

BOARD OF ELECTIONS
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RANDOM DRAW

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Commissioners' Hearing Room
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PRESENT:

Rachel Torres, CRU

Tom Haverly, CRU

Rayvon Weaver, CRU

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2 (The meeting commenced.)

3 MS. RACHEL TORRES: Good morning. Today
4 is Saturday, November 28, 2020. I'm here at the
5 Board of Elections in the City of New York. We
6 will be conducting the random draw for the audit
7 of the central ballot scanners for the general
8 election on November 3, 2020. We will conduct the
9 drawing for the election districts for the
10 boroughs of Kings County and Manhattan in the
11 City of New York.

12 Also here is Tom Haverly and Rayvon
13 Weaver. We are from the Candidates Record Unit
14 here at 42 Broadway. We will start with opening
15 the files containing the EDs for each county and
16 obtaining a random sequence from random.org. To
17 generate each sequence, we will enter the given
18 number of EDs into the corresponding random.org
19 field and running the random sequence. We will
20 then copy and paste the generated sequence into
21 the corresponding column of the ED spreadsheet.
22 We will then sort the data into said column
23 accordingly. Both the spreadsheet and the
24 random.org sequence will be saved separately.

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2 Thank you.

3 MR. RAYVON WEAVER: Okay.

4 MR. TOM HAVERLY: So let's start with --

5 MS. TORRES: Kings.

6 MR. HAVERLY: -- Kings County. Here's
7 our spreadsheet. And where's Chrome, and here's
8 our random draw sequencer. So we have, what,
9 1,809 EDs, we take three percent for the audit
10 and round up and we get 55. So we want the first
11 55 when we do our sequencer and it's 1,809. And
12 we want the sequencer, which is --

13 MS. TORRES: All the way up there.

14 MR. HAVERLY: Up here?

15 MS. TORRES: All the way up on the page,
16 where it says get numbers.

17 MR. HAVERLY: That's not it.

18 MS. TORRES: Get numbers.

19 MR. HAVERLY: Okay. That's the one.

20 MS. TORRES: 1,809, right?

21 MR. HAVERLY: It's 1,809, let me just
22 double check one more time, yes, 1,809. Try it
23 again. And get sequence. So here's our numbers.
24 We need to copy this over to the spreadsheet,

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2 ever so slowly. Come on. Kings of course is the
3 biggest county and we're almost there. Control C,
4 go back to the spreadsheet. And it goes right
5 here, right? Yeah, right here, special, and then
6 we're going to take these, highlight the range
7 and sort them by -- wait, actually, these numbers
8 there, right?

9 MS. TORRES: Uh-huh.

10 MR. HAVERLY: One?

11 MS. TORRES: Well not yet, first you
12 have to sort them, then [unintelligible]
13 [00:05:18] numbers.

14 MR. HAVERLY: Oh, I get it, right,
15 because we have the ED, right. Okay. That's why I
16 have you.

17 MS. TORRES: [unintelligible] [00:05:34]

18 MR. HAVERLY: Yeah, okay. Okay. So now
19 we go to data, data sort, we're going to sort by
20 Column D, but I have headers, so we're sorting by
21 random sequence, small, yeah, smallest to
22 largest, and hit okay. And the first 55, right.
23 Yeah, it's 55.

24 MS. TORRES: Mm-hmm.

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2 MR. HAVERLY: And we're going to make
3 that yellow. Oh, I forgot, we had to
4 [unintelligible] [00:06:32] yes, right.

5 MS. TORRES: Mm-hmm.

6 MR. HAVERLY: Copy this down, oops,
7 about that, and the rest are no.

8 MS. TORRES: Mm-hmm.

9 MR. HAVERLY: The rest upstairs or --

10 MS. TORRES: Whatever you want.

11 MR. HAVERLY: Okay. Fine, so that looks
12 good, right. And we're going to hit save. Save
13 the file.

14 MS. TORRES: Go back and save the --

15 MR. HAVERLY: And we're going to go back
16 and save and that's because we right click and go
17 print?

18 MS. TORRES: Mm-hmm.

19 MR. HAVERLY: Save as a .PDF. Okay. I
20 can save it here, right? Okay. So we're going to
21 type in Kings EDAD. Now, general election, should
22 I put today's date? 11/28. I think that's fine,
23 right guys?

24 MS. TORRES: Mm-hmm.

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2 MR. HAVERLY: Just [unintelligible]
3 [00:08:39] later, hit save. Alright. Moving on to
4 New York County, I've got to go back, right. Go
5 back, Let's find New York, right here.

6 MS. TORRES: 1,266.

7 MR. HAVERLY: 1,266 EDs, okay, which
8 gives us 38. There we go. Copy, control C,
9 special, okay. sort, data, sort, we have headers,
10 random sequence, smallest to largest, hit okay.
11 It's going to be the first 38. Come on.

12 MS. TORRES: [unintelligible]
13 [00:10:52].

14 MR. HAVERLY: 38, right, 38.

15 MS. TORRES: Mm-hmm.

16 MR. HAVERLY: I got that right, right.
17 Highlight everything here.

18 MS. TORRES: Highlight the rest though.

19 MR. HAVERLY: I'm going to. I'm going
20 to. Yellow, I'll get that, don't worry. Don't you
21 worry a thing. Yes, make that yellow and this is
22 no. Beautiful. And we've got to save the sequence
23 that we did. Let's hit save first. So this is
24 saved, that's saved. We're going to print, once

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again, save as a .PDF, I've got to change that name, let me borrow this and make this New York. Right, it looks good?

MS. TORRES: Mm-hmm.

MR. HAVERLY: And hit save.

MS. TORRES: And now this concludes --

MR. HAVERLY: And now this concludes this portion of random draw, so I think we're good.

MS. TORRES: Thank you.

MR. WEAVER: We are done.

(The meeting concluded.)

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