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Results of general election approved by Board of State Canvassers

LINCOLN – Members of the Board of State Canvassers reviewed and unanimously approved final results of the 2016 general election. Noted in the prepared report to the board, there were no races that qualified for automatic recount and there were no problems impacting the outcome of any statewide races.

Of the 1,211,101 citizens registered, 860,573 people voted. A majority of voters, 71 percent, voted at the polls. Twenty-six percent of people voted early, excluding military and overseas voters. A total of 12,411 provisional ballots were also counted during the election.

Statewide results of the presidential race were as follows:

Republican Party	Trump/Pence	495,961
Democratic Party	Clinton/Kaine	284,494
Libertarian Party	Johnson/Weld	38,964
By Petition	Stein/Baraka	8,775
Write-ins		16,051

As no presidential write-in candidates secured five percent of the vote, individual tallies for those candidates were not required. The board voted unanimously to approve the election results without amendments or changes.

Members attending today's meeting included: Governor Pete Ricketts, Secretary of State John Gale, State Treasurer Don Stenberg, State Auditor Charlie Janssen, and Attorney General Doug Peterson.

The entire report can be viewed on the Secretary of State's website at:

<http://www.sos.ne.gov/elec/2016/pdf/2016-canvass-book.pdf>

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