



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

**August 31, 2010
State Capitol, Room 424
Lansing, Michigan**

Called to order: 10:09 a.m.

Members present: Norman D. Shinkle – Chairperson
Erane C. Washington-Kendrick – Vice-Chairperson
Jeffrey Timmer
James Waters

Members absent: None

Agenda item: Consideration of meeting minutes for approval.

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

Agenda item: Consideration of objection filed by Maureen Stapleton to oppose the conduct of a vote recount requested by Mary Sheffield, a Democratic candidate who sought nomination to the office of State Representative, District 4, at the August 3, 2010 primary.

Testimony: Testimony was accepted from Scott Eldridge, attorney for Maureen Stapleton; Renette Jackson, attorney for Mary Sheffield; Al Horton; and Mary Sheffield.

Board action on agenda item: Motion to reject the recount petition challenge and allow the recount to proceed. Moved by Washington-Kendrick; supported by Waters. Ayes: Shinkle, Washington-Kendrick, Waters. Nays: Timmer. Motion carried.

Adjourned: 11:11 a.m.

Chairperson

Vice-Chairperson

Member

Member

Date