The Morris County Board of Elections performed an audit consistent with the provisions of N.J.S.A 19:61-9.

The General Election held on November 2, 2021 was conducted using the Dominion AVC Advantage voting machine at the polls on Election Day. These machines do not have a voter verified paper audit trail and are exempt from the audit. The (9) days of Early Voting was conducted using the ES&S Express Vote XL Ballot Marking device voting machine, these and the Vote-By-Mail and Provisional Ballots were all part of the audit.

Morris County is comprised of (6) Legislative Districts. Pursuant to the statute, based on the number of election districts in each Legislative District a random selection of 2% or at least (2) units/batches of all paper ballot units/batches for each Legislative District were audited.

The following audit units were randomly selected:

21st Legislative District Batch 24 – Long Hill & Batch 45 – Chatham Boro
24th Legislative District Batch 146 – Mount Olive & Batch 139 – Mount Olive
25th Legislative District Batch 124 – Mountain Lakes, Batch 130 – Randolph,
Batch 133 – Randolph, Batch 136 – Randolph, Batch 10 – Mine Hill
26th Legislative District Batch 125 – Parsippany, Batch 7 – Lincoln Park & Batch 2 – Lincoln Park
27th Legislative District Batch 38 – Hanover & Batch 21 – Florham Park*
40th Legislative District Batch 77 – Riverdale & Batch 183 - Riverdale

In each unit/batch, the hand to eye audit was 100% consistent with the scanned tally report with the exception of Florham Park where a candidate had a one vote difference. Any paper ballot which contained an over-vote for a contest recorded it as an over-vote and did not count the vote. The audit did not tally under-votes.

Respectfully Submitted on December 7, 2020 by:

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