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**Results of Post-Election Audit for the April 28, 2015 Special Election**

**WASHINGTON, D.C.** – The District of Columbia Board of Elections (DCBOE) announces the results of the post-election audit conducted on Monday, May 11, 2015. In accordance with District regulations, DCBOE randomly selected two precincts per ward for the audit. The results of the audit are listed below:

**Ward 4 Member of the Council**

Ward	Precinct	Machine Count	Manual Count	Variance
4	55	405	404	-0.002
4	65	577	575	-0.003
Total		982	979	-0.003

**Ward 8 Member of the Council**

Ward	Precinct	Machine Count	Manual Count	Variance
8	118	422	418	-0.010
8	122	330	331	+0.003
Total		752	749	.004

The audit resulted in small discrepancies between the machine count results and the hand count results. Differences between the machine count and the hand count are commonly the result of either additional or incomplete marks made by a voter on the ballot, or counting errors on the part of the audit teams. Each discrepancy was within the margin of error specified by law of .25% or 20% of the margin of victory.

The Board will certify the official results of the April 28, 2015 Special Election during its public meeting on Thursday, May 14, 2015 at 10:30 a.m. The public meeting will be held in the Board’s Hearing Room, located at 441 4<sup>th</sup> Street, NW, Suite 280 North.

*The District of Columbia Board of Elections is the independent agency of the District of Columbia government responsible for the administration of elections, ballot access, and voter registration.*

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