## Royalton Township Board of Canvass Minutes 6052 Royalton Road, Braham, MN 55006

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Approved

Vice-Chair Jeff Schlaeger called the Royalton Township board of canvass to order at 9:01 p.m., Tuesday, 12 March 2024, at the Royalton Town Hall, with Supervisor John Graham, Clerk Duane Swanson, election judges Janet Hawkinson, John McKenzie, Elisa Mill, and Priscilla Schneider, and members of the public present.

Clerk Swanson presented the abstract of votes on behalf of the election judges. The board reviewed the abstract which noted the following: There were 255 in-person voters and 20 accepted absentee voters. For the office of supervisor, Pete Belland received 174 votes, Patrice R. DeGray received 8 votes, Tom Madison received 9 votes, and Leslie M. Orvis received 84 votes. For the office of clerk, Roxanne L. Orvis received 94 votes, Duane P. Swanson received 177 votes, Jenessa Saumer received two write-in votes, and there were two blank ballots.

The board reviewed the precinct summary statement, which contained the abstract of votes and the certification of the election judges. Vice-Chair Schlaeger moved, Supervisor Graham seconded, to approve the abstract of votes as presented and to certify the results of the election, declaring Pete Belland to be elected as supervisor and Duane Swanson to be elected as clerk. The motion carried unanimously. Board members signed the abstract which shall be a part of these minutes.

At 9:04 p.m., Vice-Chair Schlaeger moved, Supervisor Graham seconded, to adjourn the board of canvass. The motion carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Duane P. Swanson, Clerk

Marshall Pearson, Chair/Supervisor

Jeff Schlaeger, Vice-Chair/Supervisor

John Graham, Supervisor