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Board of Elections Certifies Primary Results One Recount Necessary

(Columbus) The Franklin County Board of Elections certified results of the May 6, 2014 primary election this afternoon.

Official totals show a turnout of 16.72 percent with 133,152 voting out of 796,483 registered. This includes 17,695 voting absentee and 1,104 casting valid provisional ballots out of 1,283 submitted.

A recount will be conducted next Wednesday, May 28 at 9:00 a.m. for a Franklin Township Gas Aggregation issue. It was defeated by three votes placing it within the margin for mandatory recounts under Ohio law.

The board also certified two issues for the Aug. 5 special election at today's meeting- a levy for fire services in Jefferson Township and a levy for Licking Heights Schools in Franklin County's portion of that district.

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