

FROM THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE STATE
Elections Services Division
30 Trinity Street - 2nd Floor
Hartford CT 06106

CANVASS OF ELECTORS
STATEMENT OF REGISTRARS AS TO COMPLETION
(Section 9-32)

We, the undersigned Registrars, hereby state under penalty of false statement that the canvass of electors required under Section 9-32 of the General Statutes of Connecticut was properly conducted between January 2, ~~2017~~ ²⁰²⁴ and ~~April 30, 2017~~, inclusive, on the date(s) specified below and by the method indicated in the:

JUNE 30, 2024

TOWN OF

SOUTHINGTON

METHOD:

- House-to-House Canvass
- Mail Canvass
- National Change of Address System of the U.S. Postal Service
- Telephone Canvass
- Combination of House-to-House, Mail and Telephone Canvass as specified and explained here:

DATE(S) CONDUCTED:



Registrars of Voters



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NOTE: All Registrars of Voters of a town must sign this form

Total Hours - 25

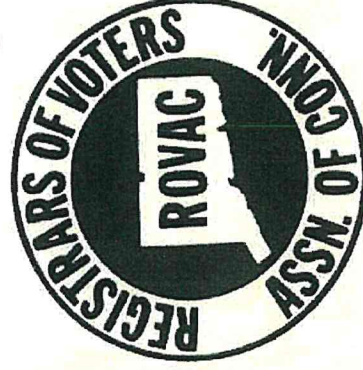
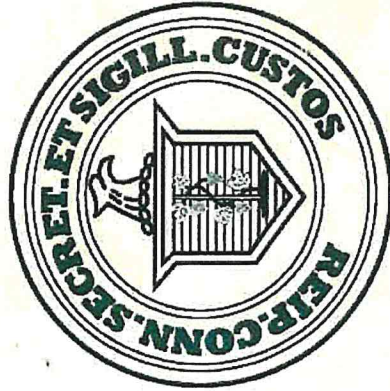
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This certifies that

August A. Palmer III

Has successfully completed

Registrar of Voters Certification Program
August 23th, 2023



Awarded by the Connecticut Information Technology Institute

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Date

9.19.23



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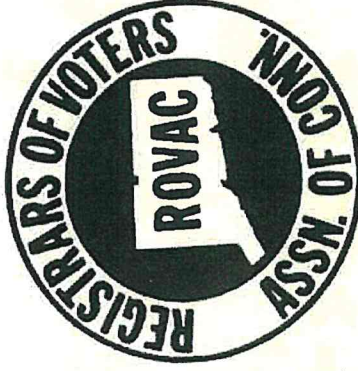
This certifies that



Elaine D. Bedard

Has successfully completed

Registrar of Voters Certification Program
August 23th, 2023



Awarded by the Connecticut Information Technology Institute

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9.19.23

Date

My Member Status August Palmer

Your Membership is in good standing.

2024 Education credits - 15.50 hours

Fall 2024 Education credits - 4.50 hours

Tuesday, September 17th, 2024 Education credits - 4.50 hours

Town/M	Class	Education Hours
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	ROVAC Day Continuing ED	4.50
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Active Credits

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Spring Conference 2024 Education credits - 11.00 hours

Wednesday, April 10th, 2024 Education credits - 4.00 hours

Class	Education Hours
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Education Credit	4.00
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Thursday, April 11th, 2024 Education credits - 4.00 hours

Class	Education Hours
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Education Credit	4.00
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Friday, April 12th, 2024 Education credits - 3.00 hours

Class	Education Hours
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Education Credit	3.00
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2023 Education credits - 8.00 hours

Fall Conference 2023 Education credits - 0.00 hours

Spring 2023 ROVAC Conference Education credits - 8.00 hours

Tuesday, April 4th, 2023 Education credits - 3.00 hours

Class	Education Hours
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CVRS Below the surface	1.00
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Pollworker training and Recruitment	1.00
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Navigating Title 9	1.00
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Wednesday, April 5th, 2023 Education credits - 2.00 hours

Class	Education Hours
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Election Assistance	2.00
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My Member Status: Elaine D. Bedard

Your Membership is in good standing.

2024 Education credits - 12.50 hours

Fall 2024 Education credits - 4.50 hours

Tuesday, September 17th, 2024 Education credits - 4.50 hours

Town/V Class	Education Hours
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2023 Education credits - 14.00 hours

Fall Conference 2023 Education credits - 6.50 hours

Tuesday, September 19th, 2023 Education credits - 4.00 hours

Class	Education Hours
Supervised Absentee Ballots	1.00
Election Calendar Plus	1.00
Election Center Informative Voter Outreach	1.00
Emergency Preparation and Plans	1.00

Wednesday, September 20th, 2023 Education credits - 2.50 hours

Class	Education Hours
Uconn Certification	0.50
Registrars office FAQ	0.50
CVRS 3.0	1.50



August 26, 2024

Town Manager Mark J Sciota

75 Main Street

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Linda Szykowitz

From: Kim Brayall <brayallk@southington.org>
Sent: Wednesday, October 9, 2024 3:26 PM
To: Linda Szykowitz
Subject: RE: FOIA Request 9.03.2024
Attachments: ROVAC Education Credits - August Palmer.pdf; ROVAC Education Credits - Elaine Bedard.pdf

Good Afternoon,

Attached please find the current education hours for Southington Registrars, August Palmer and Elaine Bedard, requested on September 23, 2024.

Best,

Kim Brayall

Executive Assistant
Town Manager's Office
Town of Southington
75 Main Street
Southington, CT 06489
(860) 276-6200



From: Kim Brayall
Sent: Monday, September 23, 2024 4:18 PM
To: 'Linda Szykowitz' <linda@fightvoterfraud.org>
Subject: RE: FOIA Request 9.03.2024

Ms. Szykowitz,

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From: Linda Szykowitz <linda@fightvoterfraud.org>
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From: Kim Brayall <brayallk@southington.org>
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To: 'Linda@fightvoterfraud.org' <Linda@fightvoterfraud.org>

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From: Mark Sciota <sciotam@southington.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 3, 2024 11:24 AM
To: Linda Szynkowicz
Subject: Automatic reply: FOIA Request

Please be advised that I have officially retired as the Town Manager of the Town of Southington effective June 30, 2024. I will continue to remotely monitor my emails for a transition period, but for immediate attention please contact the new Town Manager, Alex J. Ricciardone, at ricciardonea@southington.org

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Exhibit B



ResearchReport

Documenting Completion of the Canvass of Electors

By: Kristin Sullivan, Chief Analyst
August 31, 2020 | 2020-R-0228

Issue

Discuss the requirement under Connecticut law for municipalities to document their annual canvass of electors.

Summary

By law, registrars of voters must conduct an annual canvass of electors, between January 1 and May 1, to gather information about electors' residency and eligibility to remain on the voter registry list (CGS § 9-32 and Conn. Agencies Regs. §§ 9-32-1 to 9-32-9). (Registrars in municipalities holding May municipal elections are not required to conduct a canvass in odd-numbered years.) Registrars may conduct the canvass by door-to-door canvassing, mail or the U.S. Postal Service's National Change of Address system, telephone, or a combination of these methods.

State law requires registrars of voters to document the canvass with the secretary of the state. Specifically, no later than 30 days after each regular election, the registrars must file a form with the secretary indicating that the canvass was conducted before the election in accordance with the law's requirements. The secretary prescribes the form, which specifies the canvass methods and dates (see Statement of Completion of Canvass, Form ED-632).

Each registrar of voters must sign the form under penalty of false statement. False statement is a class A misdemeanor, punishable by up to one year in prison, a fine of up to \$2,000, or both (CGS § 53a-157b).

(For more information on how registrars of voters maintain the voter registry list, see OLR Report 2016-R-0079.)

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