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SUBJECT: **November 6, 2018 Election Day Post Election Update**

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The canvass of the Gubernatorial General Election remains in progress. The opening of verified provisionally cast ballots, already sorted to the appropriate precinct, is underway. Duplication of ballots, for those voters who voted provisionally on an incorrect ballot type, is nearing completion.

Review of the Conditional Voter Registration Provisional ballots is underway. There is a significant amount of data-entry that must be completed for voters who registered to vote and voted in this manner.

The hand tally of the certified write in candidates is underway. Certified write in candidates were possible in the following contests:

- City of Los Banos - Mayor
- City of Merced - Councilmember, District 2
- Delhi County Water – Director

At this time, we anticipate updating the election results on Saturday, December 1<sup>st</sup>. It is further anticipated that at that time, the election results will be final. Voters whose signature was challenged have until 5pm today to provide signature verification information to our office. With the update of the final count and the completion of the various election canvass related activities, I will certify the election.

Finally, in anticipation of the certification, preparation of certificates is underway.

The unofficial election results may be viewed at the [Merced Elections webpage](#) or from the [Merced County main webpage](#).

The canvass will continue until complete. California law requires certification of this election to be on or before Thursday, December 6, 2018, which is 30-days following Election Day.

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