

Statement of Vote

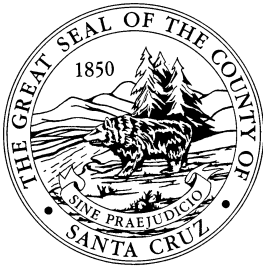


November 7, 2023 District Election



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November 27, 2023

Information Regarding the Statement of Vote

This Statement of Vote is prepared and issued pursuant to Elections Code Sections 15372 - 15374. Due to the Governor's Executive Order and State Law, the election was conducted by mailing a ballot to all registered voters in addition to providing in-person voting.

How results are compiled

The Statement of Vote reports show results by "consolidated" voting precinct for each contest on the ballot. There were 6 consolidated voting precincts in this election. A key to the consolidated voting precincts is provided in the "Voting/Absentee/Regular Precinct Cross Reference" provided in this booklet.

The key to registration precincts is: 1st digit = supervisorial district; 2nd digit = city, where 1 = Santa Cruz, 2 = Capitola, 3 = Watsonville, 4= Scotts Valley and 0 = unincorporated; 3rd digit designates the council district in Santa Cruz and Watsonville. The 4th and 5th digits are random.

There was 1 ballot type in this election.

Following the precinct by precinct report, you will find reports of results by district: polling place, vote-by-mail, and grand totals.

The "Registered Voters" column shows the total registration for the consolidated voting precinct. Voter registration information is current as of the last day to register to vote in the election (15 days prior to the election). Late arriving, but eligible, voter registration affidavits are not included in the registration figures. Voters who voted using a Same Day or provisional ballot are reflected in the "Voters Cast" column, but they are not accounted for in the Registration column. The "Voters Cast" column shows total ballots cast either in the precinct or vote-by-mail.

Other Reports Included

Three election result summaries are included:

1. Final Official Results;
2. First release of ballots counted election night; and
3. Semi-Official Election Night Results.

Vote-By-Mail ballot statistical reports are provided showing the total number of ballots issued by voting precinct and the method of issuing and then the total number of ballots returned by voting precinct. These statistics do not reflect votes cast by confidential voters in Santa Cruz County, Same Day or provisional ballots cast by voters.

The Conditional Voter Registration Ballot Statistics Report shows how many voters voted using the same day voter registration procedures, how many were partially counted and how many were not counted and why.

The Provisional Ballot Report shows how many voters voted by provisional ballot, how many were fully counted, how many were not counted, how many were partially counted, and the breakdown of reasons why ballots were not counted.

A report showing the registration by District broken down by political party is also provided. Finally, there is a list of the 3 voting locations established for the November election showing how many ballots were issued at each location.

The last reports outline our "Canvass Activities."

Cost and Information

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Certification of County Clerk of the Results of the Canvass of the November 7, 2023, Scotts Valley fire Protection District Election

I, Tricia Webber, County Clerk of the County of Santa Cruz, do hereby certify that, in pursuance to the provisions of Elections Code Section 15300, et. seq., I did canvass the results for the votes cast in the Scotts Valley Fire Protection District Election held in Santa Cruz County on November 7, 2023, for measures and contests that were submitted to the vote of the voters, and that the Statement of Votes Cast to which this certificate is attached, is true and correct.

I hereby set my hand and official seal this 27th day of November 2023 at the County of Santa Cruz.

Tricia Webber

Tricia Webber
Santa Cruz County Clerk



**Voter Registration and Turnout Statistics
for Santa Cruz County**

Election Date	Registration	Turnout	Percent	Absentees Issued	Absentees Counted¹
June 1976	84,034	61,890	73.6	NA	3,185
Nov 1976	96,035	75,970	79.1	NA	4,004
June 1978	103,701	68,231	65.7	NA	3,670
Nov 1978	97,232	68,494	70.4	NA	3,778
Nov 1979	97,780	40,486	41.4	NA	2,222
June 1980	102,045	74,016	72.5	NA	3,997
Nov 1980	112,457	87,269	77.6	NA	6,013
Nov 1981	105,590	27,825	26.3	NA	NA
June 1982	105,337	64,437	61.2	4,828	3,793
Nov 1982	111,494	78,946	70.8	6,810	5,962
Nov 1983	104,796	33,303	31.7	6,363	3,908
June 1984	110,719	61,245	51.3	5,548	4,600
Nov 1984	124,836	97,155	77.8	11,502	10,402
Nov 1985	118,854	33,866	28.5	4,665	3,283
June 1986	114,171	54,939	48.1	6,646	5,403
Nov 1986	117,615	75,063	63.8	9,093	7,698
Oct 1987 ²	8,849	3,695	41.7	8,849	3,695
Nov 1987	113,846	25,743	25.5	4,797	3,310
June 1988	118,741	74,940	63.1	9,376	7,809
Nov 1988	132,816	106,088	79.9	23,326	18,064
Nov 1989 ³	1,758	165	9.3	43	27
Nov 1989 ⁴	390	166	42.5	15	13

¹ Absentees counted excludes mail ballot precincts.

² San Lorenzo Valley Water District all mail ballot election.

³ Central Water District Board of Directors Election

⁴ Pacific School Tax Measure

Election Date	Registration	Turnout	Percent	Absentees Issued	Absentees Counted⁵
June 1990	122,505	57,756	47.2	10,736	8,627
Nov 1990	129,150	82,392	63.8	21,382	17,628
June 1992	133,334	69,646	52.2	14,178	12,013
Nov 1992	148,281	116,527	78.6	29,640	26,586
April 1993 ⁶	103,451	31,976	30.9	17,536	11,771
June 1993 ⁷	103,271	33,886	32.8	19,703	14,619
Aug 1993 ⁸	121,110	33,619	27.8	20,796	15,733
Nov 1993 ⁹	140,007	66,056	47.2	30,997	24,470
June 1994	132,139	58,040	44.0	17,505	15,422
Nov 1994	140,960	93,644	66.4	36,146	30,680
Nov 1995 ¹⁰	2,415	729	30.2	340	238
Dec 1995 ¹¹	33,089	10,513	31.8	6,100	4,729
March 1996	133,652	65,981	49.4	25,862	20,441
June 1996 ¹²	2,348	783	33.3	475	403
Nov 1996	148,663	104,085	70.0	37,145	28,281
June 1997 ¹³	74,468	17,498	23.5	10,297	8,170
Nov 1997 ¹⁴	6,600	3,849	58.3	All mail	All mail
April 1998 ¹⁵	64,593	17,073	26.4	8,867	6,973
April 1998 ¹⁶	737	339	46.0	274	235

⁵ Absentees counted excludes mail ballot precincts.

⁶ 17th Congressional District Special Vacancy Election

⁷ 17th Congressional District Run-off Election

⁸ 27th Assembly District Special Vacancy Election

⁹ Special Statewide Election consolidated with 27th AD run-off

¹⁰ Loma Prieta Elementary School District Gann Limit Measure & Aromas Fire Board

¹¹ 15th Congressional District Special Vacancy Election

¹² Loma Prieta Elementary School District Gann Limit. Measure P

¹³ County Parks and Recreation (CSA 11) special tax, Measure A

¹⁴ Special District Election, Scotts Valley Drive, Measure D – All mail ballot election

¹⁵ Santa Cruz High School & Elementary School District Bonds, Measures E & H

¹⁶ Lakeside School District Bond, Measure B.

Election Date	Registration	Turnout	Percent	Absentees Issued	Absentees Counted ¹⁷
June 1998	130,197	66,826	51.3	26,359	20,774
Nov 1998	137,955	86,634	62.8	32,199	25,502
Mar 1999 ¹⁸	37,232	8,862	23.9	3,923	3,234
June 1999 ¹⁹	6,509	3,989	61.3	2,342	2,077
Aug 1999 ²⁰	705	429	60.9	230	215
Nov 1999 ²¹	4,959	1,627	32.8	1,167	888
Nov 1999 ²²	682	279	40.9	All mail	All mail
March 2000	134,997	79,746	59.1	26,535	22,267
Nov 2000	145,214	109,266	75.2	39,155	30,388
June 2001 ²³	2,396	1,319	55.1	All mail	All mail
June 2001 ²⁴	8	8	100.0	All mail	All mail
June 2001 ²⁵	11	11	100.0	All mail	All mail
Jan 2002 ²⁶	18	18	100.0	All mail	All mail
March 2002	127,582	62,317	48.8	22,269	16,025
Election Date	Registration	Turnout	Percent	Absentees Issued	Absentees Counted ²⁷
Nov 2002	135,553	80,021	59.0	33,718	26,428
June 2003 ²⁸	15,124	5392	35.7	2,670	2028
June 2003 ²⁹	34,663	11,124	32.1	5,961	4,540

¹⁷ Absentees counted **EXCLUDES** mail ballot precincts.

¹⁸ City of Santa Cruz Fluoride Initiative, Measure N.

¹⁹ City of Scotts Valley Glenwood Referendum, Measures O & P.

²⁰ City of Watsonville, District 1 Special Vacancy Election (term expires 12/2000)

²¹ Pajaro Valley Unified School District, Area 6, Special Vacancy Election.

²² Salsipuedes Sanitary District Board of Directors – all mail ballot election

²³ Loma Prieta Joint Union Elementary School District Special Tax, Measure E – all mail ballot election

²⁴ Transfer 7 parcels from SLVUSD to SVUSD, Measure W – all mail ballot election

²⁵ Transfer 16 parcels from SVUSD to LG-SJUHSD, Measure X – all mail ballot election

²⁶ Depot Hill GHAD Special Governing Board Election – Landowner District Election

²⁷ Absentees from this point forward **INCLUDES** ballots cast by voters assigned to Mail Ballot Precincts.

²⁸ San Lorenzo Valley Unified School District, Measure A, parcel tax

²⁹ Santa Cruz City Elementary School District, Measure B, parcel tax

Election Date	Registration	Turnout	Percent	Absentees Issued	Absentees Counted
June 2003 ³⁰	5,775	1,150	19.9	1,559	776
Oct 2003 ³¹	129,912	94,759	72.9	36,704	32,310
Mar 2004	132,307	74,671	56.4	33,307	25,950
April 2004 ³²	689	327	47.5	All mail	All mail
May 2004 ³³	2	2	100.0	All mail	All mail
Nov 2004	148,185	123,275	83.2	53,356	46,993
May 2005 ³⁴	2,098	1,130	53.9	All mail	All mail
July 2005 ³⁵	2,526	1,621	64.2	All mail	All mail
Aug 2005 ³⁶	34,607	12,099	35.0	All mail	All mail
Nov 2005 ³⁷	142,889	81,368	56.9	45,687	35,486
Dec 2005 ³⁸	1,402	582	41.5	All mail	All mail
June 2006	142,525	56,871	39.9	44,521	26,422
Nov 2006	142,428	92,236	64.8	56,447	42,047
Election Date	Registration	Turnout	Percent	Vote-by-Mail³⁹ Issued	Vote-by-Mail Counted
Feb 2008	136,144	91,133	66.9	52,198	38,433
June 2008	139,827	54,848	39.2	50,904	29,519
Aug. 2008 ⁴⁰	34,322	9,713	28.3	All mail	All mail
Nov. 2008	148,361	128,555	86.7	68,763	60,502
May 2009 ⁴¹	147,099	49,900	33.9	56,425	29,314

³⁰ Pajaro Valley Fire Protection District, Measure C, bond measure

³¹ Statewide Special Election to Recall Governor Gray Davis, plus Props. 53 and 54

³² Special Election for CSA 11L – all Mail Ballot Election

³³ School District Reorganization – 1 parcel

³⁴ Special Election for CSA 11M (McGregor) – all Mail Ballot Election

³⁵ Special Election for CFS 1 (Felton) – all Mail Ballot Election

³⁶ Santa Cruz City Special Election – all Mail Ballot Election

³⁷ Special Statewide Election

³⁸ Special Election for Branciforte Fire Protection District – all Mail Ballot Election

³⁹ A new law that went into affect in January 2008 changes the term “absentee” to “vote-by-mail.”

⁴⁰ Santa Cruz City Special Election – all Mail Ballot Election

⁴¹ Special Statewide Election – Budget Reform

Election Date	Registration	Turnout	Percent	Vote-by-Mail Issued	Vote-by-Mail Counted
May 2010 ⁴²	837	540	64.52	All mail	All mail
May 2010 ⁴³	2,559	1237	48.34	All mail	All mail
June 8 2010	146,821	55,085	37.52	59,778	31,037
June 22 2010 ⁴⁴	57,675	16,062	27.85	25,106	11,405
Aug. 17, 2010 ⁴⁵	57,041	21,742	38.12	27,765	15,418
Nov. 2010	148,500	98,037	66.02	69,321	50,401
June 2012	146,936	58,526	39.83	64,360	34,855
Nov. 2012	158,641	121,323	76.48	79,586	64,372
May 2013 ⁴⁶	819	462	56.41	All mail	All mail
May 2013 ⁴⁷	16,195	6,746	41.77	All mail	All mail
June 2013 ⁴⁸	14,198	4,419	31.12	7,570	3,397
Nov 5, 2013 ⁴⁹	9,337	4,010	42.95	5,092	2,845
June 2014	141,107	49,143	34.83	71,951	31,153
Nov. 2014	142,405	74,040	51.99	75,417	43,744
Feb. 2015 ⁵⁰	738	516	69.92	All mail	All mail
June 2015 ⁵¹	261	161	61.69	All mail	All mail
Nov. 3, 2015 ⁵²	14	8	57.14	All mail	All mail
Nov. 17, 2015 ⁵³	71,718	22,096	30.81	All mail	All mail
May 3, 2016 ⁵⁴	3,205	1,238	38.77	All mail	All mail
June 2016	146,193	94,928	64.93	87,794	57,357

⁴² Special School District Election – Lakeside School District Parcel Tax

⁴³ Special School District Election – Loma Prieta School District Parcel Tax

⁴⁴ Special Primary Election to fill vacancy in the 15th State Senate District

⁴⁵ Special General Election to fill vacancy in the 15th State Senate District

⁴⁶ Special School District Election – Lakeside School District Parcel Transfer

⁴⁷ Special School District Election – Soquel Union Elementary School District Parcel Tax

⁴⁸ Special City Election – Watsonville Urban Limit Line Amendment. City Initiative.

⁴⁹ Special Election – Scotts Valley Sales Tax/Loma Prieta School Parcel Tax (includes Santa Clara County)

⁵⁰ Special Election - CFD No. 2 (Lompico Water) Bond, Special Tax, Appropriations Limit

⁵¹ Special Property Owner Election – Pajaro Dunes Geologic Hazard Abatement District Board Vacancy

⁵² Reclamation District 2049 (College Lake) landowner election

⁵³ Santa Cruz City School District High School & Elementary School Parcel Tax Election

⁵⁴ Los Gatos-Saratoga Joint Union High School Parcel Tax Election

Election Date	Registration	Turnout	Percent	Vote-by-Mail Issued	Vote-by-Mail Counted
Aug 30, 2016 ⁵⁵	1,421	713	50.18	All Mail	All mail
Nov 2016	157,204	132,165	84.07	103,238	83,021
June 2018	152,387	72,382	47.50	95,730	47,612
Nov 2018	159,475	121,700	76.31	111,655	82,868 ⁵⁶
March 2020	163,526	103,900	63.54	121,579	70,678
Nov 2020	170,514	146,857	86.13	All Mail	133,782
Sept 2021 ⁵⁷	169,351	116,520	68.80	All Mail	110,281
Nov 2021	37,402	11,003	29.42	All Mail	10,862
Dec 2021 ⁵⁸	2,416	371	15.36	All Mail	359
June 2022	167,659	78,900	47.06	All Mail	74,627
Nov 2022	166,837	106,044	63.56	All Mail	96,522
Oct 2023	13,695	4,480	32.71	All Mail	4,443
Nov 2023	14,320	4,875	34.04	All Mail	4,825

⁵⁵ Branciforte Fire Protection District Parcel Tax Election

⁵⁶ VBM counted is from the SOV. The VBM reports do not include confidential voters or same day voters.

⁵⁷ Special Statewide Election to Recall Governor Gavin Newsom

⁵⁸ Special City Election to fill vacancy in the 2nd Watsonville City Council District

Appendix 1 – Vote Summaries

**Election Summary Report
Scotts Valley Fire Protection District
Santa Cruz
November 7, 2023
-Official Results-**

Elector Group	Counting Group	Voters Cast	Registered Voters	Turnout
Total	In Person	50	14,320	0.35%
	Vote by Mail	4,825		33.69%
	Total	4,875		34.04%

Precincts Reported: 5 of 5 (100.00%)

Voters Cast: 4,875 of 14,320 (34.04%)

W - Scotts Valley Fire Protection District Bond (Vote for 1)

Precincts Reported: 5 of 5 (100.00%)

	Total	
Times Cast	4,875 / 14,320	34.04%
Undervotes	6	
Overvotes	0	

Candidate	Total	
Bonds Yes	3,234	66.42%
Bonds No	1,635	33.58%
Total Votes	4,869	

1 W - Scotts Valley Fire Protection District Bond						
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		Registered Voters	Voters Cast	Turnout (%)	Bonds Yes	Bonds No
10151	In Person	852	2	0.23 %	1	1
10151	Vote by Mail	852	249	29.23 %	163	86
10151	Total	852	251	29.46 %	164	87
10229	In Person	249	1	0.40 %	1	
10229	Vote by Mail	249	57	22.89 %	36	21
10229	Total	249	58	23.29 %	37	21
10521	In Person	122	0	0.00 %		
10521	Vote by Mail	122	45	36.89 %	28	17
10521	Total	122	45	36.89 %	28	17
50011	In Person	4232	21	0.50 %	8	13
50011	Vote by Mail	4232	1440	34.03 %	896	541
50011	Total	4232	1461	34.52 %	904	554
54010	In Person	8865	26	0.29 %	17	9
54010	Vote by Mail	8865	3034	34.22 %	2084	947
54010	Total	8865	3060	34.52 %	2101	956
Electionwide	In Person	14320	50	0.35 %	27	23
Electionwide	Vote by Mail	14320	4825	33.69 %	3207	1612
Electionwide	Total	14320	4875	34.04 %	3234	1635
Total - In Person		14320	50	0.35 %	27	23
Total - Vote by Mail		14320	4825	33.69 %	3207	1612
Contest Total		14320	4875	34.04 %	3234	1635

1 W - Scotts Valley Fire Protection District Bond

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			Registered Voters	Voters Cast	Turnout (%)	Bonds Yes	Bonds No
Electionwide	Total	14320	4875	34.04 %	3234	1635	
19th Congressional District	Total	14320	4875	34.04 %	3234	1635	
17th Senatorial District	Total	14320	4875	34.04 %	3234	1635	
28th Assembly District	Total	14320	4875	34.04 %	3234	1635	
State Board of Equalization - District 2	Total	14320	4875	34.04 %	3234	1635	
1st Supervisorial District	Total	1223	354	28.95 %	229	125	
5th Supervisorial District	Total	13097	4521	34.52 %	3005	1510	
City of Scotts Valley	Total	8865	3060	34.52 %	2101	956	
Unincorporated Area	Total	5455	1815	33.27 %	1133	679	

1 W - Scotts Valley Fire Protection District Bond

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		Registered Voters	Voters Cast	Turnout (%)	Bonds Yes	Bonds No
Electionwide	Total	14320	50	0.35 %	27	23
19th Congressional District	Total	14320	50	0.35 %	27	23
17th Senatorial District	Total	14320	50	0.35 %	27	23
28th Assembly District	Total	14320	50	0.35 %	27	23
State Board of Equalization - District 2	Total	14320	50	0.35 %	27	23
1st Supervisorial District	Total	1223	3	0.25 %	2	1
5th Supervisorial District	Total	13097	47	0.36 %	25	22
City of Scotts Valley	Total	8865	26	0.29 %	17	9
Unincorporated Area	Total	5455	24	0.44 %	10	14

1 W - Scotts Valley Fire Protection District Bond

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		Registered Voters	Voters Cast	Turnout (%)	Bonds Yes	Bonds No
Electionwide	Total	14320	4825	33.69 %	3207	1612
19th Congressional District	Total	14320	4825	33.69 %	3207	1612
17th Senatorial District	Total	14320	4825	33.69 %	3207	1612
28th Assembly District	Total	14320	4825	33.69 %	3207	1612
State Board of Equalization - District 2	Total	14320	4825	33.69 %	3207	1612
1st Supervisorial District	Total	1223	351	28.70 %	227	124
5th Supervisorial District	Total	13097	4474	34.16 %	2980	1488
City of Scotts Valley	Total	8865	3034	34.22 %	2084	947
Unincorporated Area	Total	5455	1791	32.83 %	1123	665

Santa Cruz
Santa Cruz 2023 Special Fire District Election
November 7, 2023
FINAL Summary Report

W - Scotts Valley Fire Protection District Bond

(5 of 5 precincts reported)

Bonds Yes	3,234	66.42%
Bonds No	1,635	33.58%
Under Votes:	6	
Over Votes:		
Total	4,869	

Appendix 2 – Vote-by-Mail Statistics



Cumulative Ballots Issued By Voting Precinct

for Scotts Valley Fire Protection District Special Election on November 7, 2023

Ballot Issue Type:

	2nd - Counter	2nd - Mailed	e-mail	Mail	Military	Overseas	Vote Center Issue	Vote Center Issue-Retur	Xpat	Total
10151	0	4	10	850	1	0	0	2	1	868
10229	0	1	3	249	0	0	0	1	0	254
10521	0	0	1	121	0	0	0	0	0	122
50011	1	20	35	4227	0	1	1	22	3	4310
54010	1	75	67	8882	0	4	0	24	10	9063
Total	2	100	116	14329	1	5	1	49	14	14617



Cumulative Ballots Returned by Voting Precinct
for Scotts Valley Fire Protection District Special Election on November 7, 2023

Return Status:

Challenged Good Undeliverable Total

10151	2	251	6	259
10229	0	58	2	60
10521	1	45	2	48
50011	19	1459	45	1523
54010	23	3058	155	3236
Total	45	4871	210	5126



VBM Challenged Returns by Voting Precinct
for Scotts Valley Fire Protection District Special Election on November 7, 2023
All Districts in Election

Challenge Reasons --

		Empty envelope	Mismatch signature	Multiple ballots	No signature	Too late	Total
10151	866	0	0	0	0	2	868
10229	254	0	0	0	0	0	254
10521	121	0	0	0	0	1	122
50011	4291	0	1	0	0	18	4310
54010	9040	2	2	2	4	13	9063
Total	14572	2	3	2	4	34	14617



District Statistics Summary
Scotts Valley Fire Protection District Special Election - 11/7/2023

- Number of Voting Precincts -

District	Mail Ballot	Polling Place	Total	Total Registration
Fire Districts:				
FI05 Scotts Valley Fire Protection District	0	5	5	14,282



Vote-by-Mail/Regular/Voting Pct Xref (Summary - Voting/VBM Pct Order)

Scotts Valley Fire Protection District Special Election - 11/7/2023

VBM Pct	Regular Precinct	Voting Precinct	MB?	Ballot Type	VBM Pct	Regular Precinct	Voting Precinct	MB?	Ballot Type
8010151	10151 Pct 10151	10151 - 10151		1		54030 Pct 54030	54010 - 54010		1
	10152 Pct 10152	10151 - 10151		1		54031 Pct 54031	54010 - 54010		1
	10153 Pct 10153	10151 - 10151		1		54032 Pct 54032	54010 - 54010		1
	10161 Pct 10161	10151 - 10151		1		54033 Pct 54033	54010 - 54010		1
	10163 Pct 10163	10151 - 10151		1		54050 Pct 54050	54010 - 54010		1
	10165 Pct 10165	10151 - 10151		1		54051 Pct 54051	54010 - 54010		1
	10531 Pct 10531	10151 - 10151		1		54052 Pct 54052	54010 - 54010		1
	10533 Pct 10533	10151 - 10151		1		54060 Pct 54060	54010 - 54010		1
	8010229	10229 Pct 10229	10229 - 10229		1		54061 Pct 54061	54010 - 54010	
10230 Pct 10230		10229 - 10229		1		54070 Pct 54070	54010 - 54010		1
10231 Pct 10231		10229 - 10229		1		54071 Pct 54071	54010 - 54010		1
10233 Pct 10233		10229 - 10229		1		54072 Pct 54072	54010 - 54010		1
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10590 Pct 10590		10229 - 10229		1		54082 Pct 54082	54010 - 54010		1
10651 Pct 10651		10229 - 10229		1		54110 Pct 54110	54010 - 54010		1
10652 Pct 10652		10229 - 10229		1		54112 Pct 54112	54010 - 54010		1
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	10522 Pct 10522	10521 - 10521		1		54121 Pct 54121	54010 - 54010		1
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	50012 Pct 50012	50011 - 50011		1		54130 Pct 54130	54010 - 54010		1
	50015 Pct 50015	50011 - 50011		1		54131 Pct 54131	54010 - 54010		1
	50016 Pct 50016	50011 - 50011		1		54132 Pct 54132	54010 - 54010		1
	50017 Pct 50017	50011 - 50011		1		54134 Pct 54134	54010 - 54010		1
	50154 Pct 50154	50011 - 50011		1		54141 Pct 54141	54010 - 54010		1
	50232 Pct 50232	50011 - 50011		1		54142 Pct 54142	54010 - 54010		1
	50331 Pct 50331	50011 - 50011		1		54143 Pct 54143	54010 - 54010		1
	50332 Pct 50332	50011 - 50011		1					
	50333 Pct 50333	50011 - 50011		1					
	50334 Pct 50334	50011 - 50011		1					
	50340 Pct 50340	50011 - 50011		1					
	50342 Pct 50342	50011 - 50011		1					
	50343 Pct 50343	50011 - 50011		1					
	50344 Pct 50344	50011 - 50011		1					
	50350 Pct 50350	50011 - 50011		1					
	50451 Pct 50451	50011 - 50011		1					
	50452 Pct 50452	50011 - 50011		1					
	50500 Pct 50500	50011 - 50011		1					
	50504 Pct 50504	50011 - 50011		1					
	50505 Pct 50505	50011 - 50011		1					
	50506 Pct 50506	50011 - 50011		1					
	50522 Pct 50522	50011 - 50011		1					
	50541 Pct 50541	50011 - 50011		1					
	50543 Pct 50543	50011 - 50011		1					
	50550 Pct 50550	50011 - 50011		1					
	50790 Pct 50790	50011 - 50011		1					
8054010	54010 Pct 54010	54010 - 54010		1					
	54011 Pct 54011	54010 - 54010		1					
	54020 Pct 54020	54010 - 54010		1					

Total VBM Pcts: **5** Voting Pcts: **5** Ballot Types: **1**
Regular Pcts: **74**
 Whole: **74**
 Portioned: **0**

Appendix 3 – Provisional Ballot Statistics



Provisional Ballot Statistics

For District: Santa Cruz County

Scotts Valley Fire Protection District Special Election - 11/7/2023

Provisional Status

Provisional Reason

Voting Method

Breakdown by Provisional Status & Reason:

Reason

Total Provisional Voters Flagged for Outreach: 0

Total Provisional Voters with Cured Date/Time: 0

Breakdown by Voting Precinct:



Conditional Voter Registration Ballot Statistics

For District: Santa Cruz County

Scotts Valley Fire Protection District Special Election - 11/7/2023

Provisional Status	Total	CVR Reject Reason	Total	Voting Method	Total
Counted	1	Ballot Counted	1	Conditional Voter Registration	1
Total	1	Total	1	Total for all Voting Methods	1

Breakdown by CVR Status & Reason:

Reason	Counted	Total
Ballot Counted	1	1
Total	1	1

Total CVR Voters Flagged for Outreach: 0

Total CVR Voters with Cured Date/Time: 0

Breakdown by Voting Precinct:

	Counted		Grand Total
	Conditional Voter Registration	Total	
54010	1	1	1
Total:	1	1	1

Appendix 4 – Voter Registration



Registration and Returns by District

for Scotts Valley Fire Protection District Special Election on November 7, 2023

District	Registration	Ballots Returned	Percent Returned
County			
Santa Cruz County	14,282	4,871	34.11%
United States Representative			
19th Congressional District	14,282	4,871	34.11%
State Senator			
17th Senatorial District	14,282	4,871	34.11%
Member of the State Assembly			
28th Assembly District	14,282	4,871	34.11%
County Supervisor			
1st Supervisorial District	1,222	354	28.97%
5th Supervisorial District	13,060	4,517	34.59%
City			
City of Scotts Valley	8,843	3,058	34.58%
Board of Equalization (State)			
State Board of Equalization - District 2	14,282	4,871	34.11%
Unincorporated			
Unincorporated Area	5,439	1,813	33.33%
Appellate Court			
6th District Court of Appeal	14,282	4,871	34.11%
County Board of Education			
County Board of Education	14,282	4,871	34.11%
Community College			
Cabrillo Community College District	14,282	4,871	34.11%
Unified School District			
San Lorenzo Valley Unified School District	1	1	100.00%
Scotts Valley Unified School District	13,430	4,627	34.45%
High School District			
Santa Cruz City Schools District	851	243	28.55%
School District			
Happy Valley Elementary School District	1	1	100.00%
Santa Cruz City Elementary School District	850	242	28.47%
Santa Cruz Elementary School (in/out City)	850	242	28.47%
Santa Cruz Elementary School District (outside City)	850	242	28.47%
Port District			
Santa Cruz Port District	1,779	608	34.18%
Fire District			
Scotts Valley Fire Protection District	14,282	4,871	34.11%
Parks & Recreations District			
CSA 11 Unincorporated Parks & Recreation	5,439	1,813	33.33%
Resource Conservation District			
Resource Conservation District	5,439	1,813	33.33%
Water District			
San Lorenzo Valley Water District	2,261	918	40.60%
Scotts Valley Water District	7,724	2,575	33.34%
Soquel Creek Water District	34	7	20.59%
Mello-Roos			
Libraries Financing Authority 2016-1	14,282	4,871	34.11%



Registration by Voting Precinct & Party (Polling Place Precincts Only)
Scotts Valley Fire Protection District Special Election - 11/7/2023

Voting Precinct	N-P	DEM	REP	AIP	GRN	LIB	PAF	MISC	N-P	Total
10151 - 10151	0	471	159	29	10	6	4	5	168	852
10229 - 10229	0	141	45	3	1	4	1	4	50	249
10521 - 10521	0	70	22	5	0	4	0	3	18	122
50011 - 50011	0	2182	908	179	38	63	8	29	825	4232
54010 - 54010	0	4579	1849	320	57	132	25	71	1833	8866
Total	0	7443	2983	536	106	209	38	112	2894	14321

Appendix 5 – Polling Place Information

All Vote Location Totals

Category	Total
Issue Ballot in Envelope	1
Issue Ballot Vote Here	49
CVR - Issue Ballot in Envelope	0
CVR - Issue Ballot Vote Here	0
Grand total	50

All Vote Location Totals

Site Name	Issue Ballot in Envelope	Issue Ballot Vote Here	CVR - Issue Ballot in Envelope	CVR - Issue Ballot Vote Here	Subtotal
County Elections Office Room 310	1	11	0	0	12
Scotts Valley High School	0	36	0	0	36
Votemobile	0	2	0	0	2
Grand total	1	49	0	0	50

Appendix 6 – Canvass Activity Summaries

Canvass Activities Summary

November 7, 2023, Scotts Valley Fire Protection District Election

Auditing of the Voting Locations

Each location is responsible to complete a variety of forms at the close of the location each day of the voting period. Elections staff then audit those forms to account for all ballots issued and returned. For November 7, 2023, there were 3 voting locations available for voters to access for in-person voting or receive a replacement ballot. Below is a list of the voting locations with the days and hours of availability. All locations were audited and where the paperwork reflected discrepancies, those discrepancies were thoroughly researched and resolved. In all cases these were poll worker errors such as transcription errors or recording information in the wrong places.

Location	Dates Open	Hours Available
Santa Cruz County Elections Office	10/9 – 11/7	M-F 8am – 5pm Sat – Sun 9am – 5pm 11/7/2023 7am – 8pm
VoteMobile	10/24	7am – 8pm
Scotts Valley High School	11/4 – 11/7	M-F 8am – 5pm Sat – Sun 9am – 5pm 11/7/2023 7am – 8pm

1% Manual Tally

Per Elections Code Section 15360, 1% of precincts must be hand tallied to determine that the voting system is reading and tabulating votes correctly. For November 7, 2023, there were 5 voting precincts, which meant that only 1 precinct needed to be counted. Elections Code Section 15360 also states that all contests on the ballot need to be hand tallied. Because all of our ballots (vote by mail and in-person) were tabulated in batches, Santa Cruz County Elections Department determined that the in-person batch and 5 vote-by-mail batches would be drawn from the Election Night results and another 4 batches would be drawn after all vote by mail, same day registration and provisional ballots had been added to the count prior to certification. After making those selections, we would verify that all precincts were accounted for in those batches. If not, more batches would be drawn to fulfil the requirements.

Batches were randomly selected on Thursday, November 9 at 11am by staff. All batches are randomly selected by pulling a slip from a bowl. All contests on the ballot would be tallied. All votes cast in those batches were tallied including preprinted paper ballots and votes cast on the tablets. Blank ballots that were encountered (in any media) were tallied as

undervotes for each contest. Spoiled, cancelled, and otherwise invalidated ballots were not tallied as they are not valid ballots.

Vote-by-mail and paper ballots used at the voting locations were tallied by audit teams of 3 auditors. Duties were divided among team members with one-member reading from the ballot, and the other two members keeping independent, simultaneous tallies. Once all the ballots for that precinct had been read, then the totals on the tally sheets were compared against each other. When more than one contest was being tallied in a precinct, each one was done individually. The results were later compared to the central tally count and if the totals did not match, then the hand tally began again.

Materials used to complete the tallies were minimal, but included specialized tally sheets, pencils, and the central count reports.

Due to public health guidelines, not many observers were present during the canvass. However, we installed cameras in our office and in the rooms where we were conducting canvass activities that observers could utilize to observe our activities. Our office always welcomes observers and fielded many calls about the status of the activities. Because the audit was conducted at central elections, no additional security measures were required above and beyond normal security precautions in place.

Escalated Manual Tally

Measure W was particularly close, and it was decided to tally 100% of the ballots cast in that contest. That means that all 4,875 ballots in 57 batches were tallied in the same manner as the other batches in the 1%.

In the end, the results from the manual tally matched the machine results with 100% accuracy.

Search for Live Ballots

After searching through all the supplies and equipment that were returned from the polling sites, no live ballots were found.

Equipment Incidents

There were no incidents with the voting equipment for the November 7, 2023, election.

1% Manual Tally Batches

In Person	
Scanner	Batch
1	1

Vote By Mail	
Scanner	Batch
1	13
1	17
1	42
1	45
1	46