



STATE OF MICHIGAN  
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**Meeting  
of the  
Board of State Canvassers**

**December 18, 2008  
State Capitol, Room 426  
Lansing, Michigan**

**Called to order:** 10:11 a.m.

**Members present:** Erane C. Washington-Kendrick – Chairperson  
Norman D. Shinkle – Vice-Chairperson  
Lyn R. Bankes  
James L. Waters

**Members absent:** None.

**Agenda item:** Consideration of meeting minutes for approval.

**Board action on agenda item:** Motion to approve as submitted. Moved by Shinkle; supported by Waters. Ayes: Washington-Kendrick, Shinkle, Waters, Bankes. Nays: None. Motion carried.

**Agenda item:** Report on the recount of votes cast at the November 4, 2008 general election for the candidates who sought election to the office of Circuit Court Judge, Circuit 48.

**Board action on agenda item:** The Board accepted testimony from Pat Foster, Editor, West Michigan News Company; and Joyce A. Watts, Allegan County Clerk. At the conclusion of the testimony, a motion was entered to certify the results obtained at the recount. Moved by Bankes; supported by Waters. Ayes: Shinkle, Waters, Bankes. Nays: None. Abstain: Washington-Kendrick.

**Adjourned:** 11:33 a.m.

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