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| April 8, 2025 | 25420 West Newberry Road  |
| 7:00 PM | Newberry, Florida 32669 |
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**QUORUM CHECK**

Canvassing Board Mark Clark, Chair

 Monty Farnsworth, Member

 Judy Rice, Member

City Attorney Scott Walker

 Tom Robinson

City Staff

Records & Administrative Coordinator Jeannene Mironack

Alachua County Supervisor of Elections Office

Chief Deputy Supervisor Carl Delesdernier

**CALL TO ORDER**

Chair Clark called the City of Newberry 2025 Canvassing Board Meeting to order at 8:45 PM.

Chair Clark stated the purpose of this meeting is to canvass the vote-by-mail ballots and provisional ballots for the April 8, 2025 Newberry Municipal Election.

Chair Clark announced the following rules:

* Copying, recording, or photography of voter signatures is prohibited by law. Anyone in violation will be removed and not permitted to return during the election period.
* Members of the public shall not interrupt Canvassing Board meetings, except to make an objection as permitted by law or to respond to an inquiry by the Canvassing Board.
* Phones and other electronic devices must be placed on silent during the Canvassing Board meetings.
* Any individual who violates the procedures or disrupts the canvassing process may be removed.
* Printed copies of the complete Newberry Election Guidelines and Procedures for Observers and Public Inspection are available.

**MINUTES OF APRIL 2, 2025 CANVASSING BOARD MEETING**

**Motion to approve the April 2, 2025, Canvassing Board Meeting Minutes was made by Member Rice, Seconded by Member Farnsworth.**

Chair Clarke asked for public comments. There were none.

**Voting Yea: Chair Clark, Member Farnsworth, Member Rice.**

**MOTION PASSED 3-0**

**CONDUCT CANVASSING OF VOTE-BY-MAIL BALLOTS**

Chair Clark introduced Judy Rice, Newberry Municipal Supervisor of Elections, who explained the process of Canvassing of Vote-By-Mail Ballots. She stated that 109 Vote-By-Mail Ballots had been received, with the County Elections Office confirming that each signature matched the voter’s record.

The Canvassing Board approved accepting and opening these Vote-By-Mail envelopes, removing the ballots and secrecy sleeves. After opening, it was confirmed there were 109 empty envelopes. The ICE tabulator processed 108 ballots. Carl Delesdernier assisted with processing ballots. One ballot was returned as Overvoted. Mr. Delesdernier explained an Overvote is when a ballot shows marks for more choices than is allowed in a race, such as voting for two candidates where only one choice is allowed.

The Vote-By-Mail ICE tabulation was ended, causing the Results tape to print. The Vote-By-Mail tabulations were manually added to the Precinct Results.

The Canvassing Board reviewed the returned Ballot and unanimously determined the Voter’s Intent was a vote for Tony Mazon, with a filled-in oval, with a pen drop mark elsewhere in the Commission Group IV race. This ballot’s votes were manually added to the tally.

Clerk Rice stated there was one Vote-By Mail ballot with a signature that does not match the voter’s record. The Voter has been notified that their ballot must be cured by 5 PM Thursday, April 10, 2025, in order to be counted.

**CONDUCT CANVASSING OF PROVISIONAL BALLOTS READY FOR REVIEW**

Chair Clark introduced Jeannene Mironack, who explained the Provisional Ballot process. She stated there were two Provisional Ballots. Mr. Delesdernier restated that recording or photography of voter signatures is prohibited by law.

Ms. Rice stated that the Canvassing Board Members and Ms. Mironack completed the required Florida State University’s Florida Institute of Government 2025 Election Cycle Signature Verification course.

Ms. Mironack showed the Canvassing Board that the first Provisional Voter did not have any of the accepted forms of photo and signature identification. She stated that the Voter’s Registration and Newberry residency were confirmed prior to the meeting. Mr. Delesdernier shared images of the Voter’s Signature in the Voter’s record.

Ms. Mironack showed the Canvassing Board that the second Provisional Voter did not have any of the accepted forms of photo and signature identification. She stated that the Voter’s Registration and Newberry residency were confirmed prior to the meeting. Mr. Delesdernier shared images of the Voter’s Signature in the Voter’s record.

**Motion to accept two Provisional Ballots was made by Member Farnsworth, Seconded by Member Rice.**

Chair Clarke asked for public comments. There were none.

**Voting Yea: Chair Clark, Member Farnsworth, Member Rice.**

**MOTION PASSED 3-0**

Two Provisional Envelopes were opened and the votes were manually added to the tally.

**CONDUCT CANVASSING OF ELECTION NIGHT RETURNS**

Chair Clark announced the Unofficial Results, the preliminary total of precinct, vote-by-mail, and provisional ballots.

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| **UNOFFICIAL RESULTS** |  |  |
| **CITY OF NEWBERRY 2025 ELECTION** |  |  |
| **APRIL 8, 2025** |  |  |
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|  | **ELECTION DAY** | **VBM** | **HAND COUNT** | **TOTAL VOTES** |  |  |
| **ICE 1** | **ICE 2** | **ICE** |  | Overvotes | Undervotes |
| **Mayor** |   |   |   |   |   | 0 | 2 |
| Joy Glanzer | 354 | 359 | 73 | 2 | 788 |  |  |
| Tim Marden | 424 | 425 | 35 | 1 | 885 |  |  |
| **Commissioner Group IV** |   |   |   |   |   | 0 | 47 |
| Donald Lewis Long | 466 | 501 | 50 | 1 | 1018 |  |  |
| Steve Panaghi | 288 | 265 | 55 | 2 | 610 |  |  |
| **Commissioner Group V** |   |   |   |   |   | 0 | 21 |
| Rosa Marie Campbell | 227 | 219 | 62 | 2 | 510 |  |  |
| Tony Mazon | 536 | 561 | 46 | 1 | 1144 |  |  |

Chair Clark announced the deadline for a voter to cure their vote-by-mail is 5 PM, Thursday, April 10th, 2025. The City Clerk’s office has sent notification to this voter, in accordance with Florida Statutes.

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

Rosa Marie Campbell made comments.

**COMMENTS**

Chair Clark announced the Board of Canvassers shall meet on Thursday, April 10th, 2025 in the Mentholee Norfleet Municipal Building (Precinct 6) located at 25420 W Newberry Road, Newberry, Florida; at 4 PM to canvass the 2025 City of Newberry Municipal Election Vote-By-Mail Ballots. The public is invited and encouraged to attend.

**MEETING ADJOURNMENT**

Chair Clark declared the Canvassing Board Meeting adjourned at 9:44 PM.

Signed and approved on this 10th day of April 2025.

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Mark Clark, Chair Judy S. Rice, City Clerk