



COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
TOWN OF WRENTHAM
OFFICE OF THE TOWN CLERK

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MINUTES OF THE
STATE PRIMARY ELECTION
SEPTEMBER 9, 2014

The ballots were delivered to the polls from Town Hall by Town Clerk Carol Mollica and Officer Halloway at 6:15 AM.

The ballot boxes were opened and examined by Officer Halloway, with Asst. Town Clerk Ellen Wojcik and Warden Mary Geromini assisting. A test tabulation was run and the zero results were posted. The AutoMARK handicap voting machine was turned on. The keys were handed over to Officer Halloway.

The polls were opened at 7:00 am with the reading of the warrant by Warden Mary Geromini. There were two voters standing in line to cast their ballots. Sample ballots, Instructions to Voters, and the Voters Bill of Rights were posted.

The election workers were sworn in and their reminders and instructions for write-ins were reviewed.

Election workers were:

Precinct 1 IN – Nancy Mure, Kendra Farling; OUT – Cheri Leonard, Sharon Pazurcek
 Clerk – Marilyn Cataldo
Precinct 2 IN – Marylou Barton, Mel Gouthro; OUT – Darryl Luce, Chip Harris
 Clerk – William Jones
Precinct 3 IN – Sue Martisius, Susan Harris; OUT – Elizabeth Gallagher, Karen Suchy
 Clerk – Lynn Hallion

Officers on duty during the day were Officer David Halloway, Officer Jonathan Coliflores, Officer Daniel Morriss, and Lt. Michael Robillard.

At the close of registration for this election, there were 7,700 registered voters. Voter turnout was very slow at the beginning and continued slow for the entire day, which is typical of a primary election. In the first hour, .57% of the voters had cast their ballots.

There was the usual number of inactive voters processed, and a few voters who thought they were registered in a different party or registered as Unenrolled. They were given party change cards if they wanted to change their party. There were an unusual number of inactive voters who complained about having to show an ID to become active again. The process was explained, and although the voters eventually showed their ID's, they were not happy about it.

All voting machines ran well with no problems. There was one provisional ballot in Precinct which was placed in the side pocket.

At 8:00 pm, Warden Geromini declared the polls officially closed. There were no voters waiting to vote. The workers immediately started reconciling their books, and the computers were programmed for tabulation. Results of the election were available by approximately 9:00 PM, excluding the write-in votes. The Warden read the unofficial results to those present. There were 923 voters who had cast ballots, or 11.98%. The last regular state primary drew 9.2% of the registered voters.

There were 8 Affirmations of Current and Continuous Residence for Inactive Voters in Precinct 1; 6 in Precinct 2; and 5 in Precinct 3. There was one provisional ballot, and six spoiled ballots.

All materials were returned to Town Hall at approximately 10:30 pm.

Official results of the election are attached.

A True Copy, Attest: Carol A. Mollica
Carol A. Mollica
Wrentham Town Clerk

RESULTS - 9/9/14

	PCT. 1	PCT. 2	PCT 3	Results
DEMOCRAT				
SENATOR IN CONGRESS				
Edward J. Markey	122	102	153	377
WRITE-IN	9	1	3	13
BLANK	56	41	53	150
	187	144	209	540
GOVERNOR				
Donald M. Berwick	49	26	31	106
Martha Coakley	64	56	87	207
Steven Grossman	71	62	88	221
WRITE-IN	0	0	0	0
BLANK	3	0	3	6
	187	144	209	540
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR				
Leland Cheung	44	38	39	121
Stephen J. Kerrigan	79	65	109	253
Michael E. Lake	27	16	29	72
WRITE-IN	0	0	0	0
BLANK	37	25	32	94
	187	144	209	540
ATTORNEY GENERAL				
Maura Healey	120	88	123	331
Warren E. Tolman	57	51	81	189
WRITE-IN	0	0	0	0
BLANK	10	5	5	20
	187	144	209	540
SECRETARY OF STATE				
William Francis Galvin	131	114	171	416
WRITE-IN	1	0	1	2
BLANK	55	30	37	122
	187	144	209	540

DISTRICT ATTORNEY									
Michael W. Morrissey	118	97	156	371					
WRITE-IN	1	1	1	3					
BLANK	68	46	52	166					
	187	144	209	540					
REGISTER OF PROBATE									
Patrick W. McDermott	115	95	153	363					
WRITE-IN	0	0	1	1					
BLANK	72	49	55	176					
	187	144	209	540					
COUNTY TREASURER									
Joseph A. Connolly	114	94	150	358					
WRITE-IN	0	0	1	1					
BLANK	73	50	58	181					
	187	144	209	540					
COUNTY COMMISSIONER									
Peter H. Collins	112	92	150	354					
WRITE-IN	0	1	1	2					
BLANK	75	51	58	184					
	187	144	209	540					

