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SUBJECT: **November 3, 2020 Election - Post Election Update**

The canvass of the Presidential General Election remains in progress. Reconciliation of electronic rosters, the required hand tally of randomly selected batches of tabulated ballots and outreach to voters whose signature were missing or challenged continued again today. Processing of the more than 1,700 provisional/conditional ballots cast also continued today.

Tabulation of ballots was also accomplished again today and results have been updated for 4,627 ballots that had not previously been counted. **Updated Unofficial election results have been posted.**

Merced Elections continues to receive signature verifications from voters whose signature were challenged as not matching that on their registration record. Voters have until two days prior to the certification of this election to validate their signatures. Upon validation, the ballots may be processed and tabulated.

Almost 200 ballots, timely received by other counties and forwarded to Merced, were received today and will be processed.

The unofficial Election Day result may be viewed at the [Merced Elections webpage](#) or from the [Merced County main webpage](#). The website totals currently reflect ballots voted at the Voting Assistance Centers as well as Vote by Mail (VBM) ballots. Results will be updated again late Thursday afternoon.

The canvass will continue until complete. Upon completion of the Official Canvass, including all required activities, the election results will be certified.

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