MEMORANDUM

DATE: November 23, 2009

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Lew C. Bauman
County Administrative Officer

SUBJECT: County Administrative Officer's Weekly Report for November 23, 2009

This is the weekly report by the County Administrative Officer to the Board of Supervisors. This report provides information on issues affecting the County and the progress of County activities.

Elections

The Official Canvass - November 3, 2009 local City/School/Special District Elections: On Tuesday, the Department conducted the random draw of precincts for the required manual tally to verify the accuracy of the machine count. A total of 19 precincts were selected in order to cover all contests on the ballot. There were no close contests that met the criteria for an increased manual tally; however, the Department opted to increase manual tally for the Greenfield Unified School District long term contest as the results had changed during the last update and remained close.

The final results of the Election did not change since last report on November 13, 2009. The canvass was completed and certified by the legal deadline which is today, Monday, November 23, 2009. The certified Statement of the Vote will be available to the public on the Department’s website under “Election Results.”

Election Officers: Once again, the Department would like to thank all County employees who participated in this November’s election. While the turnout was low and the day quiet, we are greatly appreciative of the hard work and dedication it takes to be an Election Officer. Payroll is complete and has been turned over to the Auditor-Controller to process. As a reminder, the Election Officer stipend will appear in the biweekly County paycheck, sometime between four to six weeks after the Election.

This concludes the CAO report.