

2026 Statewide Primary Election Canvass Minutes

Date: Monday, July 20, 2026

Time: 12:00 PM

Location: Senate Building, Committee Room 120, Salt Lake City, UT 84103

Summary: This meeting was held in accordance with [20A-4-306\(5\)\(a\)](#), at noon on the fourth Monday after the regular primary election, the lieutenant governor shall:

a. canvass the returns for all multicounty candidates required to file with the office of the lieutenant governor; and

b. publish and file the results of the canvass in the lieutenant governor's office.

1. Welcome: Lieutenant Governor Deidre Henderson called the meeting to order and provided an overview of the statutory requirements governing the canvass. She then turned the time over to Ryan Cowley, Director of Elections.
2. Review of Results: Ryan Cowley provided an overview of voter turnout and the methodology used for the reporting. Turnout represented the number of eligible members of that party who cast a vote. The number of registered party members was reflective of areas with a primary election for that party.

Unaffiliated voters could join the Republican Party and vote and anyone could request a Democratic ballot. For the purposes of this report unaffiliated voters were not counted in the total number of registered Republicans; likewise, only voters registered with the Democratic party were included in the numbers for the Democratic Primary.

Turnout in non-partisan races was not included since those are local races.

Ryan Cowley presented the canvass results for the U.S. House Districts 2 and 3.

Kenna Stringam presented the canvass results for State Senate Districts 5, 7, and 18.

Hyrum Devenport presented the canvass results for State House Districts 29, 59, 67, and 69.

Madi Topik presented the canvass results for the State School Board Districts 11 and 14.

Karlee Hansen presented the single county races that were canvassed at the county level and this was for information only. County level results are available through the appropriate county clerk's office.

3. The Lieutenant Governor certified the 2026 primary election results and signed the certification. All canvass materials and reports can be found at electionresults.utah.gov
4. This concludes the 2026 primary election state canvass.