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Summary of Recount

The Pete Buttigieg and Bernie Sanders campaigns properly submitted requests for recount of caucus results. The requests included:

	Buttigieg	Sanders
Precincts	20	8
In-state Satellites	*17	1*
Out-of-state Satellites	0	1
TOTAL	37	10

*1 in-state location was requested by both campaigns.

The IDP Recanvass/Recount Committee [hereafter referred to as the Committee] granted the Sanders request in full and granted a partial request from Buttigieg.

The Committee named four Recount Administrators to conduct the recount:

- June Owens
- Tanner Halleran
- Staci Appel
- Paula Martinez

The recount began at 12:00 pm February 25, 2020. All campaigns were invited to send up to 2 representatives. Present were members of the Recanvass/Recount Committee, Recount Administrators, staff appointed by the Administrators to assist, IDP legal counsel, and representatives of the Buttigieg and Sanders campaigns.

The recount occurred over 2 days.

During this meeting, the Administrators considered and reviewed 23 precincts, including 2 satellites. You can review the full list [here. \(https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1-qdRU6ZeCg7c2qBSyTLFCZFhvH6irbsEEUhGc-5ZuVw/edit#gid=0\)](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1-qdRU6ZeCg7c2qBSyTLFCZFhvH6irbsEEUhGc-5ZuVw/edit#gid=0)

In conducting the recount, the Administrators used the following process by precinct:

1. Presidential Preference Cards were reviewed for caucusgoer's name and signature on the Card, then the Administrators confirmed that the caucusgoer signed in to the caucus on any of: Voter Roll, Early Check-In Form, or New Dems Registrant Form. If a caucusgoer properly filled out their Card and signed in, they were categorized as "Completed Card."
 - a. If the caucusgoer had a Presidential Preference Card, but did not sign in on one of the sign-in forms, that caucusgoer was counted as an attendee but was not eligible to align in a preference group. This group was categorized as "Did not sign in".

- b. If the caucusgoer did not sign their Presidential Preference Card, that caucusgoer was counted as an attendee but was not eligible to align in a preference group. This group was categorized as “Card not signed.”
2. Next, the Administrators reviewed the sign-in forms and determined if anyone signed in but did not have a Presidential Preference Card. If so, that person counted as an attendee, but was not eligible to align in a preference group.
3. Next, the Administrators counted total caucus attendees by adding together: “Completed Cards” + “Did not sign in” + “Card not signed” + people that signed in but did not have a Card. This number was announced as the total caucus attendees and was used to determine viability.
4. All of the numbers in steps 1-3 were recorded on a Recount Math Worksheet.
5. Next, the Administrators gathered the “Completed Cards” and distributed them to the caucusgoer’s first choice preference as indicated on Side 1 of their Card.
6. The Cards from each preference group were then counted, announced, and recorded on the Recount Math Worksheet under “First Alignment.”
7. The Cards from nonviable groups were then distributed to the caucusgoer’s second choice preference as indicated on Side 2 of their Card.
8. The Cards from each viable preference group were then counted, announced, and recorded on the Recount Math Worksheet under “Final Alignment.”
9. Then, the Administrators calculated the allocation of delegates for the precinct.

In total, 19 results at the county delegate level were changed as a result of this recount.

After all the precincts were reviewed, the Administrators adjourned on February 26, 2020, at 4:28pm.

After the recount, the delegates were tabulated and the SDE was recalculated. The results can be found at this [LINK](#)

After a re-tabulation of the new results, no change in the National Delegate allocation occurred.