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Franklin County Primary Election Results

(Columbus) Unofficial returns show 22.58 percent of eligible Franklin County voters casting ballots in yesterday's primary election with 184,352 voting out of 816,434 registered.

The totals include 83,114 absentee ballots cast by mail or in person at the board of elections and received by 7:30 p.m. on election night. There were 3,468 provisional ballots cast. The eligibility of those voters must be verified before their ballots are tabulated in the official canvass.

Primary election voters chose nominees for federal, state, county and local offices from six political parties to appear on the general election ballot in November. They also voted on two state constitutional amendments, various tax levies and local liquor options.

Unofficial results are posted online at <http://vote.franklincountyohio.gov> with separate reports listing returns for Franklin County only and Franklin County with overlap counties.

The board of elections must certify the results of today's election by May 25.

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