

CANVASS OF VOTES CAST
AT THE
SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION
HELD ON MARCH 24, 2001

NORTHWEST COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

JACKSON and INGHAM COUNTIES, MICHIGAN

STATEMENT OF VOTES CAST

The statement of votes cast in the four voting precincts of the NORTHWEST COMMUNITY SCHOOLS at the Special Election held on Saturday, March 24, 2001 has been filed with the Jackson County Clerk and with this Board. Having examined and considered said statement, this Board has canvassed the votes cast for the **special bond proposal** as follows:

BONDING PROPOSAL

Shall Northwest Community Schools, Jackson and Ingham Counties, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Thirty-Three Million Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$33,700,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefor, for the purpose of:

Erecting, furnishing and equipping additions to, and remodeling, refurbishing and re-equipping school buildings; acquiring and installing educational technology; and developing and improving outdoor physical education and athletic facilities, playfields and sites?

The following is informational purposes only:

The maximum number of years the bonds may be outstanding, exclusive of any refunding, will not exceed twenty-one (21) years. The estimated millage that will be levied for the proposed bonds in the year 2001 is 6.00 mills (\$6.00 per \$1,000 of taxable valuation). The estimated simple average annual millage anticipated to be required to retire this bond debt is 5.34 mills (\$5.34 per \$1,000 of taxable valuation).

(Pursuant to State law, expenditure of bond proceeds must be audited, and the proceeds cannot be used for repair or maintenance costs, teacher, administrator or employee salaries, or other operating expenses.)

The TOTAL NUMBER OF PEOPLE voting at this election as shown by the POLL BOOK

was: Four Thousand Nine Hundred eighteen (4,918).

Precinct I:	<u>One thousand sixty one</u>	(1,061)
Precinct II:	<u>One thousand four hundred seventynine</u>	(1,479)
Precinct III:	<u>Seven hundred fifty seven</u>	(757)
Precinct IV:	<u>One thousand six hundred twenty one</u>	(1,621)

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The total number votes cast **FOR** the proposal: One thousand eight hundred sixty nine (1,869)

Precinct I:	<u>Three hundred ninety seven</u>	(397)
Precinct II:	<u>Four hundred twenty one</u>	(421)
Precinct III:	<u>Two hundred thirty two</u>	(232)
Precinct IV:	<u>Eight hundred nineteen</u>	(819)

The total number votes cast **AGAINST** the proposal: ~~Two thousand nine hundred ninety six~~ (2,996)

Precinct I:	<u>Six hundred sixty</u>	(660)
Precinct II:	<u>One thousand thirty four</u>	(1,034)
Precinct III:	<u>Five hundred twenty one</u>	(521)
Precinct IV:	<u>Seven hundred eighty one</u>	(781)

The total number of **INVALID** votes: Fifty three (53)

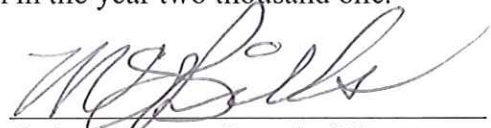
Precinct I:	<u>Four</u>	(4)
Precinct II:	<u>Twenty four</u>	(24)
Precinct III:	<u>Four</u>	(4)
Precinct IV:	<u>Twenty one</u>	(21)


The proposal is declared to have FAILED.

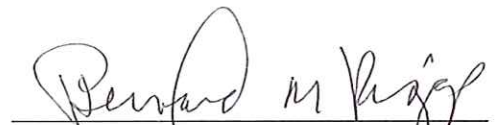
STATE OF MICHIGAN)
COUNTY OF JACKSON) ss

We Do Hereby Certify, That the foregoing is a correct statement of the votes cast at the Special Election for Northwest Community Schools on Saturday, March 24, 2001 in the Counties of Jackson and Ingham, as appears from the original statement on file in the Office of the Jackson County Clerk.

In Witness Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and affixed the Seal of the Circuit Court for the County of Jackson on this 28th day of March in the year two thousand one.


Jackson County Board of Canvassers


Dennis L. Dewilson
Jackson County Board of Canvassers


Bernard M. Page
Jackson County Board of Canvassers

Jackson County Board of Canvassers

A true Copy.

ATTEST:


Clerk of the County of Jackson,
State of Michigan

RECOUNT RETURN - PAPER PRECINCTS

Office or Proposal Bond Proposal District Northwest Schools
Party N/A (If Primary) County Jackson & Ingham Date Recount: 3-28-01
City/Township N/A Ward N/A Precinct 2

GENERAL INFORMATION

Number of voters as shown by poll book 1479

Determination of Recountability of Precinct

A. Ballot Box Seal:

Seal number as shown by poll book 888501
Does the number on this seal agree with number shown in poll book? Yes No
Is the seal placed on the ballot box in such a way that ballots cannot be removed from the box without breaking seal? Yes No

B. Ballot Bag Seal:

Seal number on ballot bag as shown by poll book 911195
Does the seal number on the bag agree with the number in poll book? Yes No
Are ballot bags involved in recount sealed in such a way that no ballot can be removed without breaking the seal? Yes No

C. Count the Ballots!

Is the number of ballots in the ballot bag equal to the number of voters listed in the poll book? Yes No

D. Recountability

Is precinct recountable? (If not recountable; explain under "Comments") Yes No
Ballot box and bag opened by Dennis Rowleson Position Caucuses

Recount of Votes

Deliver the ballots to the recount table for recounting.
Tally ballots on form provided.
If any challenged ballots, dictate the challenges into the verbatim record.

