

DIANE R. COLELLA
Election Commissioner
City of Revere
281 Broadway
Revere, MA 02151
PHONE (781) 286-8200 X1
FAX (781) 286-8206
MEETING NOTICE

August 30, 2021

TO Ashley E. Melnik, City Clerk

FROM Diane R. Colella, Election Commissioner

The Board of Election Commissioners respectfully requests the enclosed meeting notice be posted in accordance with Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 30A, Section 20, the Open Meeting Law.

On Thursday, September 2, 2021, at 9:00 a.m. the Election staff will test eight (8) DS200 vote tabulators using Official, and Absentee/Early voting ballots. Additionally, the staff will test five (5) Automark handicap voting machines. The machines, ballots and software are tested at this time.

When the test is done, the results paper tapes are reviewed for accuracy. After the review, the thumb drives are put back into the machines and set to zero. A seal with an imprinted seal number is affixed to the thumb drive. The seal number is recorded on a spreadsheet for reference on Election night. The equipment is stored in a locked room until needed on Election Day.

The tests are conducted in preparation for the Preliminary Election on Tuesday, September 14, 2021, in Ward 3 and Ward 5. This is **not** a city-wide Election.

The tests take place in the Election Department at Revere City Hall, 281 Broadway, Revere, MA 02151.

Diane R. Colella Election Commissioner Secretary, Board of Election Commissioners