

USGenWeb Election Committee

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Third Quarter Report of the Election Committee 2006

TO: National Coordinator and Advisory Board, USGenWeb FROM: USGenWeb Elections Committee SUBJECT: EC REPORT THIRD QUARTER 2006 DATE: October 5, 2006

JULY 2006

Voting was delayed six days due to a technical problem out of the control of the EC.

Passwords were mailed on July 6, for voting beginning 7 July. Voting was scheduled to continue through August 4th.

There were 80 bounces from the 1948 password mailings. Many where what the EC terms "chronic" bounces, i.e. members who had bounced previously on two or more occasions. Two members reported receiving two passwords, and one member received several duplicate password notes. The errors were quickly corrected.

Due to a coding problem, voters in the NENC region experienced problems when voting for the two CC rep seats. The code was corrected on Monday after the election started. The votes cast before the error was corrected were not recorded, for those who received the error message. Those members were instructed to return to the ballot and vote again. No double votes were included in the totals.

July 11 - The membership list containing 2207 names was prepared for the July Newsletter. There were 91 bounces, the vast majority considered "chronic" bounces, wherein the same members have repeatedly bounced.

AUGUST 2006

Aug 4 - Voting ended. Notice was placed on the EC website that results would be released between August 7-12. The results came in and were released on August 10.

National Coordinator One Year Term Ending 31 August 2007 Total Votes 374 The EC declares a Run-Off between candidates Scott Burow and Bill Oliver Scott Burow.....186 - 49.733 % Paulette Carpenter... 80 - 21.39 % Bill Oliver..... 108 - 28.877%

Representative At Large To complete Two Year Term Ending 8/31/2007

Total Votes 371 The EC declares a Run-Off between candidates Michael A. Peterson and Fred Smoot

Bobbie Dunn...... 88 - 23.720% Michael A. Peterson....149 - 40.162% Fred Smoot......134 - 36.118%

NENC County Coordinator Representative Two Year Term Ending 8/31/2008

Total Votes - 108 The EC declares Alice Allen Winner

Alice Allen......67 - 62.037% Jeff Scism41 - 37.963 %

NENC County Coordinator Representative To Complete Two Year Term Ending 8/31/2007

Total Votes - 111 The EC declares Jan Cortez Winner

Debra Beheler......52 - 46.847% Jan Cortez......59 - 53.153%

NWPL County Coordinator Representative Two Year Term Ending 8/31/2008

Total Votes - 79 The EC declares Greta Thompson winner

Jason Mendenhall ...21 - 26.582% Greta Thompson.....58 - 73.418%

SEMA State Coordinator Representative Two Year Term Ending 8/31/2008

Total Votes - 13 The EC declares a Run-Off between candidates Freddie Spradlin, Paul Buckley, and Mari Byers Darrel Bell......1 - 7.692% Paul Buckley.....3 - 23.077% Mari Byers......3 - 23.077% Heather DeGeorge..2 - 15.385% Freddie Spradlin.....4 - 30.769%

SEMA County Coordinator Representative Two Year Term Ending 8/31/2008

Total votes 149 The EC declares Linda Blum-Barton Winner

Donna Allen59 - 39.597% Linda Blum-Barton ... 90 - 60.403%

SWSC State Coordinator Representative Two Year Term Ending 8/31/2008

Unopposed - The EC declares Larry Flesher Winner

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SWSC County Coordinator Representative Two Year Term Ending 8/31/2008

Total Votes - 104 The EC declares Phyllis Rippee Winner

Don Kelly......37 - 35.577% Phyllis Rippee.....67 - 64.423%

August 14 - The membership list containing 2160 names was prepared for the August newsletter, mailed on August 21. There were 69 bounces These bounces were not worked due to the password mailings which were sent out at the same time.

August 20 - Passwords for the Run-Off election were mailed on the 20th and 21st. There were 71 bounces. Voting began on August 22, and continued through August 28th.

August 29 - Run off results were announced:

National Coordinator One Year Term Ending 31 August 2007

Total Votes 330 The EC declares Scott Burrow Winner Scott Burow.....210.. 63.6364% Bill Oliver..... 120.. 36.3636%

Representative At Large To complete Two Year Term Ending 8/31/2007

Total Votes 327 The EC declares Michael A. Peterson Winner

Michael A. Peterson....225...68.8073% Fred Smoot......102.. 31.1927%

SEMA State Coordinator Representative Two Year Term Ending 8/31/2008

Total Votes - 13 The EC declares Paul Buckley Winner

Paul Buckley.....7.. 53.8462% Mari Byers......2.. 15.3846 % Freddie Spradlin.....4.. 30.7692%

SEPTEMBER 2006

September 1 - Incoming NC Scott Burow was subscribed to the EC List.

September 4 - Former NC Linda Haas Davenport was unsubscribed from the EC List.

A total of 65 members and former members were removed from the registered and membership lists due to chronic bounces. Approximately 100 additional post-election updates were handled over the next several days.

September 4 - Citing time limitations due to job and school, D. Joshua Taylor resigned from the EC.

Preparations were made to begin fourth quarter updates.

Respectfully submitted, The USGenWeb Election Committee



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