

## **Crawford County Board of Canvassers Meeting November 14, 2025**

**The Board of County Canvassers met at 9:00 AM, Friday, November 14, 2025 to canvass the ballots from the 2025 City-School General Election held November 4, 2025.**

Chairman Tom Moody served as the presiding officer.

Canvassers Carl Wood and Bruce Blair were present.

County Counselor Jim Emerson and Chief Election Officer Lisa Lusker were seated with the Board.

Chairman Wood led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Original Canvass from the 2025 City-School General Election held November 4, 2025, before the Crawford County Board of Canvassers.

Agenda:

- I. Ms. Lusker presented the challenged and provisional ballots
  - a. Those recommended to not be counted**
    - i. Twenty-Five ballots returned undeliverable
    - ii. Five Advance ballots received and postmarked after election day
    - iii. Three Advance ballots with signatures missing or mismatched
    - iv. One Voter failed to provide ID
    - v. Eight Voters not registered or moved from out of jurisdiction
  - b. Those recommended to be counted**
    - i. Forty-one Voters that moved within the voting district
    - ii. Four Voters with name changes
    - iii. Four, clerical or technical errors
    - iv. One signature missing but corrected by voter
    - v. Ten Voters who voted at the wrong polling place
    - vi. One Voter who were mailed a ballot but voted at polls

Ms. Lusker explained how Expressvotes are used to administer ballots for voters at the wrong polling place.

Ms. Lusker also presented the Provisional Ballot Reconciliation. Ms. Lusker asked that the Canvassers approve the ballots recommended for counting and for not counting as presented by the County Election Officer.

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**On the motion by the Board of Canvassers (25-463)** of Commissioner Moody and the second of Commissioner Blair to Accept the Recommendations of the County Election Officer for the Acceptance and Rejection of Provisional Ballots from the 2025 City-School General Election held November 4, 2025 in Crawford County.

Yeas: Commissioners Moody, Blair and Wood

Nays:

Present but not voting:

Absent or not voting:

**The motion prevailed.**

Election Director Gene Rountree-Garcia tabulated the aforementioned ballots to be included on the final results.

- II. Counting of all ballots approved for counting – DS200
  - a. Opening of sealed envelopes
  - b. Counting of ballots
  
- III. Presentation of Results
  - a. Presentation of the Zero Tapes
    - i. Presentation of Advance Ballot Zero Tapes – DS200
    - ii. Presentation of Polling Place Zero Tapes – DS200
  - b. Presentation of Original Canvass Results
    - i. Presentation of Advance Ballot Results – DS200
    - ii. Presentation of Polling Place Results Tapes – DS200
    - iii. Presentation of unofficial results from Original Canvass - Election Results Manager (ElectionWare)
    - iv. Presentation of post-election audit results

County Clerk Lusker explained the ‘vote for’ designations on the zero tapes for each polling place. She further discussed the elimination of the three-day grace period by the State of Kansas for future elections. She also discussed the statistics of write-ins. Commissioner Wood discussed voter turn-out statistics with County Clerk Lusker. County Clerk Lusker explained the law on allowing poll agents to acquire results reports on election night from their respective polling place.

County Clerk Lusker clarified a misstatement and discussed the process of verification of an advance voter who, instead, votes on election day

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(provisionally) at the polling place and that the aforementioned instance qualifies to be recommended to be counted.

County Clerk Lusker presented the post-election audit, how the races are determined and the subsequent results. She then discussed the write-in candidates that were projected to win their contest.

**On the motion by the Board of Canvassers (25-464)** of Commissioner Moody and the second of Commissioner Blair to recess the Board of County Canvassers at 9:24 AM

Yeas: Commissioners Moody, Blair and Wood

Nays:

Present but not voting:

Absent or not voting:

**The motion prevailed.**

- IV. Tabulation of results – ElectionWare
  - a. Results from the DS200
  - b. Tabulation of the final results

The final results report was presented to the Board of Canvassers. County Clerk Lusker discussed the write-in board with Commissioner Wood. She also mentioned the out-of-county school district results and the way they affect the final tallies of those respective races. She also presented the final tally of write-ins that won their contests.

- V. Motion to accept the Final Results Report and adjourn the meeting of the Board of Canvassers

**On the motion by the Board of Canvassers (25-465)** of Commissioner Moody and the second of Commissioner Blair to Accept the Final Results Report of the 2025 City-School General Election held November 4, 2025 in Crawford County.

Yeas: Commissioners Moody, Blair and Wood

Nays:

Present but not voting:

Absent or not voting:

**The motion prevailed.**

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**On the motion** of Commissioner Blair and the second of Commissioner Moody to adjourn the [November 14, 2025](#) meeting of the Board of Crawford County Canvassers at 9:46 AM.

Yeas: Commissioners Moody, Blair and Wood

Nays:

Present but not voting:

Absent or not voting:

**The motion prevailed.**

**In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed my official seal and submitted these minutes for the approval of the Board of Crawford County Canvassers:**

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**Lisa Lusker**

County Clerk and Chief Election Officer

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**This submission completed at the Crawford County Courthouse in Girard.**  
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