

## Canvass Minutes of May 9, 2007

The Gladwin County Board of Canvassers met at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, May 9, 2007.

Present were Mary Offenbecker, Judy Ford and Bill Crandall as well as Clerk Laura Flach. Member Betty Gavin was absent.

Review of the election documents revealed:

**Butman Township** – 1 off on number listed in poll book from number of ballots tabulated. Investigation revealed one blank line in the poll book—comment section-- that it had been discovered that two ballots had stuck together and been counted as one. Explanation noted and accepted.

**Gladwin Township** – miscounted AV's as 28 should have been 29. Math error also made in accounting for unused ballots. Items corrected and found to balance.

**Billings Township** – 2 off on number listed in poll book from tabulated number of ballots. It was found that a line had been used for a "spoiled" ballot and that a voter had voted in person, having also obtained an AV. The voter was recorded and the AV had been written in as the first step in processing and once discovered that the voter voted in person the AV name entry was not eliminated. Accounting for the 2 difference. Explanation noted and accepted.

Review continued with no further problems. Election results were certified and the meeting adjourned.



Laura Flach  
Clerk