports
6	<b>Total Number of AVU Ballots Returned</b>		<b>353</b>	
7	<b>Total Number of Ballots Returned As Undeliverable</b>		<b>31352</b>	Not to be included with normal returns. For information purposes only.
7.1	Number of ballot envelopes received as undeliverable			

<b>Ballots Verified</b>		<b>344787</b>		
<b>Ballots Challenged and Cancelled</b>		<b>8452</b>		
8	<b>Total Number Mail Ballot Envelopes Verified and Accepted</b>		<b>344432</b>	Sum of line 8.1 and 8.2.
8.1	Number of Mail Ballots Verified and Accepted in DIMS	344387		Reported from DIMS
8.2	Number of Mail Ballots Verified and Accepted but not in DIMS	45		Manually tracked (includes ACP/Federal Write-ins)
9	<b>Total Number of Mail Ballot Envelopes Challenged</b>	<b>8445</b>		DIMS data reconciled with hand counts and augmented with hand counts for non-DIMS ballots (sum of 9.1 - 9.14).
9.1	Deceased	22		Reported from DIMS and reconciled with hand counts.
9.2	ID Required	0		" "
9.3	Moved	22		" "
9.4	NIB	0		" "
9.5	Name Change	18		" "
9.6	No Witness	6		" "
9.7	No Signature on envelope	489		" "
9.8	No Signature on File	60		" "
9.9	Power of Attorney	5		" "

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9.10	Miscellaneous Rejects	52		Reported in DIMS and reconciled with hand counts. Includes some ballots rejected by canvass board and ballots categorized by DIMS as inactive.
9.11	Returned too late	4760		Reported from DIMS and reconciled with hand counts.
9.12	Signature Miscompares	2640		" "
9.13	Cross Signed	0		" "
9.14	Non-DIMS System Rejects	371		Ballots not accounted for in DIMS (ineligible/non-registered voters, "wanda" rejects, rejected ACP). Hand counted.
10	<b>Total Number of Provisional Ballots Verified and Accepted</b>		<b>2</b>	
10.1	Number of Provisional Ballots Verified and Accepted in DIMS	2		
10.2	Number of Provisional Ballots Verified and Accepted but not in DIMS	0		
11	<b>Total Number of Provisional Ballots Challenged</b>	<b>7</b>		
12	<b>Total Number of AVU Ballots Verified and Accepted</b>		<b>353</b>	
13	<b>Total Number of AVU Ballots Cancelled</b>	<b>0</b>		
13.1	DIMS coded as SUSP	0		

<b>Ballots Opened and Sent to Tabulation</b>			<b>344711</b>	
14	<b>Total Mail Ballots Opened and Sent to Tabulation</b>		<b>344356</b>	Line 8 (DIMS) minus (Lines 14.1 + 14.2)
14.1	Mail Ballot Empty Envelopes	44		Tracked in opening process
14.2	Mail Ballots Rejected by Canvassing Board (credit not removed in DIMS)	32		Accounted for in Canvassing Board Records.
15	<b>Total Provisional Ballots Opened and Sent to Tabulation</b>		<b>2</b>	Line 10 (DIMS) minus (Lines 15.1 + 15.2)
15.1	Provisional Ballot Empty Envelopes	0		Tracked in opening process
15.2	<b>Provisional Ballots Rejected by Canvassing Board (credit not removed in DIMS)</b>	<b>0</b>		Accounted for in Canvassing Board Records.
16	<b>Total AVU Ballots Sent to Tabulation</b>		<b>353</b>	Line 12

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<b>Ballots Tabulated</b>			<b>344712</b>	
17	<b>Total Number of Ballots Tabulated</b>		<b>344712</b>	Reported From GEMS
17.1	Mail Ballots Tabulated	344357		
17.2	Provisional Ballots Tabulated	2		
17.3	AVU Ballots Tabulated	353		

**Key**

**ACP:** Address Confidentiality Program

**AVU:** Accessible Voting Unit

**Challenged:** Ballot Envelopes that are not processed due to a variety of voter related issues / actions

**DIMS:** King County's election management / voter registration database

**GEMS:** King County's vote tabulation system

**WANDA Rejects:** Mail Ballot Envelopes not accepted by DIMS due to challenge or voter cancellation after ballot issued but prior to ballot returned

Notes:

1. Batch 1192 has +1 counted than was received. Double checked envelopes for signature counts, pulls logged and received, and hand counted ballots.