

FROM THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE STATE
Legislation and Elections Administration Division
30 Trinity Street - 2nd Floor
P.O. Box 150470
Hartford CT 06115

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, 2023 and April 30, 2023, inclusive, on the date(s) specified below and by the method indicated in the:

TOWN OF WATERFORD

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:

1/31/2023 - 4/30/2023

Registrars of Voters
Patti Waters

Registrars of Voters
Bigi Cheli

Registrars of Voters

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

Office of the Secretary of the State

Total Hours - 25

This certifies that

Patti Waters

Has successfully completed

Registrar of Voters Certification Program

June 8, 2017

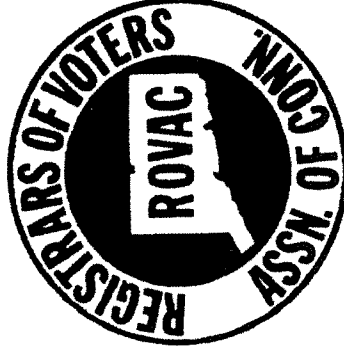
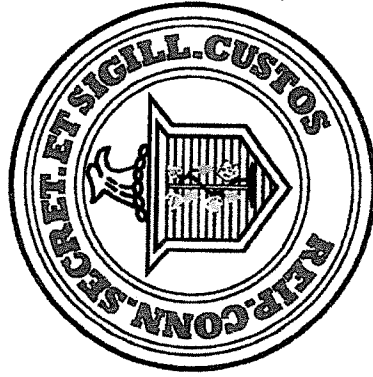
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Denise W. Merrill, Connecticut Secretary of the State

6/13/17

Date



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Bigi Ebbin

Registrar

Waterford

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2024 Education credits - 4.00 hours

Fall 2024 Education credits - 0.00 hours

Spring Conference 2024 Education credits - 4.00 hours

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

| Class | Education Hours |
|------------------|-----------------|
| Education Credit | 4.00 |

2023 Education credits - 9.50 hours

Fall Conference 2023 Education credits - 6.00 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 - 2.00 hours

| Class | Education Hours |
|---------------------|-----------------|
| Uconn Certification | 0.50 |
| CVRS 3.0 | 1.50 |

Spring 2023 ROVAC Conference Education credits - 3.50 hours







Tuesday, April 4th, 2023 Education credits - 3.50 hours

| Class | Education Hours |
|------------------------|-----------------|
| CVRS Below the surface | 1.00 |

9/5/24, 11:55 AM

ROVAC Registrar Directory/Portal | ROVAC

| | |
|-------------------------------------|------|
| Pollworker training and Recruitment | 1.00 |
| Navigating Title 9 | 1.00 |
| US Post Office | 0.50 |

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Patti Waters

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Registrar

Waterford

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You have no education credits on file for the year 2024

2023 Education credits - 10.50 hours

Fall Conference 2023 Education credits - 6.00 hours

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|--|-----------------|
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| Freedom of Information for Elections | 1.00 |
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2022 Education credits - 7.00 hours



August 26, 2024

First Selectman Robert J. Brule
15 Rope Ferry Road
Waterford, CT 06385

Re: Registrar Certifications, Recertifications and Canvassing

Dear First Selectman Robert J. Brule,

Under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), we are requesting the following information:

1. A copy of both Registrar of Voters Certification certificates and/or proof of annual training certificates if they were certified more than a year ago.
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We had originally asked the Secretary of the State to provide the Certification information back on July 9, 2024. We received a partial list on August 8, 2024. Additional information requested has not been sent to us. After being sent the incomplete list, we have found that the information provided was inaccurate. Hence, we are requesting under FOIA, that you provide us with the information requested.

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If both the Registrars of Voters are not certified after two years and not recertified every year thereafter, they are not qualified to run elections according to CT State Statutes. This is a very serious situation.

We look forward to your prompt attention to our request.

Respectfully,

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From: Patti Waters <PWaters@waterfordct.org>
Sent: Thursday, September 12, 2024 10:12 AM
To: Linda Szykowitz
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Cc: Patti Waters <PWaters@waterfordct.org>
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Linda Szynkowicz

From: Linda Szynkowicz
Sent: Thursday, September 12, 2024 12:25 PM
To: Patti Waters
Subject: RE: FOI Request Response - ROV Info/Canvass

Patti – We need documentation from ROVAC on the education hours; unfortunately, sending an email does not give us the documentation. We are gathering this from all the registrars here in CT. Sign into ROVAC and download your information. If you are unsure of what to do, contact Peter or Lucian at the New Britain Registrar’s office and I am sure they can walk you through the process.

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From: Robert Brule <rbrule@waterfordct.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 3, 2024 11:56 AM
To: Linda Szynkowicz
Cc: David Campo; Shannon Withey
Subject: RE: FOIA Request

Hello Linda,

I have received your email and have copied our Town Clerk, David Campo, on this request. David will expedite your request.

My regards,

Rob Brule
First Selectman
Waterford Town Hall
15 Rope Ferry Road
Waterford, CT 06385
rbrule@waterfordct.org
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From: Linda Szynkowicz <linda@fightvoterfraud.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 3, 2024 11:54 AM
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