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**DCBOE Has Completed the Recount in Ward 5 Member of the Council Race**

**WASHINGTON, D.C.** - On July 25, 2018, the District of Columbia Board of Elections (DCBOE) began a recount of the votes cast in the Ward 5 Member of the Council Democratic Primary Election contest, which was held on June 19, 2018. The petition for recount was submitted by candidate Gayle Hall Carley. The recount began at 10:00 am on July 25, 2018 and concluded for the day at close of business. The recount was scheduled to start again on Thursday, July 26, 2018; however, Ms. Carley submitted a request to terminate the recount effective July 26, 2018.

On July 25, DCBOE recounted all ballots cast in precincts 19, 66, 67, and 74. The request to terminate the recount was submitted to DCBOE after these four precincts were completed. Results of the recounted precincts were the same as the certified election results with the exception of Precinct 66. In that precinct, the certified election results showed that candidate Kenyan McDuffie received 961 votes, and the recount results showed that he received 960 votes. This one-vote difference had no impact on the outcome of that contest. Accordingly, DCBOE will not make a new certification of the election results.

**Recount Results Report for June 19, 2018 Democratic Primary Election for  
 Ward Five Member of the Council**

**Precinct 19**

<b>Candidate</b>	<b>Certified Election Results</b>	<b>Recount Results</b>
Kenyan McDuffie	517	517
Bradley Thomas	306	306
LaMonica Jeffrey	17	17
Gayle Hall Carley	61	61
Nestor Djonkam	4	4
Write-in	8	8

**Precinct 66**

<b>Candidate</b>	<b>Certified Election Results</b>	<b>Recount Results</b>
Kenyan McDuffie	961	960
Bradley Thomas	118	118
LaMonica Jeffrey	45	45
Gayle Hall Carley	149	149
Nestor Djonkam	2	2
Write-in	5	5

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**Precinct 67**

<b>Candidate</b>	<b>Certified Election Results</b>	<b>Recount Results</b>
Kenyan McDuffie	610	610
Bradley Thomas	67	67
LaMonica Jeffrey	16	16
Gayle Hall Carley	195	195
Nestor Djonkam	5	5
Write-in	1	1

**Precinct 74**

<b>Candidate</b>	<b>Certified Election Results</b>	<b>Recount Results</b>
Kenyan McDuffie	582	582
Bradley Thomas	118	118
LaMonica Jeffrey	32	32
Gayle Hall Carley	125	125
Nestor Djonkam	4	4
Write-in	5	5

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